#### WELSH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

# 2013 No. 1800

# The School Standards and Organisation (Wales) Act 2013 (Commencement No. 2, Savings and Transitional Provisions) Order 2013

## Title and interpretation

- 1.—(1) The title of this Order is the School Standards and Organisation (Wales) Act 2013 (Commencement No.2, Savings and Transitional Provisions) Order 2013.
  - (2) In this Order—

"the 1998 Act" ("Deddf 1998") means the School Standards and Framework Act 1998(1); and "the 2013 Act" ("Deddf 2013") means the School Standards and Organisation (Wales) Act 2013.

#### Provisions coming into force on 19 July 2013

**2.** The appointed day for sections 38 and 39 of the 2013 Act coming into force is 19 July 2013, to the extent that those sections are not already in force.

## Provisions coming into force on 1 October 2013

- **3.** Subject to articles 4 and 5, the appointed day for the following provisions of the 2013 Act coming into force is 1 October 2013—
  - (a) Chapter 2 of Part 3 (school organisation proposals);
  - (b) Chapter 3 of Part 3 (rationalisation of school places);
  - (c) Chapter 4 of Part 3 (regional provision for special educational needs);
  - (d) Chapter 5 of Part 3 (proposals for restructuring sixth form education);
  - (e) Chapter 6 of Part 3 (miscellaneous and supplemental);
  - (f) Schedule 2 (regulated alterations);
  - (g) Schedule 3 (implementation of statutory proposals);
  - (h) paragraphs 1 to 7 and 9 to 39 of Schedule 4 (implementation of proposals to change category of school);
  - (i) section 99 (minor and consequential amendments) in so far as it relates to the amendments made by Part 2 of Schedule 5; and
  - (j) Part 2 of Schedule 5.

## Savings in relation to Chapter 2 of Part 2 of the 1998 Act

**4.** Despite the coming into force of Chapters 2 and 6 of Part 3 of, and the consequential repeals in Part 2 of Schedule 5 to, the 2013 Act—

- (a) the provisions of sections 28, 29, 31, 35 of and Schedules 6 and 8 to the 1998 Act will continue to apply in relation to any proposals published under those sections before 1 October 2013;
- (b) the provisions of section 30 of the 1998 Act will continue to apply in relation to any notice served under section 30 of the 1998 Act before 1 October 2013;
- (c) the provisions of section 32 of the 1998 Act will continue to apply in relation to any direction given under that section before 1 October 2013; and
- (d) the provisions of section 33 of the 1998 Act will continue to apply in relation to proposals published under sections 28, 29, 31 or 35 of the 1998 Act before 1 October 2013.

## **Transitional Provision**

**5.** Until the commencement of section 21(1) of the Education (Wales) Measure 2011(2) the reference to a federated school in section 78 of the 2013 Act is to have effect as though it were a reference to a federated school in section 24(2) of the Education Act 2002(3).

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<sup>(2) 2011</sup> nawm 7.

<sup>(3) 2002</sup> c.32.