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**2005 No. 1071**

**HUMAN RIGHTS**

**The Human Rights Act 1998 (Amendment) Order 2005**

<i>Made</i>	- - - -	<i>3rd April 2005</i>
<i>Laid before Parliament</i>		<i>4th April 2005</i>
<i>Coming into force</i>	- -	<i>8th April 2005</i>

Whereas the United Kingdom has withdrawn its derogation, designated by the Human Rights Act 1998 (Designated Derogation) Order 2001<sup>(1)</sup>, from Article 5(1) of the Convention for the Protection of Human Rights and Fundamental Freedoms, agreed by the Council of Europe at Rome on 4th November 1950;

Now, therefore, the Secretary of State, in exercise of the powers conferred upon him by section 16(7) of the Human Rights Act 1998<sup>(2)</sup> hereby makes the following Order:

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<sup>(1)</sup> S.I.2001/3644.

<sup>(2)</sup> 1998 c. 42. Section 16(7) was amended by article 8 of, and paragraph 7 of Schedule 2 to, the Transfer of Functions (Miscellaneous) Order 2001, S.I. 2001/3500, to reflect the transfer of the relevant functions of the Secretary of State to the Lord Chancellor made by article 3 of, and paragraph 5 of Schedule 1 to, that Order. The Lord Chancellor's functions under section 16(7) were then transferred to the Secretary of State by article 4 of, and Schedule 1 to, the Secretary of State for Constitutional Affairs Order 2003, S.I. 2003/1887, and section 16(7) was amended by Schedule 2, paragraph 10 to that Order to refer to the Secretary of State, in place of the Lord Chancellor.