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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**2023 No. 150**

**The Legal Aid, Sentencing and Punishment of  
Offenders Act 2012 (Legal Aid: Family and Domestic  
Abuse) (Miscellaneous Amendments) Order 2023**

**Commencement**

- 3.**—(1) This Order comes into force on 1st March 2023, subject to paragraphs (2) and (3).
- (2) The following provisions come into force on 1st May 2023—
- (a) article 4(1) and (2);
  - (b) articles 5(2) and 6(3) so far as they insert the definition of “parental guardianship case”;
  - (c) article 5(4), (5) and (8);
  - (d) article 6(2) so far as it inserts new sub-paragraph (db); and
  - (e) article 7(2).
- (3) Articles 4(3), 7(3)(a) and 8 come into force on the first day on which a provision of Part 3 of the Domestic Abuse Act 2021<sup>(1)</sup> (except a power to make regulations) comes into force, including where that provision is brought into force for a specified purpose or in relation to a specified area under section 90 of that Act.