



2008 CHAPTER 10

PART 3

GENERAL

Commencement

41.—(1) This Act (except sections 36, 37(1), 40(6), this section and section 42) shall come into operation on such day or days as the Department may by order appoint.

(2) An order under subsection (1) may include such transitional provision or savings as the Department considers necessary or expedient in connection with bringing any provision of this Act into operation.

(3) An order under subsection (1) appointing the day on which section 30 is to come into operation may be made only with the consent of the Lord Chancellor.

Subordinate Legislation Made

- P1** S. 41(1) power partly exercised: 9.7.2008 and 14.7.2008 appointed for specified provisions by [S.R. 2008/291, art. 2](#);
- 5.8.2008 appointed for specified provisions by [S.R. 2008/331, art. 2](#);
- 29.9.2008 and 27.10.2008 appointed for specified provisions by [S.R. 2008/399, art. 2](#) (with transitional and savings provisions in [art. 3](#));
- 27.10.2008 and 1.11.2008 appointed for specified provisions by [S.R. 2008/419, arts. 2, 3](#);
- 5.12.2008 appointed for specified provisions by [S.R. 2008/489, art. 2](#);
- 1.6.2009 and 3.8.2009 appointed for specified provisions by [S.R. 2009/216, art. 2](#);
- 26.11.2009 and 25.1.2010 appointed for specified provisions by [S.R. 2009/380, art. 2](#);
- 20.12.2010 appointed for specified provision by [S.R. 2010/416, art. 2](#)

Changes to legislation:

Child Maintenance Act (Northern Ireland) 2008, Section 41 is up to date with all changes known to be in force on or before 17 August 2023. There are changes that may be brought into force at a future date. Changes that have been made appear in the content and are referenced with annotations.

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Changes and effects yet to be applied to :

- specified provision(s) amendment to earlier commencing SR 2012/440 art. 3 by [S.R. 2014/194 art. 4](#)
- specified provision(s) amendment to earlier commencing SR 2013/201 art. 3 by [S.R. 2014/194 art. 5](#)

Changes and effects yet to be applied to the whole Act associated Parts and Chapters:

Whole provisions yet to be inserted into this Act (including any effects on those provisions):

- Sch. 2 para. 3(3) inserted by [S.I. 2015/2006 \(N.I.\) art. 126\(2\)](#)