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SCOTTISH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**2013 No. 303 (C. 24)**

**INFRASTRUCTURE PLANNING  
TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING**

**The Growth and Infrastructure Act 2013  
(Commencement) (Scotland) Order 2013**

<i>Made</i>	- - - -	<i>30th October 2013</i>
<i>Laid before the Scottish Parliament</i>	- - - -	<i>1st November 2013</i>
<i>Coming into force</i>	- -	<i>1st December 2013</i>

The Scottish Ministers make the following Order in exercise of the powers conferred by section 35(4) of the Growth and Infrastructure Act 2013(1).

**Citation and commencement**

1. This Order may be cited as the Growth and Infrastructure Act 2013 (Commencement) (Scotland) Order 2013 and comes into force on 1st December 2013.

**Appointed day**

2. The day appointed for section 21(4) to (6) of the Growth and Infrastructure Act 2013 to come into force is 1st December 2013.

St Andrew's House,  
Edinburgh  
30th October 2013

*DEREK MACKAY*  
Authorised to sign by the Scottish Ministers

**Status:** This is the original version (as it was originally made). This item of legislation is currently only available in its original format.

## EXPLANATORY NOTE

*(This note is not part of the Order)*

This Order brings section 21(4) to (6) of the Growth and Infrastructure Act 2013 into force on 1st December 2013.

The Bill for the Act received Royal Assent on 25th April 2013. Sections 1(1) (partially) and sections 4, 7, 9, 16, 19, 26, 32, 33, 35 and 36 and Schedules 2 and 4 came into force on that date. Sections 11, 12, 17, 18, 29 and 30 came into force on 25th June 2013.

## NOTE AS TO EARLIER COMMENCEMENT ORDERS

*(This note is not part of the Order)*

The following provisions of the Growth and Infrastructure Act 2013 have been commenced or will be commenced by commencement orders made before the date of this Order.

<i>Provision</i>	<i>Date of Commencement</i>	<i>Instrument No.</i>
Sections 1 and Schedule 1 (for limited purposes)	9th May 2013	<a href="#">S.I. 2013/1124</a>
	1st October 2013	<a href="#">S.I. 2013/2143</a>
Section 2(1) to (6)	1st October 2013	<a href="#">S.I. 2013/2143</a>
Sections 2(7), 3, 6, 10, 25(7) to (9), and	25th June 2013	<a href="#">S.I. 2013/1488</a>
Schedule 3 and section 25(1) to (6) and (10)		
Sections 8, 22, 23, 24 and 27 and	25th June 2013	<a href="#">S.I.2013/1124</a>
section 25(1) to (6) and (10) (partially)		
Sections 13 and 15 (for limited purposes)	25th June 2013	<a href="#">S.I. 2013/1488</a>
Section 13 and 15	1st October 2013	<a href="#">S.I. 2013/1766</a>
Section 14	1st October 2013	<a href="#">S.I. 2013/1488</a>
Section 20 (for limited purposes)	19th June 2013	<a href="#">S.I. 2013/1488</a>
Section 20 (in relation to England and Wales) and section 21(1) to (3)	31st July 2013	<a href="#">S.I. 2013/1488</a>
Section 20 (in relation to Scotland)	1st December 2013	<a href="#">S.I. 2013/1488</a>
Section 28	1st October 2013	<a href="#">S.I. 2013/2143</a>
Section 31	1st September 2013	<a href="#">S.I. 2013/1766</a>