

Draft Order laid before Parliament under section 84(4) of the Northern Ireland Act 1998, for approval by resolution of each House of Parliament.

DRAFT STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2024 No.

NORTHERN IRELAND

**The Local Elections (Northern
Ireland) (Amendment) Order 2024**

Made - - - -

Coming into force in accordance with article 1(2)

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the [***] day of [***] 2024

Present,

The King's most excellent Majesty in Council

In accordance with section 7(3) of the Political Parties, Elections and Referendums Act 2000⁽¹⁾, the Electoral Commission has been consulted prior to this Order being laid in draft before Parliament.

In accordance with section 84(4) of the Northern Ireland Act 1998⁽²⁾, a draft of this Order has been laid before Parliament and has been approved by a resolution of each House of Parliament.

Accordingly, His Majesty, in exercise of the power conferred on him by section 84(1), (1A), (2) and (3) of the Northern Ireland Act 1998⁽³⁾, is pleased, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, to order as follows.

⁽¹⁾ 2000 c. 41.

⁽²⁾ 1998 c. 47.

⁽³⁾ Section 84(1A) was inserted by section 3(4) of the Elections Act 2001 (c. 7).