



# Drugs Act 2005

## 2005 CHAPTER 17

### PART 4

#### MISCELLANEOUS AND GENERAL

#### **24 Short title, commencement and extent**

- (1) This Act may be cited as the Drugs Act 2005.
- (2) This section and section 22 come into force on the day on which this Act is passed.
- (3) Otherwise, this Act comes into force on such day as the Secretary of State may by order made by statutory instrument appoint.
- (4) Different days may be appointed for different purposes.
- (5) An order under subsection (3) may make—
  - (a) any supplementary, incidental or consequential provision, and
  - (b) any transitory, transitional or saving provision,as the Secretary of State considers necessary or expedient in connection with the order.
- (6) Subject to subsection (7), this Act (except this section and sections 22 and 23) extends to England and Wales only.
- (7) So far as it amends or repeals any enactment, this Act has the same extent as the enactment amended or repealed.