



# Local Transport Act 2008

## 2008 CHAPTER 26

### <sup>F1</sup><sup>F1</sup>PART 5A

#### SUB-NATIONAL TRANSPORT BODIES

##### *General powers etc*

#### <sup>F1</sup>102N Boundaries of power under section 102M

- (1) Section 102M(1) does not enable an STB to do anything which it is unable to do by virtue of a post-commencement limitation which is expressed to apply—
  - (a) to its power under section 102M(1),
  - (b) to all of its powers, or
  - (c) to all of its powers but with exceptions that do not include its power under section 102M(1).
- (2) Section 102M(1) does not authorise an STB to borrow money.
- (3) Section 102M(1)(a) to (c) do not authorise an STB to charge a person for anything it does otherwise than for a commercial purpose (but see section 93 of the Local Government Act 2003 (power of STBs and other best value authorities to charge for discretionary services)).
- (4) Section 102M(1)(d) does not authorise an STB to do things for a commercial purpose in relation to a person if a statutory provision requires the STB to do those things in relation to the person.
- (5) Where under section 102M(1)(d) an STB does things for a commercial purpose, it must do them through—
  - (a) a company within the meaning given by section 1(1) of the Companies Act 2006, or
  - (b) a registered society within the meaning of the Co-operative and Community Benefit Societies Act 2014.

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(6) In this section—

“post-commencement limitation” means a prohibition, restriction or other limitation imposed by a statutory provision that—

- (a) is contained in an Act passed after the end of the Session in which the Cities and Local Government Devolution Act 2016 is passed, or
- (b) is contained in an instrument made under an Act and comes into force on or after the commencement of section 21 of that 2016 Act;

“statutory provision” means a provision of an Act or of an instrument made under an Act.]

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**Textual Amendments**

- F1** Pt. 5A inserted (28.1.2016 for specified purposes, 28.3.2016 in so far as not already in force) by [Cities and Local Government Devolution Act 2016 \(c. 1\)](#), **ss. 21, 25(2)**

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**Commencement Orders yet to be applied to the Local Transport Act 2008**

Commencement Orders bringing provisions within this Act into force:

- [S.I. 2009/579 art. 2](#) commences (2008 c. 26)
- [S.I. 2009/3294 art. 2](#) commences (2008 c. 26)