



# Recall of MPs Act 2015

## 2015 CHAPTER 25

### *Conduct of the recall petition process*

#### **7 Where and from when the recall petition may be signed**

- (1) Where the petition officer for a constituency receives a Speaker's notice, the officer must, as soon as reasonably practicable, designate—
  - (a) a place, or places, at which a recall petition is to be made available for signing, and
  - (b) a day from which the petition is to be made available for signing.
- (2) A maximum of 10 places may be designated under subsection (1)(a).
- (3) The petition officer must, in determining which place or places to designate under subsection (1)(a), seek to ensure—
  - (a) that all persons entitled to sign the recall petition have such reasonable facilities for signing it as are practicable in the circumstances, and
  - (b) that, so far as is reasonable and practicable, every place designated is accessible to disabled persons.
- [<sup>F1</sup>(4) The petition officer must designate under subsection (1)(b)—
  - (a) a working day that falls no later than 6 May 2021, or
  - (b) if it is not reasonably practicable to designate such a day, the first subsequent working day that it is reasonably practicable to designate.]
- (5) In this Act—

“the designated place or places” means the place or places designated under subsection (1)(a);

“the designated day” means the day designated under subsection (1)(b).

#### **Textual Amendments**

- F1** S. 7(4) substituted (temp. until 21.4.2021) (25.3.2020) by virtue of [Coronavirus Act 2020 \(c. 7\)](#), **ss. 62(1), 87(1)**

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**Commencement Information**

**II** S. 7 in force at 4.3.2016 by [S.I. 2016/290](#), **reg. 2**

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