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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**1996 No. 273**

**MINISTERS OF THE CROWN**

**The Transfer of Functions (Registration  
and Statistics) Order 1996**

<i>Made</i>	- - - -	<i>14th February 1996</i>
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**THE TRANSFER OF FUNCTIONS  
(REGISTRATION AND STATISTICS) ORDER 1996**

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**SCHEDULE 1 — Functions Transferred from the Secretary of State to the Chancellor  
of the Exchequer**

1. Section 5 of the Non-Parochial Registers Act 1840 (approval of...
2. Section 7 of the Places of Worship Registration Act 1855...
3. The following sections of the Census Act 1920, except in...
4. Section 12 of the Births and Deaths Registration Act 1926...
5. Section 2 of the Population (Statistics) Act 1938 (directions as...
6. Section 94 of the Education Act 1944 (regulations about certificates...
7. The following sections of the Marriage Act 1949 :
8. The following sections of the Births and Deaths Registration Act...
9. The following sections of the Registration Service Act 1953 :...
10. Section 5 of the Public Expenditure and Receipts Act 1968...
11. Section 18 of the Marriage (Registrar General's Licence) Act 1970...
12. Section 67(6) of the Adoption Act 1976 (approval of regulations)...
13. Section 1 of the Industrial Diseases (Notification) Act 1981 (regulations)....

**SCHEDULE 2 — Consequential Amendments**

**Status:** This is the original version (as it was originally made).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

*The Non-Parochial Registers Act 1840 (c. 92)*

1. In section 5 of the Non-Parochial Registers Act 1840 (searching...

*Places of Worship Registration Act 1855 (c. 81)*

2. In section 7 of the Places of Worship Registration Act...

*The Census Act 1920 (c. 41)*

3. (1) The Census Act 1920 shall be amended as follows....

*The Births and Deaths Registration Act 1926 (c. 48)*

4. The Births and Deaths Registration Act 1926 shall be amended...
5. In section 9 (regulations), for the words “Secretary of State...
6. In section 12 (definitions), for the words which are to...

*The Population (Statistics) Act 1938 (c. 12)*

7. (1) The Population (Statistics) Act 1938 shall be amended as...

*The Education Act 1944 (c. 31)*

8. In subsections (1) and (2) of section 94 of the...

*The Marriage Act 1949 (c. 76)*

9. The Marriage Act 1949 shall be amended as follows.
10. In sections 46A(1) and 46B(2) (approved premises), for the words...
11. In sections 58 (quarterly returns) and 74 (regulations), for the...

*The Births and Deaths Registration Act 1953 (c. 20)*

12. In section 41 (interpretation), for the words which are to...

*The Registration Service Act 1953 (c. 37)*

13. In section 21(1) (interpretation), for the words which are to...

*The Population (Statistics) Act 1960 (c. 32)*

14. In section 4 (additional matter to be included in annual...

*The Parliamentary Commissioner Act 1967 (c. 13)*

15. In Schedule 2 to the Parliamentary Commissioner Act 1967 (departments,...

*The Public Expenditure and Receipts Act 1968 (c. 14)*

16. In Schedule 3 to the Public Expenditure and Receipts Act...

*The Finance Act 1969 (c. 32)*

17. In section 58 of the Finance Act 1969 (disclosure of...

*The Marriage (Registrar General’s Licence) Act 1970 (c. 34)*

18. In section 18(1) of the Marriage (Registrar General’s Licence) Act...

*The Adoption Act 1976 (c. 36)*

19. In section 67(6) of the Adoption Act 1976 (regulations), for...

*The Industrial Diseases (Notification) Act 1981 (c. 25)*

20. In section 1 of the Industrial Diseases (Notification) Act 1981,...

*The Inheritance Tax Act 1984 (c. 51)*

21. In section 8 of the Inheritance Tax Act 1984 (indexation...

*The Income and Corporation Taxes Act 1988 (c. 1)*

22. In section 833(2) of the Income and Corporation Taxes Act...

*The Dartford-Thurrock Crossing Act 1988 (c. 20)*

23. In section 17 of the Dartford-Thurrock Crossing Act 1988 (tolls)—...

*The Local Government Finance Act 1988 (c. 41)*

24. In paragraph 5(8) of Schedule 7 to the Local Government...

*The Broadcasting Act 1990 (c. 42)*

25. In sections 19(10) (additional payments in respect of Channel 3...

*The Ports Act 1991 (c. 52)*

26. In section 11 of the Ports Act 1991 (annual turnover...

*The Value Added Tax Act 1994 (c. 23)*

27. (1) Section 91 of the Value Added Tax Act 1994...

Explanatory Note