

**2001 No. 779**

**LEGAL SERVICES, ENGLAND AND WALES**

**The Legal Aid Board (Abolition) Order 2001**

*Made* - - - - - *27th February 2001*

*Coming into force* *2nd April 2001*

The Lord Chancellor, in exercise of the powers conferred on him by paragraph 7 of Schedule 14 to the Access to Justice Act 1999<sup>(a)</sup>, being satisfied that the duties of the Legal Aid Board under paragraph 6 of that Schedule have been discharged, makes the following Order:

**Citation and commencement**

1. This Order may be cited as the Legal Aid Board (Abolition) Order 2001 and shall come into force on 2nd April 2001.

**Abolition of the Legal Aid Board**

2. The Legal Aid Board established under section 3 of the Legal Aid Act 1988<sup>(b)</sup> shall cease to exist.

Signed by the authority of the Lord Chancellor

27th February 2001

*David Lock*  
Parliamentary Secretary,  
Lord Chancellor's Department

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<sup>(a)</sup> 1999 c. 22.

<sup>(b)</sup> 1988 c. 34.

## EXPLANATORY NOTE

*(This note is not part of the Order)*

This Order provides for the abolition of the Legal Aid Board, which was established under the Legal Aid Act 1988.

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