
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2003 No. 2501

**The Copyright and Rights in Databases
(Amendment) Regulations 2003**

Amendment of the Copyright and Rights in Databases Regulations 1997

10. For regulation 30 (database right: term applicable to certain existing databases) substitute—

“Database right: term applicable to certain existing databases

30. Where—

- (a) the making of any database is completed on or after 1st January 1983, and before 1st January 1998, and
- (b) either—
 - (i) the database is a database in which database right subsists by virtue of the maker of the database (or one or more of its makers) falling within one of the provisions contained in Regulations 14(4) and 18(1)(a), (b) and (c) and database right begins to subsist in the database on 1st January 1998, or
 - (ii) the database is a database in which database right subsists by virtue of its maker (or one or more of its makers) falling within one of the provisions contained in Regulation 18(1)(d), (e) and (f) and database right begins to subsist in the database on 1st November 2003,

then database right shall subsist in the database for a period of fifteen years beginning with 1st January 1998.”.