STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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The Cambridgeshire Guided Busway Order 2005

PART 3

ACQUISITION AND POSSESSION OF LAND

Powers of acquisition

Application of Compulsory Purchase (Vesting Declarations) Act 1981

- **24.**—(1) The Compulsory Purchase (Vesting Declarations) Act 1981(1) shall apply as if this Order were a compulsory purchase order.
- (2) In its application by virtue of paragraph (1), the Compulsory Purchase (Vesting Declarations) Act 1981 shall have effect with the following modifications.
 - (3) In section 3 (preliminary notices) for sub-section (1) there shall be substituted—
 - "(1) Before making a declaration under section 4 with respect to any land which is subject to a compulsory purchase order the acquiring authority shall include the particulars specified in sub-section (3) in a notice which is—
 - (a) given to every person with a relevant interest in the land with respect to which the declaration is to be made (other than a mortgagee who is not in possession); and
 - (b) published in the London Gazette and in a local newspaper circulating in the area in which the land is situated.".
- (4) In that section, in sub-section (2), for "(1)(b)" there shall be substituted "(1)" and after "given" there shall be inserted "and published".
 - (5) In that section, sub-sections (5) and (6) there shall be substituted—
 - "(5) For the purposes of this section, a person has a relevant interest in land if—
 - (a) he is for the time being entitled to dispose of the fee simple of the land, whether in possession or reversion; or
 - (b) he holds, or is entitled to the rents and profits of, the land under a lease or agreement, the unexpired term of which exceeds one month.".
 - (6) In section 5 (earliest date for execution of declaration)—
 - (a) in sub-section (1), after "publication" there shall be inserted "in the London Gazette or in a local newspaper circulating in the area in which the land is situated"; and
 - (b) sub-section (2) shall be omitted.
- (7) In section 7 (constructive notice to treat) in sub-section (1)(a), the words "(as modified by section 4 of the Acquisition of Land Act 1981)" shall be omitted.
- (8) References to the 1965 Act shall be construed as references to that Act as applied to the acquisition of land under article 23.

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