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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**2008 No. 2113**

**The Local Government (Structural Changes)  
(Transitional Arrangements) Regulations 2008**

**PART 4**

**LOCAL AREA AGREEMENTS AND JOINT  
STRATEGIC NEEDS ASSESSMENTS**

**Application of existing agreements and assessments to a shadow council**

**12.** In relation to a local area agreement or an assessment of relevant needs of a predecessor council, Part 5 of the 2007 Act shall have effect as if a successor council which is a shadow council—

- (a) were a partner authority<sup>(1)</sup>;
- (b) were a relevant district council for the purposes of section 116 of that Act.

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<sup>(1)</sup> See sections 104 and 117 of the 2007 Act.