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**2009 No. 3316 (C. 147)**

**EDUCATION, ENGLAND**

**The Education and Skills Act 2008  
(Commencement No. 5) Order 2009**

*Made - - - - 14th December 2009*

The Secretary of State for Children, Schools and Families makes the following Order in exercise of the powers conferred by section 173(4) and (8) of the Education and Skills Act 2008<sup>(1)</sup>:

**Citation**

1. This Order may be cited as the Education and Skills Act 2008 (Commencement No. 5) Order 2009.

**Provisions coming into force on 12th January 2009**

2. Section 79 of the Education and Skills Act 2008 comes into force on 12th January 2010 so far as not already in force.

14th December 2009

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## EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

This is the fifth commencement order made by the Secretary of State under the Education and Skills Act 2008 (“the Act”).

Article 2 commences on 12th January 2010, section 79 so far as not already in force. Section 79 repeals sections 114 to 121 of the Learning and Skills Act 2000 which provided for the establishment of the service known as the “Connexions service”. The effect of this Order is to commence repeals of sections 114(1) and (4), 117, 119 and 120. The repeals in section 79 are part of a number of provisions set out in the Education and Skills Act 2008 which devolve the responsibility for delivering the Connexions service to local education authorities.

## NOTE AS TO EARLIER COMMENCEMENT ORDERS

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

The following provisions of the Act have been or will be brought into force in England by commencement order made before the date of this Order:

<i>Provision</i>	<i>Date of Commencement</i>	<i>S.I. No.</i>
Sections 68 to 78	26th January 2009	<a href="#">2008/3077</a>
Section 79 (partially)	26th January 2009	<a href="#">2008/3077</a>
Section 81	1st September 2009	<a href="#">2009/1513</a>
Section 82	28th February 2009	<a href="#">2009/387</a>
Sections 83 and 84	7th March 2009	<a href="#">2009/387</a>
Section 85	28th February 2009	<a href="#">2009/387</a>
Section 86 (partially)	19th June 2009	<a href="#">2009/1513</a>
Section 86 (remainder)	1st August 2009	<a href="#">2009/1606</a>
Sections 87 to 91	26th January 2009	<a href="#">2008/3077</a>
Section 92 (partially)	19th June 2009	<a href="#">2009/1513</a>
Section 92 (partially)	1st September 2009	<a href="#">2009/1606</a>
Section 93	1st September 2009	<a href="#">2009/1606</a>
Section 94 (partially)	19th June 2009	<a href="#">2009/1513</a>
Section 98 (partially)	19th June 2009	<a href="#">2009/1513</a>
Section 106 (partially)	19th June 2009	<a href="#">2009/1513</a>
Section 108 (partially)	19th June 2009	<a href="#">2009/1513</a>
Section 111 (partially)	19th June 2009	<a href="#">2009/1513</a>
Section 111 (remainder)	1st September 2009	<a href="#">2009/1606</a>

<i>Provision</i>	<i>Date of Commencement</i>	<i>S.I. No.</i>
Section 112 (partially)	1st September 2009	2009/1606
Section 117(partially)	12th October 2009	2009/1606
Section 119 (partially)	19th June 2009	2009/1513
Section 119 (remainder)	12th October 2009	2009/1606
Section 123 (partially)	19th June 2009	2009/1513
Section 124 (partially)	12th October 2009	2009/1606
Section 127	12th October 2009	2009/1606
Section 128 (partially)	19th June 2009	2009/1513
Section 129 (partially)	19th June 2009	2009/1513
Section 132 (partially)	19th June 2009	2009/1513
Section 133 (partially)	19th June 2009	2009/1513
Sections 134 to 136	12th October 2009	2009/1606
Section 137	1st September 2009	2009/1606
Section 138 (partially)	1st September 2009	2009/1606
Section 138 (partially)	12th October 2009	2009/1606
Section 140 (partially)	19th June 2009	2009/1513
Section 140 (partially)	1st September 2009	2009/1606
Section 141 (partially)	19th June 2009	2009/1513
Section 146	1st September 2009	2009/1513
Section 147	1st September 2009	2009/1513
Section 148	1st September 2009	2009/1513
Section 150	26th January 2009	2008/3077
Section 151 (partially)	2nd December 2008	2008/3077
Section 151 (remainder)	26th January 2009	2008/3077
Sections 152 and 153	26th January 2009	2008/3077
Section 159	28th February 2009	2009/387
Section 161(1), (2), (3)(a) and (5) to (9)	28th February 2009	2009/387
Section 165	26th January 2009	2008/3077
Section 169(1) (partially)	2nd December 2008 and 26th January 2009	2008/3077
Section 169(1) (partially)	1st September 2009	2009/1606
Section 169(2) (partially)	2nd December 2008 and 26th January 2009	2008/3077
Section 169(2) (partially)	1st September 2009	2009/1513
Section 169(2) (partially)	1st September 2009	2009/1606

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Schedule 1, paragraphs 13 and 18 (partially)	1st September 2009	<a href="#">2009/1606</a>
Schedule 1, paragraphs 53 (partially), 54(5) to (7), 57, 58, 61 to 64 and 68 to 73	2nd December 2008	<a href="#">2008/3077</a>
Schedule 1, paragraphs 44 to 47, 53 (remainder), 54 (remainder), 55, 56, 59, 60, 65 to 67, 78, 81 to 85 and 89	26th January 2009	<a href="#">2008/3077</a>
Schedule 2 (partially)	26th January 2009	<a href="#">2008/3077</a>
Schedule 2 (partially)	1st September 2009	<a href="#">2009/1513</a>
Schedule 2 (partially)	1st September 2009	<a href="#">2009/1606</a>