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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**2013 No. 7**

**The Scotland Act 2012 (Transitional and  
Consequential Provisions) Order 2013**

**Citation, commencement and interpretation**

**1.—(1)** This Order may be cited as the Scotland Act 2012 (Transitional and Consequential Provisions) Order 2013 and comes into force on 22nd April 2013.

**(2)** In this Order—

“the 1995 Act” means the Criminal Procedure (Scotland) Act 1995**(1)**;

“the 1998 Act” means the Scotland Act 1998**(2)**;

“the 2012 Act” means the Scotland Act 2012;

“compatibility issue” has the meaning given by section 288ZA(2) of the 1995 Act**(3)**;

“convertible devolution issue” has the meaning given by article 2;

“devolution issue” has the meaning given by paragraph 1 of Schedule 6 to the 1998 Act**(4)** as if the amendments made by section 36(4) of the 2012 Act were not in force;

“relevant date” means 22nd April 2013.

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**(1)** 1995 c.46.

**(2)** 1998 c.46.

**(3)** Section 288ZA was inserted by section 34(3) of the Scotland Act 2012.

**(4)** Paragraph 1 was amended by sections 12(2)(a) and 36(4) of the Scotland Act 2012 and [S.I. 2011/1043](#).