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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**2022 No. 328**

**The North Yorkshire (Structural Changes) Order 2022**

**PART 1**

**GENERAL**

**Interpretation**

**2.** In this Order—

“the 1972 Act” means the Local Government Act 1972<sup>(1)</sup>;

“the 2000 Act” means the Local Government Act 2000<sup>(2)</sup>;

“the 2007 Act” means the Local Government and Public Involvement in Health Act 2007;

“the 2022 election” means the election required by article 13(1) to be held in 2022;

“the 2022 election day” means the ordinary day of election of councillors in 2022<sup>(3)</sup>;

“the article 7 functions” has the meaning given by article 6(2)(b);

“the district councils” means Craven District Council, Hambleton District Council, Harrogate Borough Council, Richmondshire District Council, Ryedale District Council, Scarborough Borough Council and Selby District Council;

“the first transitional period” means the period beginning on the date on which this Order comes into force and ending on the fourth day after the 2022 election day;

“the Implementation Executive” means the committee established (whether before or after the coming into force of this Order) for the purposes of article 6(3);

“the main transitional function” has the meaning given by article 6(1);

“North Yorkshire”, except in the definition of “the North Yorkshire Council” and the second mention of those words in article 3(2) means the County of North Yorkshire;

“the North Yorkshire Council” means the council of the county of North Yorkshire;

“the second transitional period” means the period beginning on the fourth day after the 2022 election day and ending on 1st April 2023.

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(1) 1972 c. 70.

(2) 2000 c. 22. Parts 2 and 3 of that Act were amended by Part 3 of the Local Government and Public Involvement in Health Act 2007 (c. 28). Part 1A and Schedule A1 were inserted by section 21 of, and Schedule 2 to, the Localism Act 2011 (c. 20).

(3) See section 37 of the Representation of the People Act 1983 (c. 2).