#### STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

### 2023 No. 1406

# POLICE, ENGLAND AND WALES REPRESENTATION OF THE PEOPLE

The Representation of the People (Overseas Electors etc.) (Amendment) Regulations 2023

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## THE REPRESENTATION OF THE PEOPLE (OVERSEAS ELECTORS ETC.) (AMENDMENT) REGULATIONS 2023

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#### Introduction

1. Citation, commencement, extent, transitional provisions and savings

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Overseas electors

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- 2. Introduction to Chapter 1
- 3. Amendment of Part 1 (general, interpretation and miscellaneous)
- 4. Amendment of Part 2 (service and overseas electors' declarations)
- 5. Amendment of Part 3 (registration)
- 6. Amendment of Part 4 (absent voters)

#### **CHAPTER 2**

Amendment of the Representation of the People (Scotland) Regulations 2001

- 7. Introduction to Chapter 2
- 8. Amendment of Part 1 (general, interpretation and miscellaneous)

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- 9. Amendment of Part 2 (service and overseas electors' declarations)
- 10. Amendment of Part 3 (registration)
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- 14. Amendment of the Voter Identification Regulations 2022

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**Explanatory Note**