#### WELSH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

# 2008 No. 1890 (W.179)

# WELSH LANGUAGE

The Welsh Language Schemes (Public Bodies) Order 2008

Made - - - - 16 July 2008
Laid before the National
Assembly for Wales - - 17 July 2008
Coming into force - - 11 August 2008

The Welsh Ministers, in exercise of the powers conferred on the Secretary of State by section 6(1) of the Welsh Language Act 1993(1) and now vested in them(2) hereby make the following Order:

## Title and commencement

1. This Order is called the Welsh Language Schemes (Public Bodies) Order 2008 and comes into force on 11 August 2008.

### **Specification of Public Bodies**

**2.** The persons referred to in the Schedule to this Order are specified for the purposes of Part II of the Welsh Language Act 1993.

16 July 2008

Rhodri Glyn Thomas Minister for Heritage, one of the Welsh Ministers

<sup>(1) 1993 (</sup>c. 38).

<sup>(2)</sup> The functions of the Secretary of State were transferred, in relation to Wales, to the National Assembly for Wales by the National Assembly for Wales (Transfer of Functions) Order 1999 (S.I. 1999/672), see the reference to the Welsh Language Act 1993 in Schedule 1. By virtue of section 162 of, and paragraph 30 of Schedule 11 to, the Government of Wales Act 2006 (c. 32) those functions are exercisable by the Welsh Ministers.

#### THE SCHEDULE

Article 2

#### English name or description

Auditor General for Wales

National Policing Improvement Agency

Security Industry Authority

Olympic Delivery Authority

Bank of England

**Independent Police Complaints Commission** 

**Competition Commission** 

Sustainable Development Commission

**Electoral Commission** 

**Gambling Commission** 

National Lottery Commission

Sector Skills Councils

General Chiropractic Council

**UK Sports Council** 

Consumer Council for Water

Welsh Books Council

General Optical Council

General Osteopathic Council

**British Council** 

Council for the Regulation of Health Care Professionals

Finance Wales p.l.c.

Royal Pharmaceutical Society of Great Britain

**FFORWM** 

Big Lottery Fund

Royal Mail Group p.l.c.

National Endowment for Science, Technology and the Arts

Pensions Regulator

Community Development Foundation

Office of Communications

Special Educational Needs Tribunal for Wales

Local Government Data Unit — Wales

The Energy Saving Trust Limited

The Carbon Trust

#### **EXPLANATORY NOTE**

(This note is not part of the Order)

Under Part II of the Welsh Language Act 1993 ("the Act") the Welsh Language Board may give notice in writing to any public body to produce a Welsh Language Scheme. Section 6 of the Act lists various public bodies for the purposes of Part II of the Act and provides that the Secretary of State (now the Welsh Ministers) may specify further public bodies for those purposes.

This Order specifies further public bodies for the purposes of Part II of the Act.

Five previous Orders have been made under section 6 of the Act:

The Welsh Language Schemes (Public Bodies) Order 1996 (S.I.1996/1898);

The Welsh Language Schemes (Public Bodies) Order 1999 (S.I. 1999/1100);

The Welsh Language Schemes (Public Bodies) Order 2001 (S.I. 2001/2550 (W.215));

The Welsh Language Schemes (Public Bodies) Order 2002 (S.I. 2002/1441 (W.145)); and

The Welsh Language Schemes (Public Bodies) Order 2004 (S.I. 2004/71 (W.7)).