## WELSH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

## 2022 No. 1166

## The Renting Homes (Wales) Act 2016 (Consequential Amendments) Regulations 2022

## **Housing and Regeneration Act 2008**

- **29.**—(1) The Housing and Regeneration Act 2008(1) is amended as follows.
- (2) In section 149(2) (exempted disposals), after subsection (8), insert—
  - "(9) Exception 7 is a letting under an occupation contract (within the meaning of section 7 of the Renting Homes (Wales) Act 2016 (anaw 1)) in respect of a dwelling in Wales."
- (3) In section 153 (proposals: procedure)—
  - (a) in subsection (1)(3), in paragraph (b), after "(so far as is reasonably practicable)", insert "or its contract-holders (so far as is reasonably practicable),";
  - (b) in subsection (3), in paragraph (b), after "its tenants", insert "or contract-holders";
  - (c) in subsection (7), in paragraph (b), after "its tenants", insert "or contract-holders".
- (4) In section 275(4) (general), insert at the appropriate places in alphabetical order—
  - ""contract-holder" has the meaning given in section 7 (see also section 48) of the Renting Homes (Wales) Act 2016 (anaw 1),";
  - ""occupation contract" has the meaning given in section 7 of the Renting Homes (Wales) Act 2016,".
- (5) In section 276(5) (index of defined terms) in the Table, insert at the appropriate places in alphabetical order—

"Contract-holder	Section 275"
"Occupation contract	Section 275"

<sup>(1) 2008</sup> c. 17.

<sup>(2)</sup> There are amendments to section 149 which are not relevant to these Regulations.

<sup>(3)</sup> Section 153(1) was amended by section 151(1) of and paragraphs 121 and 122 of Part 2 of Schedule 4 to the Co-operative and Community Benefit Societies Act 2014 (c. 14) and article 2(c) of and paragraph 8 of Schedule 11 to the Financial Services Act 2012 (Mutual Societies) Order 2013 (S.I. 2013/496).

<sup>(4)</sup> There are amendments to section 275 which are not relevant to these Regulations.

<sup>(5)</sup> There are amendments to section 276 which are not relevant to these Regulations.