



Regulation of Investigatory Powers Act 2000

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PART I

COMMUNICATIONS

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INTERCEPTION

Interception capability and costs

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- (1) It shall be the duty of the Secretary of State to ensure that such arrangements are in force as are necessary for securing that a person who provides—
 - (a) a postal service, or
 - (b) a telecommunications service,receives such contribution as is, in the circumstances of that person's case, a fair contribution towards the costs incurred, or likely to be incurred, by that person in consequence of the matters mentioned in subsection (2).
- (2) Those matters are—
 - (a) in relation to a person providing a postal service, the issue of interception warrants relating to communications transmitted by means of that postal service;
 - (b) in relation to a person providing a telecommunications service, the issue of interception warrants relating to communications transmitted by means of a telecommunication system used for the purposes of that service;

Status: This is the original version (as it was originally enacted).

- (c) in relation to each description of person, the imposition on that person of obligations provided for by an order under section 12.
- (3) For the purpose of complying with his duty under this section, the Secretary of State may make arrangements for payments to be made out of money provided by Parliament.