



# Data Protection Act 2018

## 2018 CHAPTER 12

### PART 7

#### SUPPLEMENTARY AND FINAL PROVISION

##### *Final*

#### **212 Commencement**

- (1) Except as provided by subsections (2) and (3), this Act comes into force on such day as the Secretary of State may by regulations appoint.
- (2) This section and the following provisions come into force on the day on which this Act is passed—
  - (a) sections 1 and 3;
  - (b) section 182;
  - (c) sections 204, 205 and 206;
  - (d) sections 209 and 210;
  - (e) sections 213(2), 214 and 215;
  - (f) any other provision of this Act so far as it confers power to make regulations or Tribunal Procedure Rules or is otherwise necessary for enabling the exercise of such a power on or after the day on which this Act is passed.
- (3) The following provisions come into force at the end of the period of 2 months beginning when this Act is passed—
  - (a) section 124;
  - (b) sections 125, 126 and 127, so far as they relate to a code prepared under section 124;
  - (c) section 177;
  - (d) section 178 and Schedule 17;
  - (e) section 179.
- (4) Regulations under this section may make different provision for different areas.