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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**2005 No. 1119 (C.48 )**

**DEFENCE**

The Armed Forces Act 1996  
(Commencement No. 5) Order 2005

Made - - - -

6 April 2005

The Secretary of State, in exercise of the powers conferred upon him by section 36(2) of the Armed Forces Act 1996<sup>(1)</sup> hereby makes the following Order:

1. This Order may be cited as the Armed Forces Act 1996 (Commencement No. 5) Order 2005.
2. Section 35 of and Schedule 7 to the Armed Forces Act 1996, so far as not already in force, shall come into force on 29 April 2005.

6 April 2005

*Ivor Caplin*  
Parliamentary Under Secretary of State Ministry  
of Defence

**Status:** This is the original version (as it was originally made). This item of legislation is currently only available in its original format.

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## EXPLANATORY NOTE

*(This note is not part of the Order)*

This Order brings into force those repeals in Schedule 7 to the Armed Forces Act 1996 which are not already in force. The effect is to bring into force the repeal of section 46 of the Mental Health Act 1983<sup>(2)</sup>, section 69 of the Mental Health (Scotland) Act 1984<sup>(3)</sup> and Article 52 of the Mental Health (Northern Ireland) Order 1986<sup>(4)</sup>.

## NOTE AS TO EARLIER COMMENCEMENT ORDERS

*(This note is not part of the Order)*

The following provisions of the Act have been brought into force by commencement order made before the date of this Order:

Provision	Date of Commencement	S.I. No.
ss.2, 6 and 7, 11 to 14, 18 and 19, 30 to 33, 35, Sch.4, Sch.6 (partially) and Sch.7 (partially)	1.10.1996	1996/2474 (c. 65)
ss.5, 9, 10, 15 to 17, 28, 29, 35 (partially), Sch.1, Sch.3, Sch.5, Sch.6 (so far as not already in force) and Sch.7 (partially)	1.4.1997	1997/304 (c. 14)
ss.20 to 27	1.10.1997	1997/2164 (c. 85)
ss.3 and 4 and (partially) s.35 and Sch.7	1.5.2001	2001/1519 (c. 54)

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<sup>(2)</sup> 1983 c. 20.

<sup>(3)</sup> 1984 c. 36.

<sup>(4)</sup> S.I. 1986/595 (NI 4).