



Local Government Act 1972

1972 CHAPTER 70

PART VI

DISCHARGE OF FUNCTIONS

103 Expenses of joint committees.

The expenses incurred by a joint committee of two or more local authorities whether appointed or established under this Part of this Act or any other enactment shall be defrayed by those authorities in such proportions as they may agree or in case of disagreement as may be determined—

- (a) in any case in which those authorities are the councils of parishes [^{F1}or groups of parishes] situated in the same district, by the district council;
- [^{F2}(aa) in any case in which those authorities are the councils of communities or groups of communities situated in the same principal area, by the council of that area;] and
- (b) in any other case, by a single arbitrator agreed on by the appointing authorities or, in default of agreement, appointed by the Secretary of State.

Textual Amendments

- F1** Words in s. 103(a) substituted (1.4.1996) by 1994 c. 19, s. 66(5), **Sch. 15 para. 27** (with ss. 54(5)(7), 55(5), Sch. 17 paras. 22(1), 23(2)); S.I. 1996/396, art. 4, **Sch. 2**
- F2** S. 103(aa) inserted (1.4.1996) by 1994 c. 19, s. 66(5), **Sch. 15 para. 27** (with ss. 54(5)(7), 55(5), Sch. 17 paras. 22(1), 23(2)); S.I. 1996/396, art. 4, **Sch. 2**

Modifications etc. (not altering text)

- C1** S. 103 applied (28.3.2008) by **The Bedfordshire (Structural Changes) Order 2008** (S.I. 2008/907), **art. 20(6)**
- C2** S. 103 applied (5.3.2008) by **The Cheshire (Structural Changes) Order 2008** (S.I. 2008/634), **art. 9(8)**
- C3** Ss. 101-106 applied (with modifications)(20.11.1996) by S.I. 1996/2912, art. 2, **Sch. para. 20(1)**; S.I. 1996/2916, art. 2, **Sch. para. 20(1)**; S.I. 1996/2917, art. 2, **Sch. para. 20(1)**; S.I. 1996/2918, art. 2, **Sch. para. 20(1)**; S.I. 1996/2919, art. 2, **Sch. para. 20(1)**; S.I. 1996/2920, art. 2, **Sch. para. 20(1)**; S.I.

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- 1996/2921, art. 2, **Sch. para. 20(1)**; S.I. 1996/2922, art. 2, **Sch. para. 20(1)**; S.I. 1996/2923, art. 2, **Sch. para. 20(1)**; S.I. 1996/2924, art. 2, **Sch. para. 20(1)**
- Ss. 101-106 applied (with modifications)(11.12.1995) by S.I. 1995/3218, art. 2, **Sch. para. 20(1)**; S.I. 1995/3229, art. 2, **Sch. para. 20(1)**; S.I. 1995/3230, art. 2, **Sch. para. 20(1)**
- Ss. 101-106 applied (with modifications)(5.12.1995) by S.I. 1995/3127, art. 2, **Sch. para. 20(1)**; S.I. 1995/3132, art. 2, **Sch. para. 20(1)**; S.I. 1995/3133, art. 2, **Sch. para. 20(1)**
- Ss. 101-106 extended (19.9.1995) by 1995 c. 25, ss. 63(5), 125(2), **Sch. 7 para. 13(1)** (with ss. 7(6), 115, 117, **Sch. 8 para. 7**)
- S. 103 applied (12.4.1994 with effect between the establishment date and the reorganisation date) by S.I. 1994/867, **reg. 11(6)**
- Ss. 103-106 applied (*temp.* from 4.5.1995 to 31.3.1996) by S.I. 1995/1042, **art. 4(1)**
- S. 103 modified (8.5.2000) by 1999 c. 29, **s. 39(1)(2)(4)** (with **Sch. 12 para. 9(1)**); S.I. 2000/801, art. 2(2)(b), **Sch. Pt. 2**
- S. 103 modified (8.5.2000) by 1999 c. 29, s. 154(4), **Sch. 10 para. 9(1)(c)** (with **Sch. 12 para. 9(1)**); S.I. 2000/801, art. 2(2)(b), **Sch. Pt. 2**
- C4** Ss. 101-104 applied (22.7.2004) by The Cotswolds Area of Outstanding Natural Beauty (Establishment of Conservation Board) Order 2004 (S.I. 2004/1777), **art. 17(1)**
- Ss. 101-104 applied (22.7.2004) by The Chilterns Area of Outstanding Natural Beauty (Establishment of Conservation Board) Order 2004 (S.I. 2004/1778), **art. 17(1)**
- C5** S. 103 applied (with modifications) (20.11.2006) by The Devon and Somerset Fire and Rescue Authority (Combination Scheme) Order 2006 (S.I. 2006/2790), art. 2, **Sch. para. 15**
- C6** S. 103 excluded (12.11.2009 for certain purposes and otherwise prosp.) by Marine and Coastal Access Act 2009 (c. 23), **ss. 180(3), 324(1)(c)(3)** (with ss. 172(3), 185)
- C7** S. 103 excluded (1.10.2010) by Marine and Coastal Access Act 2009 (c. 23), **ss. 180(3), 324(3)** (with ss. 172(3), 185); S.I. 2010/2195, art. 3(2)(h)
- C8** Ss. 101-106 applied (with modifications) (E.) (24.3.2011) by The Hull and Goole Port Health Authority Order 2011 (S.I. 2011/939), arts. 1(1), 7, **Sch. 1**
- C9** S. 103 applied (with modifications) (22.11.2012) by The Police and Crime Panels (Application of Local Authority Enactments) Regulations 2012 (S.I. 2012/2734), regs. 1(1), 3-6, **Sch. Pt. 3**
- C10** S. 103 applied (with modifications) (22.11.2012) by The Police and Crime Panels (Application of Local Authority Enactments) Regulations 2012 (S.I. 2012/2734), regs. 1(1), 3-6, **Sch. Pt. 2**
- C11** Ss. 101-103 applied (with modifications) (1.4.2015) by The Dorset and Wiltshire Fire and Rescue Authority (Combination Scheme) Order 2015 (S.I. 2015/435), art. 1(2), **Sch. para. 17**
- C12** S. 103 applied (25.5.2018) by The East Suffolk (Local Government Changes) Order 2018 (S.I. 2018/640), arts. 1, **17(1) Table**
- C13** S. 103 applied (25.5.2018) by The West Suffolk (Local Government Changes) Order 2018 (S.I. 2018/639), arts. 1, **17(1) Table**
- C14** S. 103 applied (26.5.2018) by The Somerset West and Taunton (Local Government Changes) Order 2018 (S.I. 2018/649), arts. 1, **17(1) Table**
- C15** S. 103 applied (26.5.2018) by The Bournemouth, Dorset and Poole (Structural Changes) Order 2018 (S.I. 2018/648), arts. 1, **21(1)**
- C16** S. 103 applied (26.5.2018) by The Bournemouth, Dorset and Poole (Structural Changes) Order 2018 (S.I. 2018/648), arts. 1, **36(1)**
- C17** S. 103 applied (23.5.2019) by The Buckinghamshire (Structural Changes) Order 2019 (S.I. 2019/957), arts. 1, **15(1)**
- C18** S. 103 applied (14.2.2020) by The Northamptonshire (Structural Changes) Order 2020 (S.I. 2020/156), arts. 1, **17(1)**

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