



Elections Act 2001

2001 CHAPTER 7

General

6 Compensation **U.K.**

- (1) The Secretary of State may—
 - (a) make a scheme for compensating any local authority which, or candidate who, incurs additional expenditure as a result of any provision of, or made under, this Act, and
 - (b) make payments in accordance with the scheme.
- (2) Claims for compensation must be made in accordance with the scheme.
- (3) The scheme may provide that in the case of a candidate for a registered political party any payment of compensation may be made to that party rather than to the candidate.
- (4) The Secretary of State's expenditure under this section is to be paid out of money provided by Parliament.
- (5) "Registered political party" has such meaning as may be specified in the scheme.

7 Consequential provision **U.K.**

- (1) The Secretary of State may by order make such consequential, transitional or supplemental provision as he considers appropriate as a result of any provision of, or made under, this Act.
- (2) An order may, in particular, amend any provision of, or made under, an enactment or modify the application of such a provision.
- (3) The power to make an order is exercisable by statutory instrument.
- (4) A statutory instrument made under this section is subject to annulment in pursuance of a resolution of either House of Parliament.

Changes to legislation: *There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Elections Act 2001, Cross Heading: General. (See end of Document for details)*

8 Short Title **U.K.**

This Act may be cited as the Elections Act 2001.

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