



Riot Compensation Act 2016

2016 CHAPTER 8

The decision-maker

5 Transfer of claims to the Secretary of State

- (1) The Secretary of State may direct a local policing body to transfer to the Secretary of State either or both of the following functions—
 - (a) dealing with procedural matters on a claim;
 - (b) making a decision on a claim.
- (2) A direction under this section may relate to—
 - (a) all claims to the local policing body (whether made before or after the time of the direction), or
 - (b) claims of a particular description.
- (3) The Secretary of State may make a direction only if—
 - (a) riots have occurred in two or more police areas at or about the same time,
 - (b) a riot has moved from one police area to another, or
 - (c) a local policing body has requested the Secretary of State to make a direction in respect of claims that have been or may be made to it.
- (4) Before making a direction in the circumstances described in subsection (3)(a) or (b), the Secretary of State must consult all local policing bodies that may be affected by the direction.
- (5) The Secretary of State must publish a direction made under this section.

Commencement Information

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Changes to legislation:

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Riot Compensation Act 2016, Section 5.