



Levelling-up and Regeneration Act 2023

2023 CHAPTER 55

PART 2 **E+W**

LOCAL DEMOCRACY AND DEVOLUTION

CHAPTER 1 **E+W**

COMBINED COUNTY AUTHORITIES

CCAs and their areas

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- (1) The Secretary of State may by regulations establish as a body corporate a combined county authority (a “CCA”) for an area that meets the following conditions.
- (2) Condition A is that the area is wholly within England and consists of—
 - (a) the whole of the area of a two-tier county council, and
 - (b) the whole of one or more of—
 - (i) the area of a two-tier county council,
 - (ii) the area of a unitary county council, or
 - (iii) the area of a unitary district council.
- (3) Condition B is that no part of the area forms part of—
 - (a) the area of another CCA,
 - (b) the area of a combined authority, or
 - (c) the integrated transport area of an Integrated Transport Authority.
- (4) Regulations under subsection (1) must specify the name by which the CCA is to be known.
- (5) In this Chapter—

Changes to legislation: There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Levelling-up and Regeneration Act 2023, Cross Heading: CCAs and their areas. (See end of Document for details)

“combined authority” means a combined authority established under section 103(1) of the Local Democracy, Economic Development and Construction Act 2009;

“economic prosperity board” means an economic prosperity board established under section 88(1) of that Act;

“Integrated Transport Authority” means an Integrated Transport Authority for an integrated transport area;

“two-tier county council” means a county council whose area includes the areas of district councils;

“unitary county council” means a county council whose area does not include the areas of district councils;

“unitary district council” means a district council whose area does not form part of the area of a county council.

Commencement Information

II [S. 9](#) in force at 26.12.2023, see [s. 255\(2\)\(c\)](#)

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