1980 No. 43

LOCAL GOVERNMENT, ENGLAND AND WALES The District of Forest of Dean (Electoral Arrangements) Order 1980

Made - - - 15th January 1980

Coming into operation in accordance with Article 2

Whereas in pursuance of section 51(1) of the Local Government Act 1972(a), the Local Government Boundary Commission for England on 7th November 1979 submitted proposals for the future electoral arrangements for the District of Forest of Dean:

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred upon me by sections 51(2) and 67 of the said Act, I hereby make the following Order:—

- 1. This Order may be cited as the District of Forest of Dean (Electoral Arrangements) Order 1980.
- 2. This Order shall come into operation on 5th May 1983 provided that for the purpose of all proceedings preliminary or relating to an election to be held on or after that day the said Order shall come into operation on 10th October 1982.
- 3.—(1) The existing wards of the District of Forest of Dean shall be abolished and the said district shall be divided into twenty-eight wards which shall bear the names set out in column 1 of the Schedule to this Order, and each such ward shall comprise the existing areas specified opposite thereto in column 2 of the said Schedule.
- (2) The number of councillors to be elected for each such ward shall be the number specified in column 3 of the said Schedule opposite to the name of the ward as given in column 1 of that Schedule.
- 4. The ordinary elections of all councillors for the District of Forest of Dean shall be held simultaneously on the ordinary day of election of non-metropolitan district councillors in 1983 and every fourth year thereafter.

W. S. I. Whitelaw,
One of Her Majesty's Principal
Secretaries of State.

Home Office. 15th January 1980.

Article 3. SCHEDULE

Names and Areas of and Numbers of Councillors for New Wards

Name of New Ward	2 Area of New Ward	3 Number of Councillors
Alvington and Aylburton	The parishes of Alvington and Aylburton	1
Awre	The parish of Awre	1
Blaisdon and Longhope	The parishes of Blaisdon and Longhope	1
Bream	The Bream ward of the parish of West Dean	2
Broadwell	The Broadwell ward of the parish of West Dean	3
Churcham and Huntley	The parishes of Churcham and Huntley	1
Cinderford	The parish of Cinderford	5
Coleford	The parish of Coleford	3
Drybrook	The parish of Drybrook	2
Dymock and Kempley	The parishes of Dymock and Kempley	1
Hartpury	The parishes of Corse, Hartpury and Upleadon	1
Hewelsfield and St. Briavels	The parishes of Hewelsfield and St. Briavels	1
Littledean	The parish of Littledean	1
Lydbrook	The parish of Lydbrook	2
Lydney	The parish of Lydney	5
Mitcheldean	The parish of Mitcheldean	2
Newent and Oxenhall	The parish of Oxenhall and the North East and South West wards of the parish of Newent	1
Newent Central	The Central ward of the parish of Newent	2
Newland	The parishes of English Bicknor, Newland and Staunton Coleford	1
Newnham	The parish of Newnham	1
Pillowell	The Pillowell ward of the parish of West Dean	2

SCHEDULE—(Continued)

1 Name of New Ward	ŀ	2 Area of New Ward	3 Number of Councillors
Redmarley	•••	The parishes of Bromsberrow, Pauntley, Redmarley D'Abitot and Staunton	1
Ruardean	•••	The parish of Ruardean	1
Ruspidge		The parish of Ruspidge	2
Tibberton	•••	The parishes of Rudford and High- leadon, Taynton and Tibberton	1
Tidenham	•••	The parish of Tidenham	3
Westbury-on-Severn	•••	The parish of Westbury-on-Severn	1
Woolaston		The parish of Woolaston	1