

NOTE AS TO EARLIER COMMENCEMENT ORDERS

(This note is not part of the Order)

This Order has been preceded by one earlier Order, entitled the Human Fertilisation and Embryology Act 1990 (Commencement No. 1) Order 1990 ([S.I. 1990/2165](#)), made on 2nd November 1990. That Order brought into force on 7th November 1990 the provisions of the Human Fertilisation and Embryology Act 1990 set out in the following Table.

TABLE

Provisions of the Human Fertilisation and Embryology Act 1990 brought into force on 7th November 1990 by [S.I. 1990/2165](#)

Column 1 Provision of the Act	Column 2 Subject Matter
Section 2(1) (psrtially)	Interpretation of certain terms
Section 5	The Human Fertilisation and Embryology Authority
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Section 33(1), (2)(b) and (4)	Restrictions on disclosure of information
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Section 40	Power to enter premises
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Section 49(1), (2), (6) and (7)	Short title, commencement etc.
Schedule 1	The Authority: Supplementary Provisions