
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1994 No. 2025

The Police and Magistrates' Courts Act 1994 (Commencement No. 1 and Transitional Provisions) Order 1994

Interpretation

2.—(1) In this Order—

“the 1964 Act” means the Police Act 1964⁽¹⁾;

“the 1994 Act” means the Police and Magistrates' Courts Act 1994, and

“the new police authorities” means the police authorities to be established under section 3 of the 1964 Act (as substituted by section 2 of the 1994 Act) and “the old police authorities” means the police authorities which they are to supersede.

(2) In this Order the period of co-existence of an old and new police authority is the period—

(a) beginning with the date on which a new police authority comes into existence or 1st October 1994, whichever is the later, and

(b) ending immediately before 1st April 1995.

(3) For the purposes of this Order, a new police authority shall be deemed to come into existence when appointments to it have been made under paragraph 5 of Schedule 1B to the 1964 Act⁽²⁾.

(1) 1964 c. 48.

(2) Schedule 1B was inserted by section 3(2) of, and Schedule 2 to, the 1994 Act.