
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1996 No. 509 (C. 9)

SHIPBUILDING INDUSTRY

The Statute Law (Repeals) Act
1993 (Commencement) Order 1996

Made - - - - *1st March 1996*

Coming into force - - *1st April 1996*

The Lord Chancellor, in exercise of the powers conferred on him by section 4(3) of the Statute Law (Repeals) Act 1993⁽¹⁾, hereby makes the following Order:—

Citation

1. This Order may be cited as the Statute Law (Repeals) Act 1993 (Commencement) Order 1996.

Appointed Day

2. The repeal by section 1 of, and Schedule 1 to, the Statute Law (Repeals) Act 1993 of—
 - (a) the Shipbuilding (Redundancy Payments) Act 1978⁽²⁾; and
 - (b) section 1 of the Shipbuilding Act 1985⁽³⁾,

shall come into force on 1st April 1996.

Dated 1st March 1996

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(1) 1993 c. 50.
(2) 1978 c. 11.
(3) 1985 c. 14.

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EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Order)

This Order brings into force the repeal of the Shipbuilding (Redundancy Payments) Act 1978 (“the 1978 Act”) and of section 1 of the Shipbuilding Act 1985 (“the 1985 Act”) by section 1(1) of, and Schedule 1 (Part IX, Group 1) to, the Statute Law (Repeals) Act 1993 (“the 1993 Act”). The purpose of the 1978 Act was to provide, for a limited period, schemes to alleviate the hardship caused to redundant employees of British shipbuilders by the contraction of the international shipping market. Section 1 of the 1985 Act extended the period by which schemes under the 1978 Act were to have effect. The legislation is now spent; the schemes have expired and have been replaced by non-statutory schemes.

Section 4(3) of the 1993 Act made provision for the repeal of the 1978 Act and of section 1 of the 1985 Act to come into force on a day to be appointed by the Lord Chancellor. This Order, made pursuant to section 4(3) of the 1993 Act, provides for 1st April 1996 to be the appointed day.