
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1997 No. 264

The London Underground (East
London Line Extension) Order 1997

PART III

ACQUISITION AND POSSESSION OF LAND

Supplementary

Time limit for exercise of powers of acquisition

25.—(1) The powers conferred by this Order to acquire land or rights over land compulsorily, and the power conferred by article 21 above to enter upon and take temporary possession of land, shall cease at the end of the period of 5 years beginning on the day on which this Order comes into force.

(2) Paragraph (1) above shall not prevent the Company remaining in possession of land in accordance with article 21 above after the end of that period, if the land was entered and possession of it was taken before the end of that period.