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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**1997 No. 306**

The Reserve Forces Act 1996 (Transitional,  
Consequential and Saving Provisions) Regulations 1997

**Amendment of provisions of the 1980 Act**

**21.** After section 42 of the 1980 Act there shall be inserted—

**“Application of section 23 of the Reserve Forces Act 1996**

**42A.** Section 23 of the Reserve Forces Act 1996 (power to exempt persons from or relax training obligations) shall apply to persons to whom this Act applies other than members of the Royal Naval Reserve or the Royal Fleet Reserve as if in section 23 for the words “section 22” wherever they appear there were substituted the words “the Reserve Forces Act 1980”.