
S T A T U T O R Y I N S T R U M E N T S

1999 No. 3009**JUSTICES OF THE PEACE, ENGLAND AND WALES****The Petty Sessions Areas Order 1999**

Made - - - - - *3rd November 1999*

Coming into force - - - *1st December 1999*

The Lord Chancellor, in exercise of the powers conferred on him by section 4 of the Justices of the Peace Act 1997^(a) and paragraph 20 of Schedule 14 to the Access to Justice Act 1999^(b), makes the following Order:

Citation and commencement

1. This Order may be cited as the Petty Sessions Areas Order 1999 and shall come into force on 1st December 1999.

Petty sessions areas

2.—(1) Each of the petty sessions areas specified in column 1 of Part I of the Schedule to this Order is a petty sessions area in England which comprises or is part of the magistrates' courts committee area shown in column 2 of Part I of the Schedule to this Order.

(2) Each of the petty sessions areas specified in column 1 of Part II of the Schedule to this Order is a petty sessions area in Wales which comprises or is part of the magistrates' courts committee area shown in column 2 of Part II of the Schedule to this Order.

(3) The petty sessions areas specified in the Schedule to this Order are also shown on a map of petty sessions areas in England and Wales kept by the Lord Chancellor's Department.

Signed by the authority of the Lord Chancellor

3rd November 1999

Jane Kennedy
Parliamentary Secretary
Lord Chancellor's Department

(a) 1997 c. 25. A new version of section 4 is substituted by section 75 of the Access to Justice Act 1999 (c. 22). This is the first order under the substituted section 4.

(b) 1999 c. 22.

SCHEDULE

Article 2

Part I Petty sessions areas in England

<i>Column 1</i> <i>Petty sessions area</i>	<i>Column 2</i> <i>Magistrates' courts committee area</i>
Bath and Wansdyke Bristol North Avon Woodspring	AVON
Barking	BARKING AND DAGENHAM
Barnet	BARNET
Barnsley District	BARNESLEY
Amphill Bedford Biggleswade Dunstable Leighton Buzzard Luton	BEDFORDSHIRE
Bexley	BEXLEY
Brent	BRENT
Bromley	BROMLEY
Calderdale	CALDERDALE
Cambridge East Cambridgeshire Fenland Huntingdonshire Peterborough	CAMBRIDGESHIRE
Chester Ellesmere Port and Neston Halton Macclesfield South Cheshire Vale Royal Warrington	CESHIRE
City of London (The Justice Rooms)	CITY OF LONDON
Hartlepool Langbaugh East Teesside	CLEVELAND
Croydon	CROYDON
Appleby Carlisle Furness and District Kendal and Lonsdale Keswick Penrith and Alston South Lakes West Allerdale Whitehaven Wigton	CUMBRIA
Chesterfield Derby and South Derbyshire East Derbyshire Glossop High Peak West Derbyshire	DERBYSHIRE

<i>Column 1</i> <i>Petty sessions area</i>	<i>Column 2</i> <i>Magistrates' courts committee area</i>
Axminster and Honiton Barnstaple and South Molton Bideford and Great Torrington Bodmin Cullompton Dunheved and Stratton East Penwith East Powder Exeter and Wonford Exmouth Falmouth and Kerrier Isles of Scilly Penwith Plymouth Pydar Teignbridge Tiverton Torbay Truro and South Powder South East Cornwall South Hams West Devon	DEVON AND CORNWALL
Doncaster	DONCASTER
Bournemouth and Christchurch Central Dorset Poole West Dorset Weymouth and Portland	DORSET
Chester-le-Street Darlington Derwentside Durham Easington Sedgefield Teesdale and Wear Valley	DURHAM
Ealing	EALING
Brighton and Hove Eastbourne and Hailsham Hastings and Rother Lewes and Crowborough	EAST SUSSEX
Enfield	ENFIELD
Basildon Braintree and Halstead Brentwood Chelmsford Colchester Dunmow and Saffron Walden Epping and Ongar Harlow Harwich Maldon and Witham Rochford and Southend-on-Sea Tendring Thurrock	ESSEX
Gateshead District	GATESHEAD
Cirencester, Fairford and Tetbury Forest of Dean Gloucester North Gloucestershire South Gloucestershire	GLOUCESTERSHIRE

<i>Column 1</i> <i>Petty sessions area</i>	<i>Column 2</i> <i>Magistrates' courts committee area</i>
New Forest North East Hampshire North West Hampshire South East Hampshire South Hampshire Southampton	HAMPSHIRE
Haringey	HARINGEY
Harrow Gore	HARROW
Havering	HAVERING
Bromsgrove and Redditch Herefordshire Severnminster South Worcestershire	HEREFORD AND WORCESTER
Dacorum East Hertfordshire Mid Hertfordshire North Hertfordshire St. Albans Watford	HERTFORDSHIRE
Hillingdon	HILLINGDON
Hounslow	HOUNSLOW
Bainton, Wilton and Holme Beacon Beverley Dickering and North Holderness Goole and Howdenshire Grimsby and Cleethorpes Kingston-upon-Hull North Lincolnshire South and Middle Holderness South Hunsley Beacon	HUMBERSIDE
East Central North Westminster South Central South Eastern South Western South Westminster Thames West London	INNER LONDON
Isle of Wight	ISLE OF WIGHT
Canterbury and St. Augustine Channel Dartford Faversham and Sittingbourne Gravesham Medway Mid Kent Thanet West Kent	KENT
Kingston upon Thames	KINGSTON UPON THAMES
Blackburn, Darwen and Ribble Valley Blackpool and Fylde Burnley and Pendle Chorley Hyndburn Lancaster Ormskirk Preston Rossendale South Ribble Wyre	LANCASHIRE

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Leeds Morley Pudsey and Otley Skyrack and Wetherby	LEEDS
Ashby-de-la-Zouche Leicester Loughborough Market Bosworth Market Harborough and Lutterworth Melton, Belvoir and Rutland	LEICESTERSHIRE
Boston Bourne and Stamford Elloes Gainsborough Grantham Lincoln District Skegness Sleaford Wolds	LINCOLNSHIRE
Manchester	MANCHESTER
Knowsley Liverpool North Sefton District St. Helens South Sefton District Wirral	MERSEYSIDE
Merton	MERTON
Newcastle upon Tyne District	NEWCASTLE UPON TYNE
Newham	NEWHAM
Central Norfolk Great Yarmouth North Norfolk Norwich South Norfolk West Norfolk	NORFOLK
Corby Daventry Kettering Northampton Towcester Wellingborough	NORTHAMPTONSHIRE
Alnwick Berwick-upon-Tweed South East Northumberland Tynedale	NORTHUMBERLAND
Bolton Bury City of Salford Leigh Rochdale, Middleton and Heywood Wigan	NORTH AND WEST GREATER MANCHESTER
North Tyneside District	NORTH TYNESIDE
Harrogate Northallerton and Richmond Scarborough Selby Skipton York	NORTH YORKSHIRE

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East Retford Mansfield Newark and Southwell Nottingham Worksop	NOTTINGHAMSHIRE
Oldham	OLDHAM
Redbridge	REDBRIDGE
Richmond upon Thames	RICHMOND UPON THAMES
Rotherham	ROTHERHAM
Sheffield	SHEFFIELD
Bridgnorth Drayton Ludlow Oswestry Shrewsbury Telford	SHROPSHIRE
Mendip Sedgemoor South Somerset Taunton Deane West Somerset	SOMERSET
South Tyneside District	SOUTH TYNESIDE
Burton upon Trent Cannock Lichfield Mid Staffordshire Newcastle-under-Lyme and Pirehill North Rugeley Seisdon Staffordshire Moorlands Stoke-on-Trent Tamworth	STAFFORDSHIRE
Stockport	STOCKPORT
Deben Haverhill and Sudbury Ipswich North East Suffolk North West Suffolk St. Edmundsbury and Stowmarket	SUFFOLK
Houghton-le-Spring Sunderland	SUNDERLAND
North and East Surrey North West Surrey South East Surrey South West Surrey	SURREY
Sutton	SUTTON
Tameside	TAMESIDE
Central Buckinghamshire East Berkshire Milton Keynes Northern Oxfordshire Oxford Reading Southern Oxfordshire West Berkshire Wycombe and Beaconsfield	THAMES VALLEY
Trafford	TRAFFORD
Waltham Forest	WALTHAM FOREST

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Atherstone and Coleshill Mid Warwickshire Nuneaton Rugby South Warwickshire	WARWICKSHIRE
Aldridge and Brownhills Birmingham Coventry District Dudley Solihull Stourbridge and Halesowen Sutton Coldfield Walsall Warley West Bromwich Wolverhampton	WEST MIDLANDS
Bradford Batley and Dewsbury Huddersfield Keighley Pontefract Wakefield	WEST RIDING
Arundel Chichester and District Crawley Horsham Mid Sussex Worthing and District	WEST SUSSEX
Kennet North Wiltshire Salisbury Swindon West Wiltshire	WILTSHIRE

Part II Petty sessions areas in Wales

<i>Column 1</i> <i>Petty sessions area</i>	<i>Column 2</i> <i>Magistrates' courts committee area</i>
Carmarthen Ceredigion Dinefwr Llanelli North Pembrokeshire South Pembrokeshire	DYFED
Bedwellty East Gwent Lower Rhymney Valley Newport Upper Rhymney Valley	GWENT
Aberconwy Arfon Colwyn Denbighshire Dwyfor Flintshire Meirionnydd Wrexham Maelor Ynys Môn/Anglesey	NORTH WALES
De Breycheiniog De Maldwyn Radnorshire and North Brecknock Welshpool	POWYS
Cardiff Cynon Valley Merthyr Tydfil Miskin Newcastle and Ogmore Vale of Glamorgan	SOUTH WALES
Neath Port Talbot Swansea County	WEST GLAMORGAN

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Order)

This is the first Order made under section 4 of the Justices of the Peace Act 1997 as substituted by section 75 of the Access to Justice Act 1999. It specifies the petty sessions areas for England and Wales. Each of the areas was a petty sessions area immediately before section 75 came into force.

The map of petty sessions areas referred to in article 2(3) of the Order can be inspected at the Lord Chancellor's Department, Selborne House, 54-60 Victoria Street, London SW1E 6QW by any person at any reasonable time.

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