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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**2004 No. 690**

**The Anti-social Behaviour Act 2003  
(Commencement No. 2) Order 2004**

4.—(1) The following provisions of Part 6 (the environment) of the Anti-social Behaviour Act 2003 shall come into force in the areas of the local authorities in England specified in paragraph (2) below on 31st March 2004—

- (a) section 48 (graffiti removal notices);
- (b) section 49 (recovery of expenditure);
- (c) section 50 (guidance);
- (d) section 51 (appeals); and
- (e) section 52 (exemption from liability in relation to graffiti removal notices).

(2) The following local authorities are specified for the purposes of paragraph (1) above—

- (a) Barnsley Metropolitan Borough Council;
- (b) Bristol City Council;
- (c) Cambridge City Council;
- (d) Dartford Borough Council;
- (e) Doncaster Metropolitan Borough Council;
- (f) Epping Forest District Council;
- (g) Kirklees Metropolitan Borough Council;
- (h) London Borough of Merton;
- (i) London Borough of Westminster;
- (j) Northampton Borough Council;
- (k) Southampton City Council; and
- (l) Wansbeck District Council.