

2010 No. 2943

LOCAL GOVERNMENT, ENGLAND

The North Somerset (Electoral Changes) Order 2010

Made - - - - *9th December 2010*

Coming into force in accordance with article 1(2)

Under section 92(2) of the Local Government and Public Involvement in Health Act 2007(a) (“the 2007 Act”) North Somerset Council made recommendations to the Local Government Boundary Commission for England(b) for the related alteration of the boundaries of district wards within the Council’s area.

The Local Government Boundary Commission for England has decided to give effect to the recommendations and in exercise of the powers conferred by section 92(3) of the 2007 Act makes the following Order:

Citation and commencement

- 1.—(1) This Order may be cited as the North Somerset (Electoral Changes) Order 2010.
- (2) This Order comes into force—
 - (a) for the purpose of proceedings preliminary or relating to the elections of councillors for district wards, on the day after that on which it is made;
 - (b) for all other purposes, on the ordinary day of election of councillors in 2011.

Interpretation

2. In this Order—

“ordinary day of election of councillors” has the meaning given by section 37 of the Representation of the People Act 1983(c);

“the 2010 Order” means the North Somerset Council (Reorganisation of Community Governance) No. 2 Order 2010(d);

(a) 2007 c.28. Section 92 has been amended by section 67(1) of, and paragraphs 11 and 32 of Schedule 4 to, the Local Democracy, Economic Development and Construction Act 2009 (c.20) (“the 2009 Act (c.20)”).

(b) The Local Government Boundary Commission for England was established on 1st April 2010 by section 55(1) of the 2009 Act (c.20). The functions of the Electoral Commission under Chapter 3 of Part 4 of the Local Government and Public Involvement in Health Act 2007 (c.28) (“the 2007 Act (c.28)”) were transferred under section 60 of the 2009 Act (c.20) to the Local Government Boundary Commission for England on 1st April 2010.

(c) 1983 c.2. Section 37 has been amended by section 18(2) of the Representation of the People Act 1985 (c.50), section 17 of the Greater London Authority Act 1999 (c.29) and section 60 of the 2007 Act (c.28).

(d) The North Somerset Council (Reorganisation of Community Governance) No. 2 Order 2010 was made by North Somerset Council under section 86, 98(3) and 240(10) of the 2007 Act (c.28), as amended by section 67(1) of, and paragraphs 11 and 32 of Schedule 4 to, the 2009 Act (c.20).

Related alterations of district ward boundaries

3.—(1) Each area described in column 1 of the Schedule ceases to be part of the district ward named in column 2 of the Schedule and becomes part of the district ward named in column 3 of the Schedule.

(2) In this article “district ward” means a ward established by the District of North Somerset (Electoral Changes) Order 1998(a).

Sealed with the seal of the Local Government Boundary Commission for England on the 9th day of December 2010



9th December 2010

Max Caller
Chairman
Local Government Boundary Commission for England

(a) S.I. 1998/2702.

SCHEDULE

Article 3

Related alterations of district wards

<i>1</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>3</i>
Each area that ceased to be part of the parish of Wtrington and became part of the parish of Backwell in consequence of the 2010 Order	Wtrington	Backwell
Each area that ceased to be part of the parish of Banwell and became part of the parish of Hutton in consequence of the 2010 Order	Banwell and Winscombe	Hutton and Locking
Each area that ceased to be part of the parish of Weston-super-Mare and became part of the parish of Bleadon in consequence of the 2010 Order	Weston-super-Mare Clarence and Uphill	Hutton and Locking
Each area that ceased to be part of the parish of Locking and became part of the parish of Weston-super-Mare in consequence of the 2010 Order	Hutton and Locking	Weston-super-Mare East
Each area that ceased to be part of the parish of Weston-super-Mare and became part of the parish of Locking in consequence of the 2010 Order	Weston-super-Mare East	Hutton and Locking
Each area that ceased to be part of the parish of Weston-super-Mare and became part of the parish of Wick St. Lawrence in consequence of the 2010 Order	Weston-super-Mare North Worle	Kewstoke
Each area that ceased to be part of the parish of Wtrington and became part of the parish of Winford in consequence of the 2010 Order	Wtrington	Winford

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Order)

This Order gives effect to recommendations made by North Somerset Council to the Local Government Boundary Commission for England for related alterations of district ward boundaries. These alterations are related to parish boundary changes made by the North Somerset Council (Reorganisation of Community Governance) No. 2 Order 2010. The functions of the Electoral Commission relating to boundary change were transferred to the Local Government Boundary Commission for England on 1st April 2010.

The new boundaries apply in respect of district elections to be held on and after the ordinary day of election of councillors in 2011.

Article 3 alters Backwell; Banwell and Winscombe; Hutton and Locking; Kewstoke; Weston-super-Mare Clarence and Uphill; Weston-super-Mare East; Weston-super-Mare North Worle; Winford; and Wrington district wards.