
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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The Chiltern Railways (Bicester to
Oxford Improvements) Order 2012

PART 3

ACQUISITION AND POSSESSION OF LAND

Supplementary

Time limit for exercise of powers of acquisition

36.—(1) After the end of the period of 5 years beginning with the day on which this Order comes into force—

- (a) no notice to treat is to be served under Part 1 of the 1965 Act as applied to the acquisition of land by article 23 (application of Part 1 of the 1965 Act); and
- (b) no declaration is to be executed under section 4 of the Compulsory Purchase (Vesting Declarations) Act 1981⁽¹⁾, as applied by article 24 (application of the Compulsory Purchase (Vesting Declarations) Act 1981).

(2) The powers conferred by article 29 (temporary use of land for construction of works) cease at the end of the period referred to in paragraph (1), except that nothing in this paragraph prevents the Company remaining in possession of land after the end of that period, if the land was entered and possession of it was taken before the end of that period.