STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2013 No. 351

The Local Authorities (Public Health Functions and Entry to Premises by Local Healthwatch Representatives) Regulations 2013

PART 1

GENERAL

Citation, commencement and interpretation

- **1.**—(1) These Regulations may be cited as the Local Authorities (Public Health Functions and Entry to Premises by Local Healthwatch Representatives) Regulations 2013.
 - (2) These Regulations come into force as follows—
 - (a) Part 2 comes into force on the date that section 18 of the Health and Social Care Act 2012 ("the 2012 Act") comes fully into force(1);
 - (b) Part 3 comes into force on the date that section 50 of the 2012 Act comes fully into force(2);
 - (c) Part 4 comes into force on the date that section 186 of the 2012 Act comes fully into force(3); and
 - (d) Part 1 comes into force on whichever of the dates specified in paragraphs (a) to (c) is the earliest.
 - (3) In these Regulations, "the Act" means the National Health Service Act 2006.

^{(1) 2012} c.7; section 18 of the 2012 Act is commenced for limited purposes by virtue of section 306(1)(d) of that Act.

⁽²⁾ Section 50 of the 2012 Act is commenced for limited purposes by virtue of section 306(1)(d) of that Act.

⁽³⁾ Section 186 of the 2012 Act is commenced for limited purposes by virtue of section 306(1)(d) of that Act.