STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2014 No. 1042

The Children and Families Act 2014 (Transitional Provisions) Order 2014

Citation and Interpretation

- **2.**—(1) In this Order—
 - "the 1989 Act" means the Children Act 1989;
 - "the 2014 Act" means the Children and Families Act 2014;
 - "a care order" has the same meaning as in the 1989 Act;
 - "a child arrangements order" means a child arrangements order as defined by section 8(1) of the 1989 Act;
 - "the commencement date" means the 22nd April 2014;
 - "a contact order" means a contact order as defined by section 8(1) of the 1989 Act prior to section 12 of the 2014 Act coming into force;
 - "a court officer" means a member of the court staff;
 - "residence order" means a residence order as defined by section 8(1) of the 1989 Act prior to section 12 of the 2014 Act coming into force;
 - "a section 31A plan" means a care plan prepared in accordance with section 31A of the 1989 Act;
 - "a supervision order" has the same meaning as in the 1989 Act.
- (2) For the purposes of this Order, proceedings are issued on the date entered on the application form by the court officer.