#### STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

# 2016 No. 659

# The Nottinghamshire (Electoral Changes) Order 2016

#### Citation and commencement

- 1.—(1) This Order may be cited as the Nottinghamshire (Electoral Changes) Order 2016.
- (2) This article and article 2 come into force on the day after this Order is made.
- (3) Article 3 and Schedule 1 come into force—
  - (a) for the purpose of proceedings preliminary or relating to the election of councillors, on the day after it is made;
  - (b) for all other purposes, on the ordinary day of election of councillors(1) in 2017.
- (4) The remainder of this Order comes into force—
  - (a) for the purpose of proceedings preliminary or relating to the election of councillors, on the day after it is made;
  - (b) for all other purposes, on the ordinary day of election of councillors in 2019.

### Interpretation

**2.** In this Order "the map" means the map marked "Map referred to in the Nottinghamshire (Electoral Changes) Order 2016", held by the Local Government Boundary Commission for England.

#### Divisions of the county of Nottinghamshire and number of councillors

- **3.**—(1) The existing divisions of the county of Nottinghamshire are abolished.
- (2) The county of Nottinghamshire is divided into 56 divisions as listed in the first column of the table in Schedule 1.
- (3) Each division comprises the area designated on the map by reference to the name of the division.
- (4) The number of councillors to be elected for each division is the number specified in relation to that division in the second column of the table in Schedule 1.
- (5) Where a boundary is shown on the map as running along a road, railway line, footway, watercourse or similar geographical feature, it is to be treated as running along the centre line of the feature.

#### Wards of the parish of Balderton and number of councillors

- **4.**—(1) The existing wards of the parish of Balderton are abolished.
- (2) The parish of Balderton is divided into four parish wards as listed in the first column of table 1 in Schedule 2.

<sup>(1)</sup> The ordinary day of election of councillors is prescribed by section 37 of the Representation of the People Act 1983 c.2.

- (3) Each parish ward comprises the area designated on the map by reference to the name of the parish ward.
- (4) The number of councillors to be elected for each parish ward is the number specified in relation to that ward in the second column of table 1 in Schedule 2.

## Wards of the parish of Newark and number of councillors

- **5.**—(1) The existing wards of the parish of Newark are abolished.
- (2) The parish of Newark is divided into eight parish wards as listed in the first column of table 2 in Schedule 2.
- (3) Each parish ward comprises the area designated on the map by reference to the name of the parish ward.
- (4) The number of councillors to be elected for each parish ward is the number specified in relation to that ward in the second column of table 2 in Schedule 2.

Sealed with the seal of the Local Government Boundary Commission for England



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