
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2020 No. 1311

**The Debt Respite Scheme (Breathing Space
Moratorium and Mental Health Crisis Moratorium)
(England and Wales) Regulations 2020**

PART 1

General provisions

Citation, commencement, extent and application

1.—(1) These Regulations may be cited as the Debt Respite Scheme (Breathing Space Moratorium and Mental Health Crisis Moratorium) (England and Wales) Regulations 2020.

(2) With the exception of the provisions referred to in paragraphs (3) to (7), these Regulations come into force on 4th May 2021.

(3) Sub-paragraph (b) of the definition of “lease” and the definition of “occupation contract” in regulation 2(1) come into force on the day that section 7 of the Renting Homes (Wales) Act 2016⁽¹⁾ comes into force.

(4) Regulation 7(7)(k)(i) comes into force on the day that section 157 of the Renting Homes (Wales) Act 2016 comes into force.

(5) Regulation 7(7)(k)(ii) comes into force on the day that section 181 of the Renting Homes (Wales) Act 2016 comes into force.

(6) Regulation 7(7)(k)(iii) comes into force on the day that section 187 of the Renting Homes (Wales) Act 2016 comes into force.

(7) Regulation 29(1)(j) and (k) comes into force on the day that Schedule AA1 to the Mental Capacity Act 2005⁽²⁾ comes into force.

(8) These Regulations extend to England and Wales only.

(9) These Regulations apply in respect of debtors domiciled or ordinarily resident in England or Wales.

(1) 2016 anaw 1.

(2) 2005 c. 9.