#### STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

# 2022 No. 934

# The A428 Black Cat to Caxton Gibbet Development Consent Order 2022

### PART 5

# POWERS OF ACQUISITION AND POSSESSION OF LAND

#### Power to override easements and other rights

- **30.**—(1) Any authorised activity which takes place on land within the Order limits (whether the activity is undertaken by the undertaker or by any person deriving title from the undertaker or by any contractors, servants or agents of the undertaker) is authorised by this Order if it is done in accordance with the terms of this Order, notwithstanding that it involves—
  - (a) an interference with an interest or right to which this article applies; or
  - (b) a breach of a restriction as to the user of land arising by virtue of a contract.
- (2) The interests and rights to which this article applies include any easement, liberty, privilege, right or advantage annexed to land and adversely affecting other land, including any natural right to support and including restrictions as to the user of land arising by the virtue of a contract.
  - (3) Where an interest, right or restriction is overridden by paragraph (1), compensation—
    - (a) is payable under section 7 (measure of compensation in case of severance) or section 10(1) (further provision as to compensation for injurious affection) of the 1965 Act; and
    - (b) is to be assessed in the same manner and subject to the same rules as in the case of other compensation under those sections where—
      - (i) the compensation is to be estimated in connection with a purchase under that Act; or
      - (ii) the injury arises from the execution of works on or use of land acquired under that Act
- (4) Where a person deriving title under the undertaker by whom the land in question was acquired—
  - (a) is liable to pay compensation by virtue of paragraph (3); and
  - (b) fails to discharge that liability, the liability is enforceable against the undertaker.
- (5) Nothing in this article is to be construed as authorising any act or omission on the part of any person which is actionable at the suit of any person on any grounds other than such an interference or breach as is mentioned in paragraph (1) of this article.
- (6) In this article "authorised activity" means the exercise of the powers under the following provisions, in the case where the land in respect of which the power is to be exercised has not been vested in or acquired by the undertaker—
  - (a) article 22 (authority to survey and investigate the land);

<sup>(1)</sup> Section 10 was amended by section 4 of, and paragraph 13(2) of Schedule 2 to, the Planning (Consequential Provisions) Act 1990 (c. 11) and by S.I. 2009/1307.

(b) article 42 (felling or lopping of trees and removal of hedgerows).

## **Commencement Information**

II Art. 30 in force at 8.9.2022, see art. 1

Changes to legislation:
There are currently no known outstanding effects for the The A428 Black Cat to Caxton Gibbet Development Consent Order 2022, Section 30.