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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**2013 No. 1180 (C. 51)**

**POLICE, ENGLAND AND WALES  
PROTECTION OF VULNERABLE  
ADULTS, ENGLAND AND WALES**

**The Protection of Freedoms Act 2012  
(Commencement No. 6) Order 2013**

*Made - - - - -*

*20th May 2013*

The Secretary of State, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 120(1) of the Protection of Freedoms Act 2012 (1), makes the following Order.

**Citation and interpretation**

- 1.—(1) This Order may be cited as the Protection of Freedoms Act 2012 (Commencement No. 6) Order 2013.
- (2) In this Order “the Act” means the Protection of Freedoms Act 2012.

**Provisions coming into force on 17th June 2013**

2. The day appointed for the coming into force of the following provisions of the Act in relation to England and Wales is 17th June 2013—
  - (a) section 79 (restriction on information provided to certain persons) insofar as it is not already in force;
  - (b) section 83 (up-dating certificates);
  - (c) section 115(1) (consequential amendments, repeals and revocations) insofar as it relates to the paragraphs of Schedule 9 specified in paragraph (e) below;
  - (d) section 115(2) (consequential amendments, repeals and revocations) insofar as it relates to the provisions of Schedule 10 specified in paragraph (f) below;
  - (e) the following paragraphs of Schedule 9—
    - (i) paragraph 108;
    - (ii) paragraphs 109 to 111 insofar as they are not already in force;

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(1) [2012 c.9](#).

- (iii) paragraph 113;
- (iv) paragraph 118 insofar as it is not already in force;
- (v) paragraphs 119 to 128;
- (f) Part 6 of Schedule 10 insofar as it is not already in force.

Home Office  
20th May 2013

*Taylor of Holbeach*  
Parliamentary Under-Secretary of State

## **EXPLANATORY NOTE**

*(This note is not part of the Order)*

This Order brings into force various provisions of the Protection of Freedoms Act 2012. In particular, the Order brings into force provisions which repeal the general obligation upon the Disclosure and Barring Service (DBS) to provide a copy of a criminal record certificate to the registered body who countersigned a person's application for such a certificate. This Order also brings into force provisions allowing for a copy of a criminal record certificate to be provided to a registered body in response to a request for such a copy.

This Order also brings into force provisions relating to the up-dating service, which introduces a procedure for the up-dating of criminal record certificates.

## **NOTE AS TO EARLIER COMMENCEMENT ORDERS**

*(This note is not part of the Order)*

The following provisions of the Protection of Freedoms Act 2012 have been brought into force by commencement order made before the date of this Order.

<i>Provision</i>	<i>Date of Commencement</i>	<i>S.I. No.</i>
section 20 partially	1st October 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2234</a>
section 22	1st October 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2234</a>
section 29	1st July 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2205</a>
section 30	1st July 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2205</a>
section 31	1st July 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2205</a>
section 32	1st July 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2205</a>
section 33	1st July 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2205</a>
section 34	1st July 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2205</a>
section 35	1st July 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2205</a>
section 36	1st July 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2205</a>
section 37	1st November 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2075</a>
section 38	1st November 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2075</a>
section 39(1)	1st July 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2205</a>
section 40 in relation to England	1st July 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2205</a>
section 41 in relation to England	1st July 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2205</a>
section 42	1st July 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2205</a>
section 43 in relation to England	1st July 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2205</a>
section 44 in relation to England	1st July 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2205</a>

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section 45 in relation to England	1st July 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2205</a>
section 46 in relation to England	1st July 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2205</a>
section 47	1st July 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2205</a>
section 48	1st July 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2205</a>
section 49	1st July 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2205</a>
section 50	1st July 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2205</a>
section 51	1st July 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2205</a>
section 52	1st July 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2205</a>
section 54	1st October 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2075</a>
section 55	1st October 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2075</a>
section 56	1st October 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2075</a>
section 57	10th July 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2205</a>
section 58	10th July 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2205</a>
section 59	10th July 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2205</a>
section 60	10th July 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2205</a>
section 61	10th July 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2205</a>
section 62	9th May 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2205</a>
section 63	10th July 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2205</a>
section 64	10th September 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2234</a>
section 65	10th September 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2234</a>
section 66	10th September 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2234</a>
section 67	10th September 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2234</a>
section 68	10th September 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2234</a>
section 69	10th September 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2234</a>
section 70	10th September 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2234</a>
section 71	10th September 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2234</a>
section 72 partially	10th September 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2234</a>
section 75 partially	10th September 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2234</a>
section 76 partially	10th September 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2234</a>
section 77	10th September 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2234</a>
section 78 partially	10th August 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2075</a>
section 78 partially	10th September 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2234</a>
section 79 partially	10th September 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2234</a>
section 80	10th September 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2234</a>

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section 81	10th September 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2234</a>
section 82	10th September 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2234</a>
section 84	10th September 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2234</a>
section 85	1st July 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2205</a>
section 86	10th September 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2234</a>
section 87 partially	15th October 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2521</a>
section 87 so far as not already in force	1st December 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2521</a>
section 92	1st October 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2234</a>
section 93	1st October 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2234</a>
section 94	1st October 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2234</a>
section 95	1st October 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2234</a>
section 96	1st October 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2234</a>
section 97	1st October 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2234</a>
section 98	1st October 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2234</a>
section 99	1st October 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2234</a>
section 100	1st October 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2234</a>
section 101	1st October 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2234</a>
section 104	1st July 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2205</a>
section 109	6th April 2013	<a href="#">S.I. 2013/470</a>
section 110	6th April 2013	<a href="#">S.I. 2013/470</a>
section 111	25th November 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2075</a>
section 112	25th November 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2075</a>
section 114	1st October 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2234</a>
section 115(1) partially	1st July 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2205</a>
section 115(1) partially	10th July 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2205</a>
section 115(1) partially	10th September 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2234</a>
section 115(1) partially	1st October 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2075</a>
section 115(1) partially	1st October 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2234</a>
section 115(1) partially	15th October 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2521</a>
section 115(1) partially	1st November 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2010/2075</a>
section 115(1) partially	25th November 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2075</a>
section 115(1) partially	6th April 2013	<a href="#">S.I. 2013/470</a>
section 115(2) partially	1st July 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2205</a>
section 115(2) partially	10th July 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2205</a>

<i>Provision</i>	<i>Date of Commencement</i>	<i>S.I. No.</i>
section 115(2) partially	10th September 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2234</a>
section 115(2) partially	1st October 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2075</a>
section 115(2) partially	6th April 2013	<a href="#">S.I. 2013/470</a>
Schedule 4	1st October 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2075</a>
Schedule 5	10th July 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2205</a>
Schedule 6	10th July 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2205</a>
Schedule 7 partially	10th August 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2075</a>
Schedule 7 partially	10th September 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2234</a>
Schedule 8 partially	15th October 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2521</a>
Schedule 8 so far as not already in force	1st December 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2521</a>
Schedule 9 partially	1st July 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2205</a>
Schedule 9 partially	10th July 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2205</a>
Schedule 9 partially	10th September 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2234</a>
Schedule 9 partially	1st October 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2075</a>
Schedule 9 partially	1st October 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2234</a>
Schedule 9 partially	15th October 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2521</a>
Schedule 9 partially	1st November 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2075</a>
Schedule 9 partially	25th November 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2075</a>
Schedule 9 partially	6th April 2013	<a href="#">S.I. 2013/470</a>
Schedule 10 partially	1st July 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2205</a>
Schedule 10 partially	10th July 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2205</a>
Schedule 10 partially	10th September 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2234</a>
Schedule 10 partially	1st October 2012	<a href="#">S.I. 2012/2075</a>
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