STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1976 No. 2006 (C. 52)

FIRE PRECAUTIONS

The Fire Precautions Act 1971 (Commencement No. 2) Order 1976

Made - - - - 26th November 1976

In exercise of the powers conferred on me by section 44(3) of the Fire Precautions Act 1971(a), I hereby make the following Order:—

1.—(1) This Order may be cited as the Fire Precautions Act 1971 (Commencement No. 2) Order 1976.

(2) In this Order "the Act" means the Fire Precautions Act 1971 as amended.

2. All the provisions of the Act not yet in operation shall come into operation on 1st January 1977 with the following exceptions, that is to say—

(*a*) sections 3, 4, 12(9), 16(1)(*b*), 16(2)(*b*), 19(3)(*c*), 34 and 36 of, and the Schedule to, the Act (which relate to fire certificates and associated matters in respect of certain dwellings);

(*b*) section 12(2) of the Act (which confers power to make regulations in respect of fire precautions in relation to certain dwellings);

(*c*) section 12(11) and (12) (cinematograph safety regulations);

(*d*) section 40 of the Act (which extends certain provisions to the Crown) in so far as that section relates to the said sections 3, 4, 12(2) and 12(9).

Merlyn Rees,
One of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.

Home Office,
Whitehall.
26th November 1976.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(*This Note is not part of the Order.*)

This Order brings into operation on 1st January 1977 certain provisions of the Fire Precautions Act 1971 not yet in operation, in particular certain subsections of section 12 which confer power to make regulations in respect of fire precautions.

(a) 1971 c. 40.

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