STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1981 No. 186

LOCAL GOVERNMENT, ENGLAND AND WALES

CHANGES IN LOCAL GOVERNMENT AREAS

The Oswestry (Parishes) Order 1981

Made - - - -	13*th February* 1981
Coming into Operation—	
for the purposes described in article 2	21*st February* 1981
for all other purposes	1*st April* 1981

Whereas the Borough Council of Oswestry, under section 48(8) of the Local Government Act 1972(**a**), made recommendations to the Local Government Boundary Commission for England for proposals in relation to parishes in the borough;

And whereas the said Commission, under sections 47 and 51(1) of the said Act, made such proposals to the Secretary of State for the Environment:

Now therefore the Secretary of State for the Environment, in exercise of his powers under section 51(2) of the said Act and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, hereby makes the following order giving effect to the said proposals with a modification:—

Title and commencement

1. This order may be cited as the Oswestry (Parishes) Order 1981.

2. 21st February 1981 is hereby specified as the day on which this order shall come into operation for any purposes set out in regulation 4(1) (Coming into operation of order) of the Regulations.

For all other purposes this order shall come into operation on the appointed day.

Interpretation

3. In this order, "the appointed day" means 1st April 1981, and "the Regulations" means the Local Government Area Changes Regulations 1976(**b**) as amended by the Local Government Area Changes (Amendment) Regulations 1978(**c**).

The boundary maps

4. In this order—

"the boundary maps" means the six maps printed for Her Majesty's Stationery Office by Ordnance Survey, each such map being marked "Map

(**a**) 1972 c. 70. (**b**) S.I. 1976/246. (**c**) S.I. 1978/247.

referred to in the Oswestry (Parishes) Order 1981" and with the number of the map; and

any reference to a numbered boundary map is a reference to the map described and numbered as aforesaid.

Changes in areas

5. The parts of parishes described in column (1) of the Schedule to this order and marked on the boundary maps as specified in column (2) shall, in so far as parishes, wards thereof, electoral divisions of the County of Shropshire and wards of the Borough of Oswestry are specified in respect thereof in columns (3) to (6), be transferred to or form part of such areas.

In relation to electoral divisions of the County of Shropshire, this article shall have effect in relation to elections to be held on or after 7th May 1981.

SCHEDULE

PARTS OF PARISHES TRANSFERRED TO OTHER PARISHES

(1) Description	(2) Number of boundary map and marking of area		(3) Parish	(4) Parish ward	(5) County electoral division	(6) Borough ward
Part of the Parish of Oswestry Rural	3	A1	West Felton	—	Ruyton-XI-Towns	West Felton
Part of the Parish of Ruyton-xi-Towns	3 and 4	A2	West Felton	—	—	West Felton
Part of the Parish of St. Martin's	1 and 2	A3	Selattyn and Gobowen	Gobowen	Whittington	Gobowen
Part of the Parish of Selattyn and Gobowen	2	A4	St. Martin's	—	Weston Rhyn	St. Martin's
Part of the Parish of West Felton	5	A5	Oswestry Rural	Aston	St. Oswald	Sweeney
Part of the Parish of West Felton	5 and 6	A6	Ruyton-xi-Towns	—	—	Ruyton-XI-Towns

Signed by authority of
the Secretary of State
13th February 1981.

D. Gruffydd Jones,
An Under Secretary in the
Department of the Environment.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

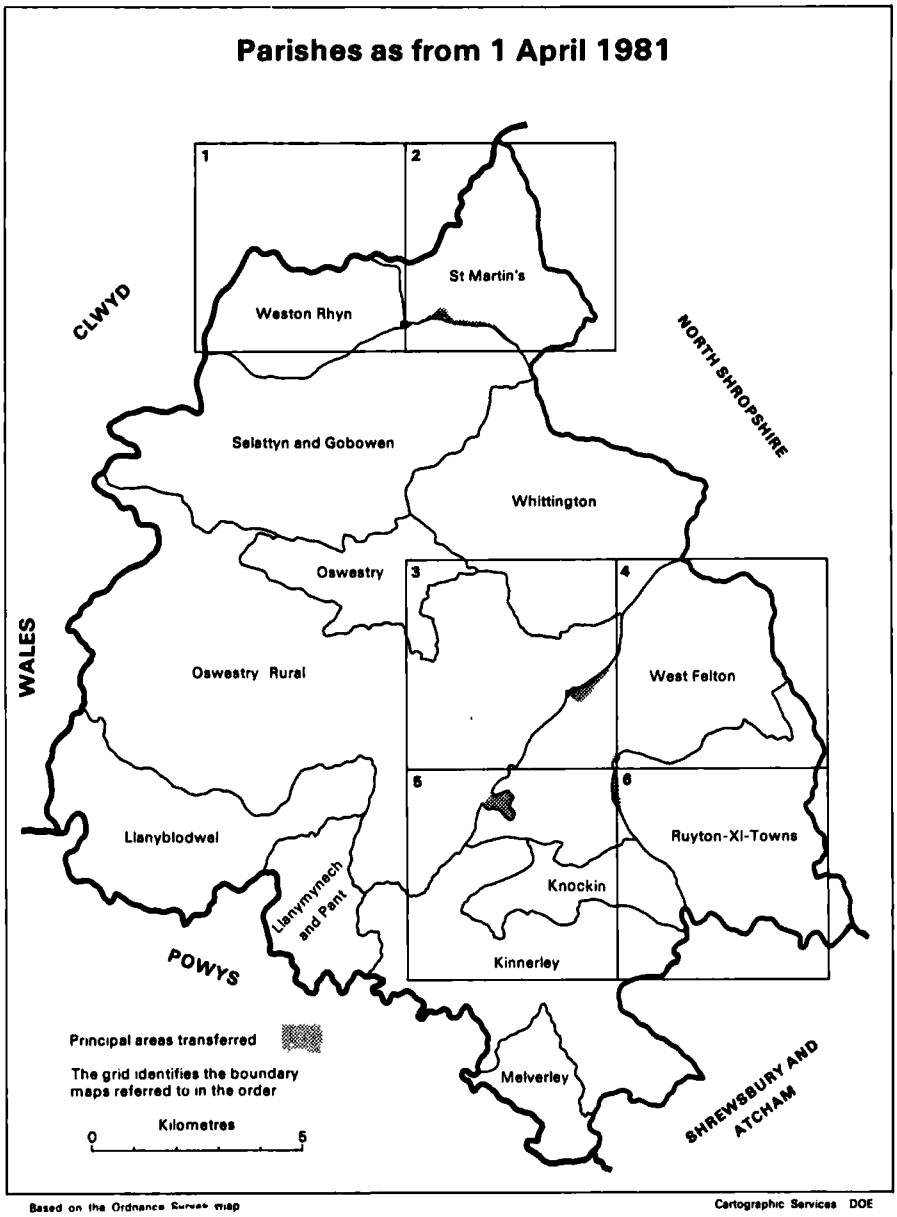
(*This Note is not part of the Order.*)

This order effects the transfer of parts of certain parishes, in the Borough of Oswestry, to other parishes.

The map forming part of this note (page 5) shows the areas. This map also incorporates a grid identifying the maps referred to in article 4 of the order.

Prints of the maps referred to in article 4 may be inspected at the offices of the borough council. Prints may be purchased from the Department of the Environment's Map Library.

Incidental, consequential, transitional and supplementary provision in consequence of orders of the nature of the present one is contained in the Regulations defined in article 3 of the order.


Parishes as from 1 April 1981
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6
CLWYD
NORTH SHROPSHIRE
WALES
POWYS
SHREWSBURY AND ATCHAM
Weston Rhyn
St Martin's
Selattyn and Gobowen
Whittington
Oswestry
Oswestry Rural
West Felton
Llanyblodwel
Llanymynech and Pant
Knockin
Ruyton-XI-Towns
Kinnerley
Melverley
Principal areas transferred
The grid identifies the boundary maps referred to in the order
Kilometres
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5
Based on the Ordnance Survey map
Cartographic Services DOE