STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1984 No. 348

LOCAL GOVERNMENT, ENGLAND AND WALES

CHANGES IN LOCAL GOVERNMENT AREAS

The Test Valley (Parishes) Order 1984

Made - - - - - -	13*th March* 1984
Coming into Operation—	
for the purposes described in article 2(1) -	16*th March* 1984
for all other purposes - -	1*st April* 1984

Whereas the Borough Council of Test Valley, acting pursuant to section 48(8) of the Local Government Act 1972(a), has made recommendations to the Local Government Boundary Commission for England for proposals about parishes in the borough:

And whereas the said Commission has seen fit, pursuant to sections 47, 48(9) and 51(1) of that Act, on 10th August 1982, to make the recommended proposals to the Secretary of State:

And whereas the Secretary of State has decided to give effect to those proposals without modification:

Now, therefore, the Secretary of State for the Environment, in exercise of his powers under sections 51(2) and 67(4) and (5) of the said Act and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, hereby makes the following order:—

Title and commencement

1. This order may be cited as the Test Valley (Parishes) Order 1984.

2.— (1) 16th March 1984 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 as modified by paragraph (2).

(2) In the said regulation 4(1), item *(e)* shall not apply in relation to the constitution of a new parish council.

(3) Except as provided by paragraph (1), this order shall come into operation on 1st April 1984.

(a) 1972 c.70.

Interpretation

3. In this order—

"the boundary maps" means the 17 maps issued by the Department of the Environment in 6 sheets, each sheet being marked "Map sheet of the Test Valley (Parishes) Order 1984" and with the number of the map sheet, and each map being marked with a letter, any reference to a map by number and letter being a reference to the map so lettered on the sheet so numbered;

"the county" means the county of Hampshire;

"the borough" means the borough of Test Valley, and
"the borough council" means the council of the borough;

"new parish" means a parish constituted by this order;

"new parish council" means a parish council established by this order; and

"the Regulations" means the Local Government Area Changes Regulations 1976(a).

Changes in areas

4.— (1) There shall be constituted a new parish to be known as the parish of Awbridge, comprising the following areas, which are shown hatched red on boundary map 4b:—

(a) that part of the parish of Lockerley marked D1 on the said boundary map;

(b) those parts of the parish of Mottisfont marked D2 and D4; and

(c) that part of the parish of Sherfield English marked D3.

The said new parish shall remain or form part of the Stockbridge and Wellow electoral division of the county, of the Blackwater ward of the borough, of the Romsey petty sessional division and of the Hampshire Central coroner's district.

(2) There shall be constituted a new parish to be known as the parish of Charlton, comprising that part of the unparished area of the former borough of Andover shown by a continuous red line on boundary map 1a. The said new parish shall remain or form part of the Andover North electoral division of the county, of the Harroway ward of the borough, of the Andover petty sessional division and of the Hampshire Central coroner's district.

(3) That part of the unparished area of the former borough of Andover shown coloured green and marked C on boundary map 2c shall be transferred to the parish of Smannell, and shall remain or form part of the Andover Rural electoral division of the county.

(4) 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, wards of the borough and petty sessional divisions are specified in respect thereof in columns (3) to (7), be transferred to and form part of such areas.

(a) S.I. 1976/246, as amended by S.I. 1978/247.

Parish councils

5.— (1) There shall be a parish council for each new parish.

(2) From 1st April to 7th May 1984, the new parish council of Awbridge shall consist of:—

(a) those persons resident in the said new parish who, immediately prior to 1st April 1984, held office as parish councillors for the parish of Sherfield English; and

(b) the borough councillors for the Dun Valley and Blackwater wards of the borough.

(3) From 1st April to 7th May 1984, the new parish council of Charlton shall consist of the borough councillors for the Harroway ward of the borough.

(4) As from 7th May 1984, the number of parish councillors for the new parishes of Awbridge and Charlton shall be 7 and 9 respectively. Any person who is in office immediately prior to 1st April 1984 as a councillor of the parish of Sherfield English and who resides in the new parish of Awbridge shall cease to be a councillor of the first-mentioned parish, but shall be a councillor of that new parish until the fourth day after the ordinary day of election of councillors in 1987. Elections of the remaining councillors for the new parish of Awbridge and of councillors for the new parish of Charlton shall be held on 3rd May 1984, and shall be conducted in accordance with rules made under section 36 of the Representation of the People Act 1983(a) relating to the conduct of elections of parish councillors.

(5) The persons elected as councillors as the result of the said elections shall come into office on 7th May 1984, and shall retire on the fourth day after the ordinary day of election of councillors in 1987.

(6) The annual meeting of each new parish council for 1984 shall be held in May 1984 and shall be convened by the proper officer of the borough council.

(7) As from the fourth day after the ordinary day of election of councillors in 1987, the number of councillors of the parish of Sherfield English shall be 7. From 1st April 1984 until the fourth day after the ordinary day of election of councillors in 1987, casual vacancies for the Sherfield English parish council shall be filled only in so far as may be necessary to maintain the number of councillors at 7.

Parish meetings

6. The first assembly of the parish meeting for each new parish shall be convened by the proper officer of the borough council. If any such first assembly is held before the annual meeting of the parish council, the parish meeting may appoint a person to take the chair, and that person shall have, for the purposes of that meeting the powers and authority of the chairman.

(a) 1983 c.2.

Expenses of new parish councils

7. In the year beginning on 1st April 1984, the borough council shall levy rates in each new parish and make payments to each new parish council as if the new parish council had issued a precept to the borough council requiring the payment of a sum equal to the product of a rate of 1p in the pound, calculated on the total rateable value as set out in the valuation list on 1st April 1984.

Statutory definitions of areas

8. In any application of paragraph (1) (statutory definitions of areas) of regulation 40 of the Regulations to references to the area of the former borough of Andover, the following provision, namely—

"For any reference to the area of the former borough of Andover there shall be substituted a reference to the parish of Charlton and the remainder of the said area other than that part comprised in the parish of Smannell."

shall have effect in place of sub-paragraph *(b)*.

Local Acts, orders and byelaws

9.— (1) The area of the former borough of Andover shall be a relevant area within the meaning of regulation 41 (Local Acts, orders and byelaws) of the Regulations and is hereby specified in relation to paragraph (4) of that regulation, and the area comprising—

the new parish of Charlton; and

the remainder of the aforementioned area other than the part thereof to which article 4(3) applies

is hereby specified in relation to the first mentioned area.

(2) The provision of paragraph (1) is without prejudice to the operation of regulation 41(3) in respect of any parish as altered.

SCHEDULE

PARTS OF PARISHES TRANSFERRED OTHERWISE THAN TO A NEW PARISH

(1) Description of areas transferred	(2) Reference of boundary map and marking of areas	(3) Receiving Parish	(4) Parish Ward	(5) County Electoral Division	(6) Borough Ward	(7) Petty Sessional Division
Part of the parish of Kimpton	2b—A1	Fyfield	—	—	—	—
Part of the parish of Fyfield	2b—A2	Kimpton	—	—	—	—
Part of the parish of Appleshaw	1a—A3	Penton Grafton	—	—	—	—
Part of the parish of Monxton	1a—A4	Amport	—	—	Weyhill	—
Parts of the parish of Penton Grafton	1a—A5 to A8 inclusive	Penton Mewsey	—	—	—	—
Part of the parish of Amport	2a—A9	Monxton	—	—	Anna	—
Part of the parish of Buckholt	3a—A10	Broughton	—	—	Nether Wallop & Broughton	—
Part of the parish of Buckholt	3a—A11	East Tytherley	—	—	—	—
Part of the parish of East Tytherley	3a—A12	Broughton	—	—	Nether Wallop & Broughton	—
Parts of the parish of Bossington	3a—A13,A14	Broughton	—	—	Nether Wallop & Broughton	—
Part of the parish of Nether Wallop	3b—A15	Broughton	—	—	—	Romsey

SCHEDULE *(continued)*

PARTS OF PARISHES TRANSFERRED OTHERWISE THAN TO A NEW PARISH

(1) Description of areas transferred	(2) Reference of boundary map and marking of areas	(3) Receiving Parish	(4) Parish Ward	(5) County Electoral Division	(6) Borough Ward	(7) Petty Sessional Division
Part of the parish of Kings Somborne	3d—A16	Stockbridge	--	--	Stockbridge	Andover
Part of the parish of Ampfield	6a—A17	North Baddesley	--	--	North Baddesley	--
Part of the parish of North Baddesley	6a—A18	Ampfield	--	--	Field	--
Part of the parish of Stockbridge	3d—A19	Kings Somborne	--	--	Kings Somborne & Michelmersh	Romsey
Parts of the parish of Kings Somborne	3c,6f—A20,A21, A22	Ashley	--	--	--	--
Part of the parish of East Dean	6d—A23	Lockerley	--	--	--	--
Part of the parish of Lockerley	4b—A24	Mottisfont	--	--	--	--
Part of the parish of Bossington	6e—A25	Mottisfont	--	--	Dun Valley	--
Part of the parish of Kings Somborne	4a—A26	Braishfield	--	Baddesley	Field	--
Part of the parish of Chilworth	6c—A27	North Baddesley	--	--	North Baddesley	-- --

SCHEDULE *(continued)*

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Part of the parish of Sherfield English	4b—A28	Mottisfont	—	—	Dun Valley	—
Parts of the parish of Romsey	5a—A29 to A33 inclusive	Romsey Extra	—	—	Romsey Extra	—
Part of the parish of Romsey Extra	5a—A34	Braishfield	—	Baddesley	Field	—
Parts of the parish of Romsey Extra	5a—A35 A46	Romsey	Cupernham	—	Cupernham	—
Parts of the parish of Romsey Extra	5a—A36,A37	Romsey	Tadburn	—	Tadburn	—
Part of the parish of North Baddesley	6b—A38	Romsey Extra	—	Romsey	Romsey Extra	—
Parts of the parish of Romsey Extra	6b—A39,A40	North Baddesley	—	Baddesley	North Baddesley	—
Part of the parish of Nursling and Rownhams	6b—A41	North Baddesley	—	—	North Baddesley	—
Parts of the parish of Penton Mewsey	1a—A42,A43, A44	Penton Grafton	—	—	—	—
Part of the parish of East Tytherley	3a—A45	Bossington	—	—	Stockbridge	—

Signed by authority of
the Secretary of State
13th March 1984.

J. P. G. Rowcliffe,
An Under Secretary in the
Department of the Environment.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(*This note is not part of the order.*)

This order creates and alters parishes in the borough of Test Valley by—

(a) the constitution of a new parish of Awbridge from parts of the parishes of Lockerley, Mottisfont and Sherfield English;

(b) the constitution of a new parish of Charlton from part of the unparished area of the former borough of Andover;

(c) the transfer of part of that unparished area to the parish of Smannell; and

(d) other transfers as between parishes.

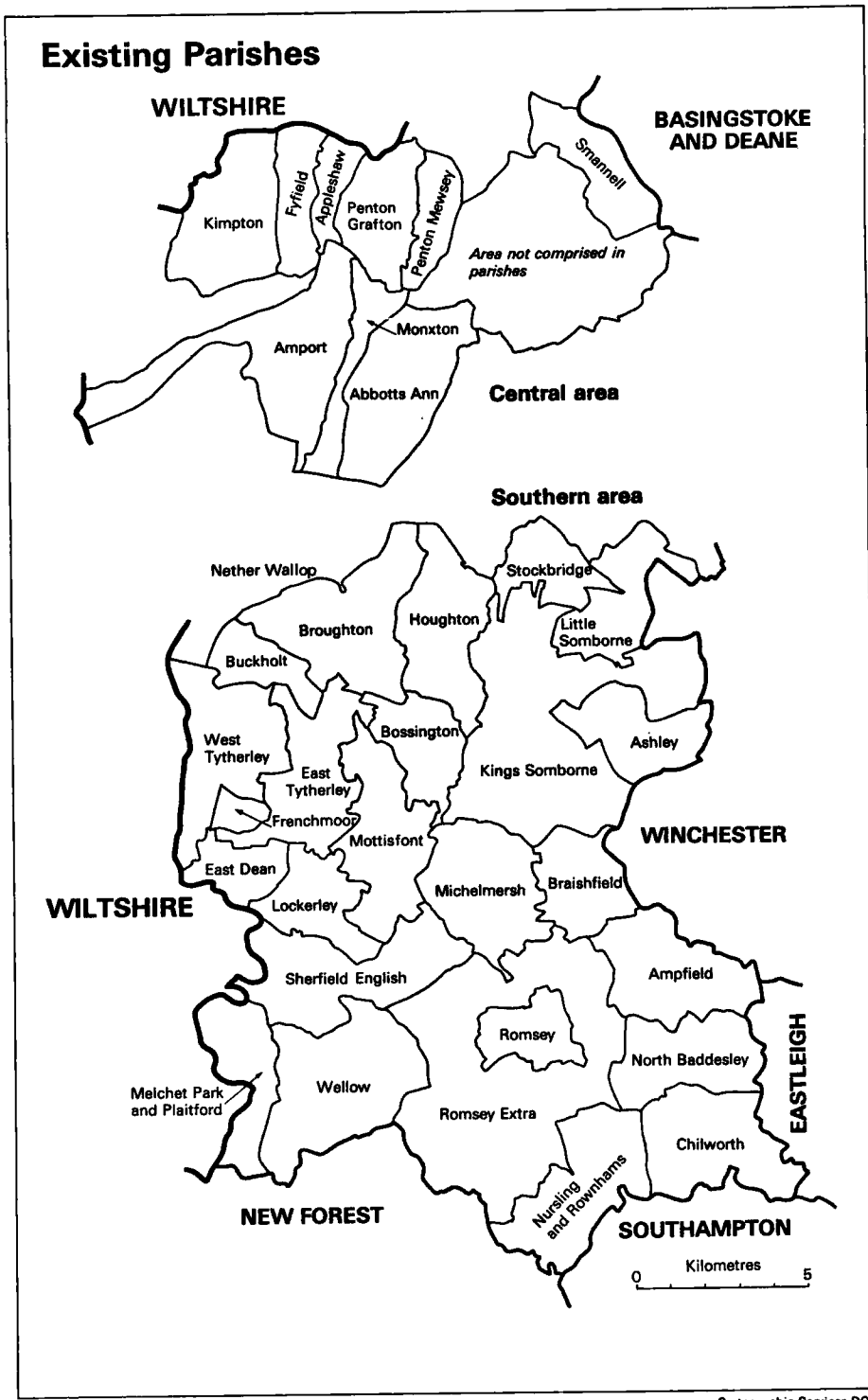
The maps forming part of this note (pages 9 and 10) show the areas affected before and after 1st April 1984. Prints of the boundary maps referred to in article 3 may be inspected at the offices of the borough council, and may be purchased from the Department of the Environment's Map library.

The approximate area, population and rateable value of the new parishes will be—

	Area hectares	Population	Rateable value
Parish of Awbridge	476	730	£71,728
Parish of Charlton	236	1,410	£161,084

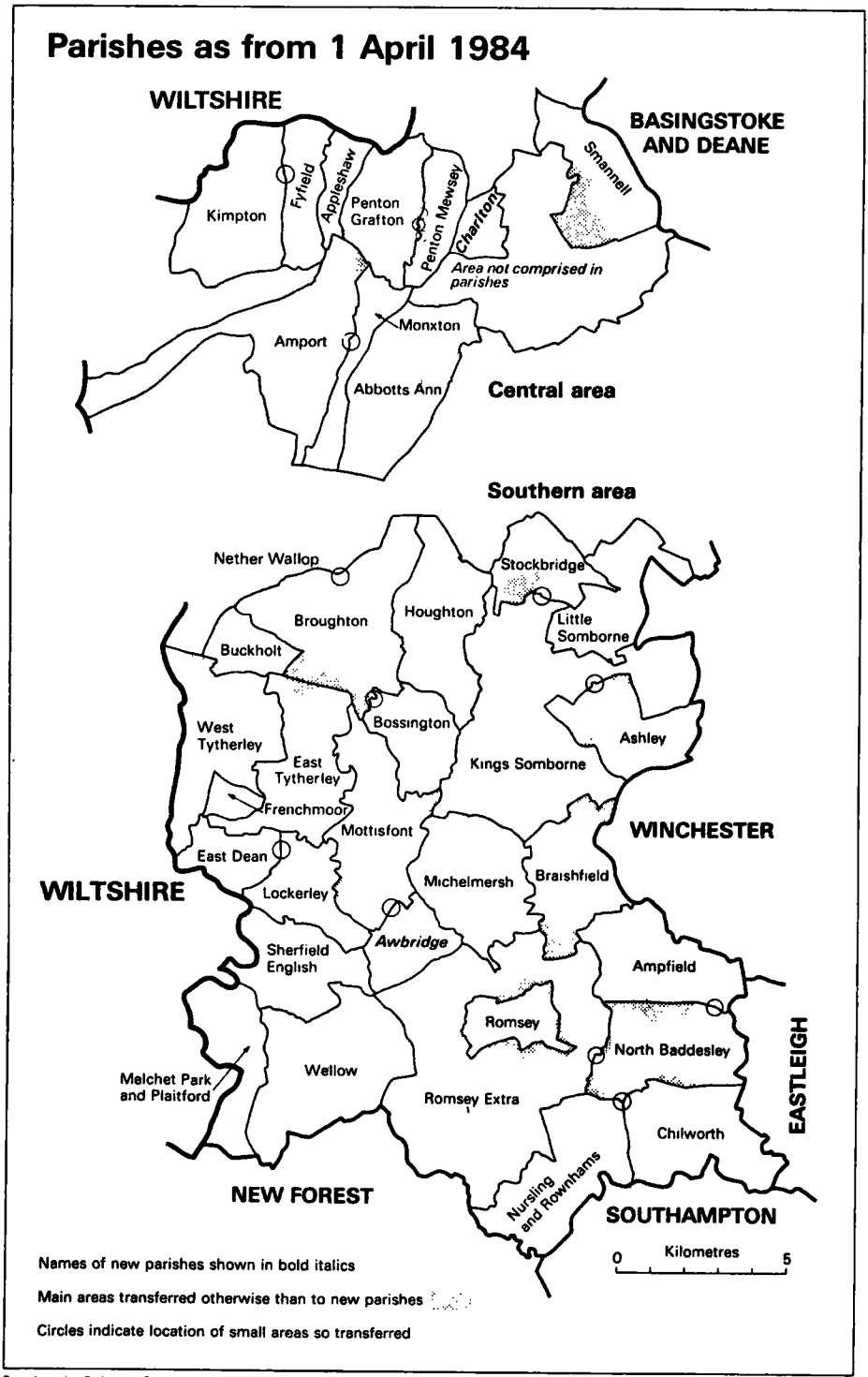
The order establishes a parish council for each new parish.

Incidental, consequential, transitional and supplementary provision for orders such as the present one is made by the Local Government Area Changes Regulations 1976 (see article 3).



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