This instrument corrects an error in S.I. 2009/2267 and is being issued free of charge to all known recipients of that instrument.

STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2009 No. 2613

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RATING AND VALUATION, ENGLAND

The Valuation Tribunal for England (Membership and Transitional Provisions) (Amendment) Regulations 2009

Made - - - -	*26th September 2009*
Laid before Parliament	*30th September 2009*
Coming into force - -	*1st October 2009*

The Secretary of State, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 220(2) of the Local Government and Public Involvement in Health Act 2007(**a**), makes the following Regulations:

Commencement and citation

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Valuation Tribunal for England (Membership and Transitional Provisions) (Amendment) Regulations 2009 and shall come into force on 1st October 2009.

Amendment of Regulations

2. The Valuation Tribunal for England (Membership and Transitional Provisions) Regulations 2009(**b**) are amended, in regulation 5 (disqualification: general), in paragraph (1)(b), by the substitution, for the words from "Valuation" to the end, of "VTE's staff"(**c**).

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State for Communities and Local Government

John Healey
Minister for Housing and Planning
Department for Communities and Local Government

26th September 2009

(**a**) 2007 c.28.
(**b**) S.I. 2009/2267.
(**c**) *See* the definition of "Tribunal's staff" in paragraph A20(e) of Schedule 11 to the Local Government Finance Act 1988 (c.41), inserted by the Local Government and Public Involvement in Health Act 2007, Schedule 15, paragraphs 1 and 2.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Regulations)

These Regulations correct an error in regulation 5(1)(b) of the Valuation Tribunal for England (Membership and Transitional Provisions) Regulations 2009. That provision currently disqualifies a person for membership of the Valuation Tribunal for England ("VTE") after 1st October 2009 if the person or their spouse or civil partner is a member of the Valuation Tribunal Service or of its staff. The amendment made by regulation 2 of these Regulations limits disqualification to persons who are, or whose spouse or civil partner is, a member of the VTE's staff.

An impact assessment has not been produced for this instrument as no impact on the private or voluntary sector is foreseen.

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