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LOCAL GOVERNMENT, ENGLAND

The Ellesmere Port and Neston (Parish) (Amendment) Order 2008

Made - 28th March 2008

Coming into force in accordance with article 1

The Secretary of State, in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 23 of the Local Government and Rating Act 1997(a), makes the following Order:

Citation, commencement and interpretation

1. — (1) This Order which amends the Ellesmere Port and Neston (Parish) Order 2007 (“the principal Order”)(b) may be cited as the Ellesmere Port and Neston (Parish) (Amendment) Order 2008 and shall come into force on the day on which it is made.

Amendment to the principal Order

2.—(1) In article 1 of the principal Order for sub-paragraph (2) substitute the following—

It shall come into force —

- (a) for the purposes of this article and proceedings preliminary or relating to elections of parish councillors to be held on the ordinary day of elections in 2009, on the day after that on which it is made;
- (b) for all other purposes, on 1st April 2009.

(2) In article 4 of the principal Order substitute the following—

Until the councillors elected to the council of the new parish of Neston at the elections to be held on the ordinary day of election in 2009 come into office, the new parish shall be represented by those persons who, immediately before 1st April 2009, are the elected councillors for the electoral division of Neston and Parkgate.

(3) In article 5 of the principal Order substitute the following—

1st April 2009 is the order date for the purposes of the Local Government (Parishes and Parish Councils) Regulations 1999.

(a) 1997 c.29.
(b) S.I. 2007/3578

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State

P. Russell

28 March 2008

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EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Order)

This Order amends the Ellesmere Port and Neston (Parish) Order 2007 by altering the coming into force date for the new parish of Neston and the Order Date from 1 April 2008 to 1 April 2009. As a consequence it also makes changes to transitional provisions which now provide for the parish of Neston to be represented by the elected councillors for the electoral division of Neston and Parkgate until councillors for the new parish, to be elected on the ordinary day of election in 2009, come into office.