



Local Government Act 2003

2003 CHAPTER 26

PART 4

BUSINESS IMPROVEMENT DISTRICTS

Procedure

49 BID proposals

- (1) BID arrangements are not to come into force unless proposals for the arrangements (“BID proposals”) are approved by a ballot of the non-domestic ratepayers in the proposed business improvement district who are to be liable for the proposed BID levy.
- (2) The Secretary of State may by regulations make provision—
 - (a) as to the persons who may draw up BID proposals,
 - (b) as to the procedures to be followed in connection with the drawing up of BID proposals,
 - (c) as to the matters to be included in BID proposals, and
 - (d) as to the date which may be provided under BID proposals for the coming into force of BID arrangements which give effect to the proposals.

Modifications etc. (not altering text)

- C1** S. 49 power to amend or apply (with modifications) conferred (16.7.2014 for E. for specified purposes, 2.12.2014 for E. in so far as not already in force) by [Business Rate Supplements Act 2009 \(c. 7\)](#), s. 32, [Sch. 2 para. 10\(1\)](#) (with s. 31); S.I. 2014/1860, art. 2; S.I. 2014/3200, art. 2

Commencement Information

- I1** S. 49 in force at 18.11.2003 for E. by S.I. 2003/2938, art. 3(a) (with art. 8, Sch.)
- I2** S. 49 in force at 27.11.2003 for W. by S.I. 2003/3034, art. 2, [Sch. 1 Pt. I](#)

Changes to legislation:

There are outstanding changes not yet made by the legislation.gov.uk editorial team to Local Government Act 2003. Any changes that have already been made by the team appear in the content and are referenced with annotations.

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- Act applied (with modifications) by [S.I. 2024/414 art. 5Sch. 1 para. 13](#)

Whole provisions yet to be inserted into this Act (including any effects on those provisions):

- s. 18(2A) inserted by [2007 c. 28 Sch. 14 para. 5\(2\)\(b\)](#)
- s. 24(1) s. 24 renumbered as s. 24(1) by [2007 c. 28 Sch. 14 para. 5\(3\)](#)
- s. 24(2) inserted by [2007 c. 28 Sch. 14 para. 5\(3\)](#)