



Guardianship (Missing Persons) Act 2017

2017 CHAPTER 27

General

25 Extent, commencement and short title

- (1) This Act extends to England and Wales only.
- (2) The following come into force on the day on which this Act is passed—
 - (a) section 16(5) to (7),
 - (b) section 17, so far as it confers power to make regulations,
 - (c) section 18(6) to (8), and
 - (d) section 24 and this section.
- (3) Subject to subsection (2), the provisions of this Act come into force on such day as the Secretary of State may appoint by regulations made by statutory instrument.
- (4) Regulations under this section may—
 - (a) appoint different days for different purposes, and
 - (b) include transitional, transitory or saving provision.
- (5) This Act may be cited as the Guardianship (Missing Persons) Act 2017.