

# Powers of Attorney Act 2023

## **CHAPTER 42**

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Part 1 — REGISTRATION OF LASTING POWERS OF ATTORNEY

#### Introduction

Schedule 1 to the Mental Capacity Act 2005 (lasting powers...

Application for registration of lasting power of attorney

- In paragraph 4— (a) in sub-paragraph (1)(a), after "made" insert...
- After that paragraph insert— If it appears to the Public Guardian that the instrument...

#### **Notifications**

(1) Omit paragraph 6. (2) For paragraph 7 substitute—(1) As soon as is practicable after both the conditions...

## Exclusion of notification requirements

5 For paragraph 10 and the italic heading before it substitute—...

#### *Identification requirements*

6 After paragraph 10 insert— Identification requirements (1) Regulations may impose, in respect of applications under paragraph...

#### Objections to registration

7 (1) In paragraph 13—(a) for sub-paragraph (3)(b) substitute—

## Evidence of registration

- 8 In paragraph 16— (a) in sub-paragraph (1), in the words...
  Part 2 MINOR AND CONSEQUENTIAL AMENDMENTS
- 9 The Mental Capacity Act 2005 is amended as follows.
- 10 In section 58(4) (functions of the Public Guardian), after paragraph...
- 11 In section 65 (rules, regulations and orders), in subsection (1)(c),...
- 12 (1) Schedule 1 is amended as follows.

# **Changes to legislation:**

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Powers of Attorney Act 2023.