
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2018 No. 638

**The Somerset West and Taunton (Modification of
Boundary Change Enactments) Regulations 2018**

Modifications of the Local Government and Public Involvement in Health Act 2007

3. Chapter 1 of Part 1 (structural and boundary change) of the 2007 Act applies to the relevant authorities as if—

- (a) in section 8 (review by Local Government Boundary Commission of local government areas)—
 - (i) after subsection (2) there were inserted—
 - “(2A) A principal authority may make a proposal to the Secretary of State for boundary change of its area.
 - (2B) An authority may make its own proposal under this section, or may make a proposal jointly with any other principal authority.”;
 - (ii) in subsection (4) after “recommended” there were inserted “or proposed”;
 - (iii) in subsection (8) after “Commission” in each place it occurs there were inserted “or the Secretary of State”;
- (b) in subsection (1) of section 10 (implementation of recommendations by order)—
 - (i) after “under section 8(2)” there were inserted “or a principal authority makes a proposal to the Secretary of State under section 8(2A)”;
 - (ii) in paragraph (a) after “recommendation” there were inserted “or proposal”;
 - (iii) in paragraph (b) after “recommendation” there were inserted “or proposal”.