



Local Government Act 1972

1972 CHAPTER 70

PART XI

GENERAL PROVISIONS AS TO LOCAL AUTHORITIES

Documents and notices, etc.

227 Provision of depositories for parish and community documents.

- (1) In the case of a parish or community having a separate parish or community council that council or, if they so request, the council of the district in which the parish ^{F1} . . . is situated [^{F2}or the council of the principal area in which the community is situated], shall provide proper depositories for all the specified papers belonging to the parish or community for which no provision is otherwise made.
- (2) In the case of a parish or community not having a separate parish or community council, the council of the district in which the parish ^{F1} . . . is situated [^{F2}or the council of the principal area in which the community is situated] shall provide proper depositories for all the specified papers under the control of the parish meeting or belonging to the community but in England only with the consent of the parish meeting of the parish.

Textual Amendments

- F1** Words in s. 227(1)(2) repealed (1.4.1996) by 1994 c. 19, s. 66(5)(8), Sch. 15 para. 48, **Sch. 18** (with ss. 54(5)(7), 55(5), Sch. 17 paras. 22(1), 23(2)); S.I. 1996/396, art. 4, **Sch. 2**
- F2** Words in s. 227(1)(2) inserted (1.4.1996) by 1994 c. 19, s. 66(5), **Sch. 15 para. 48** (with ss. 54(5)(7), 55(5), Sch. 17 paras. 22(1), 23(2)); S.I. 1996/396, art. 4, **Sch. 2**

Modifications etc. (not altering text)

- C1** S. 227 modified (07.08.1991) by **S.I.1991/1773** art.8(2), Sch. 2
- S. 227: certain functions transferred (07.08.1991) by **S.I.1991/1773**, art. 8, **Sch. 2**

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C2 Ss. 224-234 applied (with modifications) (E.) (24.3.2011) by [The Hull and Goole Port Health Authority Order 2011 \(S.I. 2011/939\)](#), arts. 1(1), 7, **Sch. 1**

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Changes and effects yet to be applied to the whole Act associated Parts and Chapters:

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

- s. 80(3B) omitted by [2021 asc 1 Sch. 2 para. 1\(3\)\(c\)](#)
- s. 101(6ZA) inserted by [2023 c. 55 Sch. 12 para. 2](#)
- s. 123(2C) inserted by [2023 c. 55 s. 75](#)
- s. 131(2)(n) and word inserted by [2023 asc 3 Sch. 13 para. 16](#)