STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2016 No. 682

POLICE

The Protection of Freedoms Act 2012 (Destruction, Retention and Use of Biometric Data) (Transitional, Transitory and Saving Provisions) (Amendment) Order 2016

Made - - - -	*27th June 2016*
Laid before Parliament	*30th June 2016*
Coming into force - -	*30th October 2016*

The Secretary of State makes the following Order in exercise of the powers conferred by section 25 of the Protection of Freedoms Act 2012(**1**).

Citation and commencement

1. This Order may be cited as the Protection of Freedoms Act 2012 (Destruction, Retention and Use of Biometric Data) (Transitional, Transitory and Saving Provisions) (Amendment) Order 2016 and comes into force on 30th October 2016.

Amendment of the Protection of Freedoms Act 2012 (Destruction, Retention and Use of Biometric Data) (Transitional, Transitory and Saving Provisions) Order 2013

2. The Protection of Freedoms Act 2012 (Destruction, Retention and Use of Biometric Data) (Transitional, Transitory and Saving Provisions) Order 2013(**2**) is amended as follows.

Amendment of article 7

3. At the beginning of article 7 insert "Other than in relation to Northern Ireland material,".

New articles 7A and 7B

4. After article 7, insert the following articles—

"**7A.** In relation to Northern Ireland material, the provisions of the Act set out in paragraphs (a) to (d) of article 7 shall apply from 31st October 2018.

(**1**) 2012 c. 9.
(**2**) S.I. 2013/1813, amended by S.I. 2015/1739; there are other amending instruments but none is relevant