STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2015 No. 1422

FAMILY LAW, ENGLAND AND WALES

The Female Genital Mutilation Protection Order (Relevant Third Party) Regulations 2015

Made - - - -	*25th June 2015*
Laid before Parliament	*26th June 2015*
Coming into force - -	*17th July 2015*

The Lord Chancellor, in exercise of the power conferred by paragraph 2(7) of Part 1 of Schedule 2 to the Female Genital Mutilation Act 2003(**1**), makes the following Regulations:

Citation and commencement

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Female Genital Mutilation Protection Order (Relevant Third Party) Regulations 2015 and come into force on 17th July 2015.

Interpretation

2. In these Regulations "local authority" means—

(a) a county council in England;

(b) a metropolitan district council;

(c) a non-metropolitan district council for an area for which there is no county council;

(d) the council of a county or county borough in Wales;

(e) a London borough council;

(f) the Common Council of the City of London;

(g) the Council of the Isles of Scilly.

Specification of a relevant third party

3. A local authority is specified as a relevant third party for the purposes of paragraph 2(2)(b) of Part 1 of Schedule 2 to the Female Genital Mutilation Act 2003.

(**1**) 2003 c. 31. Schedule 2 was inserted by section 73(2) of the Serious Crime Act 2015 (c. 9).