WELSH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2003 No. 525 (W.73) (C.28)

POLICE, WALES

The Police Reform Act 2002 (Commencement) (Wales) Order 2003

Made - - - - 5th March 2003

The National Assembly for Wales, in exercise of the powers conferred on it by section 108(4) of the Police Reform Act 2002(**1**), hereby makes the following Order:

Name and interpretation

1.—(1) This Order is called the Police Reform Act 2002 (Commencement) (Wales) Order 2003.

(2) In this Order, "the 2002 Act" means the Police Reform Act 2002.

Commencement

2. Sections 97 and 98 of the 2002 Act (crime and disorder reduction partnerships and the National Assembly for Wales's role in relation to strategies) are to come into force on *1st April 2003* so far as they relate to local government areas in Wales.

Signed on behalf of the National Assembly for Wales under section 66(1) of the Government of Wales Act 1998(**2**).

D.Elis-Thomas
5th March 2003 The Presiding Officer of the National Assembly

(**1**) 2002 c. 30.
(**2**) 1998 c. 38.