Draft Order laid before Parliament under section 82(2)(a) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000, for approval by resolution of each House of Parliament.

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2009 No. 0000

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION

The Freedom of Information (Parliament) Order 2009

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The Secretary of State makes the following Order in exercise of the powers conferred by section 7(3)(a) and (b) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000(**1**).

A draft of this Order was laid before Parliament and approved by a resolution of each House of Parliament in accordance with section 82(2)(a) of that Act.

Citation and commencement

1.—(1) This Order may be cited as the Freedom of Information (Parliament) Order 2009.

(2) This Order comes into force on the day after the day on which it is made.

Amendment of Schedule 1

2.—(1) Part 1 of Schedule 1 to the Freedom of Information Act 2000(**2**) is amended as follows.

(2) In paragraph 2, for paragraph (d) and all the words following it substitute—

information relating to any expenditure in respect of which—

(i) a claim has been made to either House of Parliament by a member of either House, or

(ii) a payment has been made by either House of Parliament to or on behalf of a member of either House.

Paragraphs (b) and (d) do not except information relating to the total amount of expenditure incurred in respect of a member during any year, other than expenditure on security arrangements.”.

(3) In paragraph 3, for paragraph (d) and all the words following it substitute—

(**1**) 2000 c.36. The functions of the Lord Chancellor under section 7 were transferred to the Secretary of State by the Secretary of State for Constitutional Affairs Order 2003 (S.I. 2003/1887). Those functions had previously been transferred to the Lord Chancellor by the Transfer of Functions (Miscellaneous) Order 2001 (S.I. 2001/3500), which Order amended that section accordingly.

(**2**) Part 1 of Schedule 1 was previously amended by the Freedom of Information (Parliament and National Assembly for Wales) Order 2008 (S.I. 2008/1967).