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SCOTTISH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**SPORTS GROUNDS AND SPORTING EVENTS**

The Glasgow Commonwealth Games  
(Games Locations) Order 2013

*Made* - - - - 5th September 2013  
*Laid before the Scottish  
Parliament* - - - - 9th September 2013  
*Coming into force* - - 8th October 2013

The Scottish Ministers make the following Order in exercise of the powers conferred by section 1(2)(b)(ii) of the Glasgow Commonwealth Games Act 2008<sup>(1)</sup> and all other powers enabling them to do so.

**Citation and commencement**

1. This Order may be cited as the Glasgow Commonwealth Games (Games Locations) Order 2013 and comes into force on 8th October 2013.

**Games locations**

2. The following places are specified as Games locations in terms of section 1(2) of the Glasgow Commonwealth Games Act 2008—

- (a) the Merchant City, Glasgow; and
- (b) George Square, Glasgow.

St Andrew's House, Edinburgh  
5th September 2013

*SHONA ROBISON*  
Authorised to sign by the Scottish Ministers

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## EXPLANATORY NOTE

*(This note is not part of the Order)*

In terms of section 1(2) of the Glasgow Commonwealth Games Act 2008 (“the 2008 Act”), a “Games location” is a place in which an event is held as part of the Games and any other place specified by order which is used in connection with the Games.

This Order specifies the Merchant City and George Square, Glasgow as Games locations. Cultural events are to be held in these places in connection with the Games.

The main effect of specifying a place as a Games location is that the restrictions in sections 2 (trading) and 10 (advertising) of the 2008 Act will apply in the vicinity of the locations.

Regulations to be made in connection with those sections will specify (by reference to maps) the places which are to be treated as being in the vicinity of each Games location.