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SCOTTISH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**2020 No. 119 (C. 12)**

**EQUALITY  
PUBLIC BODIES**

**The Gender Representation on Public Boards (Scotland)  
Act 2018 (Commencement No. 2) Regulations 2020**

<i>Made</i>	- - - -	<i>1st April 2020</i>
<i>Laid before the Scottish Parliament</i>	- - - -	<i>3rd April 2020</i>
<i>Coming into force</i>	- -	<i>29th May 2020</i>

The Scottish Ministers make the following Regulations in exercise of the powers conferred by section 13(2) of the Gender Representation on Public Boards (Scotland) Act 2018<sup>(1)</sup>.

**Citation and commencement**

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Gender Representation on Public Boards (Scotland) Act 2018 (Commencement No. 2) Regulations 2020 and come into force on 29 May 2020.

**Appointed day**

2. The day appointed for the coming into force of section 1, sections 3 to 6, sections 9 to 11 and schedule 2 of the Gender Representation on Public Boards (Scotland) Act 2018 is 29 May 2020.

St Andrew's House,  
Edinburgh  
1st April 2020

*CHRISTINA MCKELVIE*  
Authorised to sign by the Scottish Ministers

**Status:** This is the original version (as it was originally made). This item of legislation is currently only available in its original format.

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## EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

These Regulations bring into force section 1, sections 3 to 6, sections 9 to 11 and schedule 2 of the Gender Representation on Public Boards (Scotland) Act 2018 (“the Act”) on 29 May 2020.

The Bill for the Act received Royal Assent on 9 March 2018. Sections 13 and 14 came into force the following day. Section 2 (key definitions), section 7 (guidance on operation of Act), section 8 (reports on operation of Act), section 12 (regulations) and schedule 1 of the Act came into force on 1 December 2018.

## NOTE AS TO EARLIER COMMENCEMENT REGULATIONS

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

The following provisions of the Gender Representation on Public Boards (Scotland) Act 2018 were brought into force by commencement Regulations made before the date of these Regulations:—

<i>Provision</i>	<i>Date of Commencement</i>	<i>Instrument No.</i>
Sections 2, 7, 8 and 12	1 December 2018	<a href="#">S.S.I. 2018/340</a>
Schedule 1	1 December 2018	<a href="#">S.S.I. 2018/340</a>