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## **EXPLANATORY NOTES**

## **COMMENTARY ON SECTIONS**

Section 10: Removal of limit on holding of non-withdrawable shares

Section 10 amends section 6(1) of the 1969 Act to amend the £20,000 limit on the holding of withdrawable shares and replacing the previous limit with a new maximum of £100,000 per shareholding member. There will be no limit on shareholdings of shares that are non-withdrawable.