



# Insolvency Act 1986

## 1986 CHAPTER 45

The First Group of Parts Company Insolvency ; Companies Winding Up

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WINDING UP OF COMPANIES REGISTERED UNDER THE COMPANIES ACTS

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WINDING UP BY THE COURT

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#### **132 Investigation by official receiver**

- (1) Where a winding-up order is made by the court in England and Wales, it is the duty of the official receiver to investigate—
  - (a) if the company has failed, the causes of the failure; and
  - (b) generally, the promotion, formation, business, dealings and affairs of the company,and to make such report (if any) to the court as he thinks fit.
- (2) The report is, in any proceedings, prima facie evidence of the facts stated in it.