

# Groceries Code Adjudicator Act 2013

## **2013 CHAPTER 19**

What are the Adjudicator's reporting requirements?

## 14 Annual report

- (1) After the end of each reporting period the Adjudicator must prepare and publish a report describing what the Adjudicator has done during the period.
- (2) The report must include a summary of-
  - (a) disputes referred to arbitration under the Groceries Supply Order;
  - (b) investigations carried out by the Adjudicator; and
  - (c) cases in which the Adjudicator has used the enforcement measures mentioned in section 6.
- (3) If the Adjudicator has made recommendations under section 7, the report must include an assessment of whether they have been followed.
- (4) The report must set out any recommendations that the Adjudicator has made to the [<sup>F1</sup>Competition and Markets Authority] for changes to the Groceries Code.
- (5) As well as publishing the report, the Adjudicator must send a copy to-
  - (a) the Secretary of State; and
  - (b) the [<sup>F2</sup>Competition and Markets Authority].
- (6) The Secretary of State must lay a copy of the report before Parliament.
- (7) In this section "reporting period" means—
  - (a) the period beginning with the day on which section 1 comes into force and ending with the following 31 March; and
  - (b) each successive period of 12 months.

*Changes to legislation:* There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Groceries Code Adjudicator Act 2013, Section 14. (See end of Document for details)

#### **Textual Amendments**

- F1 Words in s. 14(4) substituted (1.4.2014) by The Enterprise and Regulatory Reform Act 2013 (Competition) (Consequential, Transitional and Saving Provisions) Order 2014 (S.I. 2014/892), art. 1(1), Sch. 1 para. 206 (with art. 3)
- **F2** Words in s. 14(5)(b) substituted (1.4.2014) by The Enterprise and Regulatory Reform Act 2013 (Competition) (Consequential, Transitional and Saving Provisions) Order 2014 (S.I. 2014/892), art. 1(1), Sch. 1 para. 206 (with art. 3)

### **Commencement Information**

II S. 14 in force at 25.6.2013 by S.I. 2013/1236, art. 2

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