



# Co-operative and Community Benefit Societies Act 2014

## 2014 CHAPTER 14

### PART 2

#### NAME, RULES, POWERS ETC

##### *Rules: general*

#### **16 Amendment of rules**

- (1) Any amendment of a registered society's rules is not valid until the amendment is registered under this Act.
- (2) A registered society must give the FCA 2 copies of any amendment to its rules, signed by the society's secretary and—
  - (a) where both or all of its members are registered societies, by the secretaries of 2 of those registered societies;
  - (b) otherwise, by 3 of its members.
- (3) Subsections (1) and (2) do not apply to a change in a society's registered office or name, but—
  - (a) the FCA must be given notice of any change of registered office, and
  - (b) where such notice is given, or where a registered society's name is changed (see section 13), the FCA must register the change of registered office or name as an amendment of the society's rules.
- (4) If the FCA is satisfied that an amendment of a society's rules is not contrary to the provisions of this Act, it must—
  - (a) register the amendment, and
  - (b) give the society an acknowledgment of registration bearing the FCA's seal.

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**Modifications etc. (not altering text)**

- C1** S. 16(4) modified by 1979 c. 34, s. 4(3) (as substituted (1.8.2014) by [Co-operative and Community Benefit Societies Act 2014 \(c. 14\)](#), s. 154, [Sch. 4 para. 5\(2\)](#) (with [Sch. 5](#)))

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