



# Housing Act 1996

## 1996 CHAPTER 52

### PART I

#### SOCIAL RENTED SECTOR

#### CHAPTER V

#### MISCELLANEOUS AND GENERAL PROVISIONS

#### *Interpretation*

#### 59 Meaning of “officer” of registered social landlord.

- (1) References in this Part to an officer of a registered social landlord are—
- (a) in the case of a registered charity which is not <sup>F1</sup>a company], to any trustee, secretary or treasurer of the charity;
  - (b) in the case of an industrial and provident society, to any officer of the society as defined in section 74 of the <sup>M1</sup>Industrial and Provident Societies Act 1965; and
  - (c) in the case of <sup>F2</sup>a company (including a company that is a registered charity)] , to any director or other officer of the company within the meaning of <sup>F3</sup>the Companies Acts (see sections 250 and 1173(1) of the Companies Act 2006)] .
- (2) Any such reference includes, in the case of an industrial and provident society, a co-opted member of the committee of the society.

#### Textual Amendments

- F1** Words in s. 59(1)(a) substituted (1.10.2009) by [The Companies Act 2006 \(Consequential Amendments, Transitional Provisions and Savings\) Order 2009 \(S.I. 2009/1941\)](#), art. 1(2), [Sch. 1 para. 161\(2\)\(d\)](#) (with art. 10)

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- F2** Words in s. 59(1)(c) substituted (1.10.2009) by [The Companies Act 2006 \(Consequential Amendments, Transitional Provisions and Savings\) Order 2009 \(S.I. 2009/1941\)](#), art. 1(2), [Sch. 1 para. 161\(6\)\(a\)](#) (with art. 10)
- F3** Words in s. 59(1)(c) substituted (1.10.2009) by [The Companies Act 2006 \(Consequential Amendments, Transitional Provisions and Savings\) Order 2009 \(S.I. 2009/1941\)](#), art. 1(2), [Sch. 1 para. 161\(6\)\(b\)](#) (with art. 10)

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