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13 Not later than one month after its annual meeting, the...

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27 Any amount (other than a fee) which is required by...

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- 27 In determining its policy with respect to the amounts of...
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4 Accepting deposits.

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5 (1) Safeguarding and administering assets belonging to another which consist...

Managing investments

6 Managing, or offering or agreeing to manage, assets belonging to...

Investment advice

7 Giving or offering or agreeing to give advice to persons...

Establishing collective investment schemes

8 Establishing, operating or winding up a collective investment scheme, including...

Using computer-based systems for giving investment instructions

- 9 (1) Sending on behalf of another person instructions relating to... Part 1A — REGULATED ACTIVITIES: RECLAIM FUNDS
- 9A Activities of reclaim funds Part II — INVESTMENTS

General

10 The matters with respect to which provision may be made...

Securities

11 (1) Shares or stock in the share capital of a...

Instruments creating or acknowledging indebtedness

12 Any of the following— (a) debentures; (b) debenture stock;

Government and public securities

13 (1) Loan stock, bonds and other instruments—

Instruments giving entitlement to investments

14 (1) Warrants or other instruments entitling the holder to subscribe...

Certificates representing securities

15 Certificates or other instruments which confer contractual or property rights—...

Units in collective investment schemes

16 (1) Shares in or securities of an open-ended investment company....

Options

17 Options to acquire or dispose of property.

Futures

18 Rights under a contract for the sale of a commodity...

Contracts for differences

19 Rights under—(a) a contract for differences; or

Contracts of insurance

20 Rights under a contract of insurance, including rights under contracts...

Participation in Lloyd's syndicates

21 (1) The underwriting capacity of a Lloyd's syndicate.

Deposits

22 Rights under any contract under which a sum of money...

Loans and other forms of credit

23 (1) Rights under any contract under which one person provides...

Other finance arrangements involving land

23A (1) Rights under any arrangement for the provision of finance...

Contracts for hire of goods

23B (1) Rights under a contract for the bailment or (in...

Rights in investments

- Any right or interest in anything which is an investment...
 PART 2A REGULATED ACTIVITIES RELATING TO INFORMATION ABOUT PERSONS' FINANCIAL STANDING
- 24A General
- 24B *Providing credit reference services*

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- 24C Providing credit information services
- 24D Giving advice to a person other than a body corporate... PART 2B — REGULATED ACTIVITIES RELATING TO THE SETTING OF BENCHMARKS
- 24E General
- 24F Providing information
- 24G Administration
- 24H Determining or publishing benchmark or publishing connected information
 - Part III SUPPLEMENTAL PROVISIONS

The order-making power

25 (1) An order under section 22(1) or (1A) may—

Parliamentary control

26 (1) This paragraph applies to any order made under section...

Interpretation

27 (1) In this Schedule— "buying" includes acquiring for valuable consideration;...

SCHEDULE 3 — EEA Passport Rights Part I — DEFINED TERMS

The single market directives

1 "The single market directives" means— (a) the banking consolidation directive;...

The banking co-ordination directives

2 "The banking consolidation directive" means Directive 2006/48/ EC of the...

The insurance directives

3 (1) "The insurance directives" means the first, second and third...

The reinsurance directive

3A "The reinsurance directive "means Directive 2005/68/ EC of...

The investment services directive

4 Passport Rights

The insurance mediation directive

4A "The insurance mediation directive" means the European Parliament...

The UCITS directive

4B "The UCITS directive" means the Directive of the...

The markets in financial instruments directive

- 4C "The markets in financial instruments directive" means Directive 2004/39/ EC...
- 4D The emission allowance auctioning regulation

EEA firm

- 5 "EEA firm" means any of the following if it does...
- 5A In paragraph 5, " relevant office " means-

EEA authorisation

6 "EEA authorisation" means— (a) in relation to an...

EEA right

- 7 "EEA right" means the entitlement of a person to establish...
- 7A In paragraph 7, " relevant office " means-

EEA State

8 "EEA State" has the meaning given by Schedule...

Home state regulator

9 "Home state regulator" means the competent authority (within the meaning...

UK firm

- 10 "UK firm" means a person whose relevant office is in...
- 10A In paragraph 10, "relevant office" means—

UK investment firm

10B "UK investment firm" means a UK firm-

Host state regulator

11 "Host state regulator" means the competent authority (within the meaning...

Tied agent

- 11A "Tied agent" has the meaning given in Article 4.1.25 of...
- 11B Management company
- 11C UCITS

Part II — EXERCISE OF PASSPORT RIGHTS BY EEA FIRMS

Firms qualifying for authorisation

12 (1) Once an EEA firm which is seeking to establish...

Establishment

13 (1) If the firm falls within paragraph 5(a), (b), (c),...

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Services

14 (1) The service conditions are that— (a) the firm has...

Grant of permission

- 15 (1) On qualifying for authorisation as a result of paragraph...
- 15ZA Grant of permission: bidding for emission allowances

Power to restrict permission of management companies

- 15A Application for approval to manage UCITS
- 15B Representations and references to the Tribunal
- 15C Information to home state regulator

Effect of carrying on regulated activity when not qualified for authorisation

16 (1) This paragraph applies to an EEA firm which is...

Continuing regulation of EEA firms

17 Regulations may— (za) require the FCA and the PRA to...

Giving up right to authorisation

18 Regulations may provide that in prescribed circumstances an EEA firm...

Part III — EXERCISE OF PASSPORT RIGHTS BY UK FIRMS

Meaning of "the appropriate UK regulator"

18A In this Part of this Schedule "the appropriate UK...

Establishment

19 (1) Subject to sub-paragraphs (5ZA), (5ZB) and (5A), a...

Services

- 20 (1) Subject to sub-paragraphs (4D) and (4E), a UK firm...
- 20ZA Information for host state regulator

Tied agents

- 20A (1) If a UK investment firm is seeking to use...
- 20B Notice of intention to market

Offence relating to exercise of passport rights

21 (1) If a UK firm which is not an authorised...

Continuing regulation of UK firms

- 22 (1) Regulations may make such provision as the Treasury consider...
- 23 (1) Sub-paragraphs (2) and (2A) apply if a UK firm—...
- 24 (1) Sub-paragraph (2) applies if a UK firm—

Arrangements between FCA and PRA

24A (1) The regulators may make arrangements about—

Information to be included in the public record

- 25 The FCA must include in the record that it maintains...
- 26 UK management companies: delegation of functions
- 27 UK management companies: withdrawal of authorisation
- 28 Management companies: request for information

SCHEDULE 4 — Treaty Rights

Definitions

1 Treaty Rights

Firms qualifying for authorisation

2 Once a Treaty firm which is seeking to carry on...

Exercise of Treaty rights

3 (1) The conditions are that— (a) the firm has received...

Notification between UK regulators

3A Regulations may require the PRA and the FCA to notify...

Permission

4 (1) On qualifying for authorisation under this Schedule, a Treaty...

Notice to UK regulator

5 (1) Sub-paragraph (2) applies to a Treaty firm which—

Offences

6 (1) A person who contravenes paragraph 5(2) is guilty of...

SCHEDULE 5 — Persons Concerned in Collective Investment Schemes

Authorisation

1 (1) A person who for the time being is an...

Permission

2 (1) A person authorised as a result of paragraph 1(1)...

SCHEDULE 6 — Threshold Conditions Part I — PART IV PERMISSION

Legal status

1 (1) If the regulated activity concerned is the effecting or...

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Location of offices

- 2 (1) Subject to sub-paragraphs (2A) and (3), if the person...
- 2A Appointment of claims representatives

Close links

3 (1) If the person concerned ("A") has close links with...

Adequate resources

4 (1) The resources of the person concerned must, in the...

Suitability

5 The person concerned must satisfy the Authority that he is... Part II — AUTHORISATION

Authorisation under Schedule 3

6 In relation to an EEA firm qualifying for authorisation under...

Authorisation under Schedule 4

- 7 In relation to a person who qualifies for authorisation under... Part III — ADDITIONAL CONDITIONS
- 8 (1) If this paragraph applies to the person concerned, he...
- 9 The Treasury may by order—(a) vary or remove any...

SCHEDULE 7 — The Authority as Competent Authority for Part VI

General

 1

 The Authority's general functions

 2

 2

 Duty to consult

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 Rules

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 Statements of policy

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 Penalties

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		Fees
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		Exemption from liability in damages
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SCHEDULE 8 — Transfer of functions under Part VI		
		The power to transfer
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		Supplemental
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	SCHEDULE 9 —	
		General application of Part VI
	1	The provisions of Part VI apply in relation to a
		References to listing particulars
	2	(1) Any reference to listing particulars is to be read
		General duty of disclosure
	3	(1) In section 80(1), for "section 79" substitute " section
		Supplementary prospectuses
	4	In section 81(1), for "section 79 and before the commencement
		Exemption from liability for compensation
	5	(1) In paragraphs 1(3) and 2(3) of Schedule 10, for
		Advertisements
	6	In section 98(1), for "If listing particulars are, or are
		Fees
	7	Listing rules made under section 99 may require the payment
SCHEDULE 10 — Compensation: Exemptions		
		Statements believed to be true
	1	(1) In this paragraph "statement" means— (a) any untrue or

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Statements by experts

2 (1) In this paragraph "statement" means a statement included in...

Corrections of statements

3 (1) In this paragraph "statement" has the same meaning as...

Corrections of statements by experts

4 (1) In this paragraph "statement" has the same meaning as...

Official statements

5 A person does not incur any liability under section 90(1)...

False or misleading information known about

6 A person does not incur any liability under section 90(1)...

Belief that supplementary listing particulars not called for

7 A person does not incur any liability under section 90(4)...

Meaning of "expert"

8 "Expert" includes any engineer, valuer, accountant or other person whose...

SCHEDULE 10A — LIABILITY OF ISSUERS IN CONNECTION WITH PUBLISHED INFORMATION

- PART 1 SCOPE OF THIS SCHEDULE
- 1 Securities to which this Schedule applies
- 2 Published information to which this Schedule applies
 - PART 2 LIABILITY IN CONNECTION WITH PUBLISHED INFORMATION
- 3 Liability of issuer for misleading statement or dishonest omission
- 4 An issuer of securities to which this Schedule applies is...
- 5 Liability of issuer for dishonest delay in publishing information
- 6 Meaning of dishonesty
- 7 Exclusion of certain other liabilities
 - PART 3 SUPPLEMENTARY PROVISIONS
- 8 Interpretation

SCHEDULE 11 —

The general rule

1 (1) A person offers securities to the public in the...

Exempt offers

2 (1) For the purposes of this Schedule, an offer of...

Offers for business purposes

3 The securities are offered to persons— (a) whose ordinary activities...

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Offers to limited numbers

4 (1) The securities are offered to no more than fifty...

Clubs and associations

5 The securities are offered to the members of a club...

Restricted circles

6 (1) The securities are offered to a restricted circle of...

Underwriting agreements

7 The securities are offered in connection with a genuine invitation...

Offers to public authorities

8 (1) The securities are offered to a public authority.

Maximum consideration

9 (1) The total consideration payable for the securities cannot exceed...

Minimum consideration

10 (1) The minimum consideration which may be paid by any...

Securities denominated in euros

11 (1) The securities are denominated in amounts of at least...

Takeovers

12 (1) The securities are offered in connection with a takeover...

Mergers

13 The securities are offered in connection with a merger (within...

Free shares

14 (1) The securities are shares and are offered free of...

Exchange of shares

15 The securities— (a) are shares, or investments of a specified...

Qualifying persons

16 (1) The securities are issued by a body corporate and...

Convertible securities

17 (1) The securities result from the conversion of convertible securities...

Charities

18 The securities are issued by— (a) a charity within the...

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Building societies etc.

19 The securities offered are shares which are issued by, or...

Euro-securities

20 (1) The securities offered are Euro-securities and no advertisement relating...

Same class securities

21 The securities are of the same class, and were issued...

Short date securities

22 The securities are investments of a specified kind with a...

Government and public securities

23 (1) The securities are investments of a specified kind creating...

Non-transferable securities

- 24 The securities are not transferable.
- 24A Units in a collective investment scheme

General definitions

25 For the purposes of this Schedule— "shares" has such meaning...

SCHEDULE 11A — TRANSFERABLE SECURITIES PART 1

- 1 Units (within the meaning in section 237(2)) in an open-ended...
- 2 Non-equity transferable securities issued by (a) the government of an...
- 3 Shares in the share capital of the central bank of...
- 4 Transferable securities unconditionally and irrevocably guaranteed by the government, or...
- 5 (1) Non-equity transferable securities, issued in a continuous or repeated...
- 6 Non-fungible shares of capital— (a) the main purpose of which... PART 2
- 7 (1) Transferable securities issued by a body specified in sub-paragraph...
- 8 (1) Non-equity transferable securities, issued in a continuous or repeated...
- 9 (1) Transferable securities included in an offer where the total...

SCHEDULE 11B — CONNECTED PERSONS

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PART 1 — MEANING OF "CONNECTED PERSON"
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- 1 Introduction
- 2 Meaning of "connected person"
- 3 Family members
- 4 Associated bodies corporate
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PART 2 — CONNECTED PERSONS: REFERENCES TO AN INTEREST IN SHARES OR DEBENTURES

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- 7 Introduction
- 8 General provisions
- 9 Rights to acquire shares
- 10 Right to exercise or control exercise of rights
- 11 Bodies corporate
- 12 Trusts

SCHEDULE 12 — Transfer schemes: certificates

- Part I INSURANCE BUSINESS TRANSFER SCHEMES
- 1 (1) For the purposes of section 111(2) the appropriate certificates,...

Certificates as to margin of solvency

2 (1) A certificate under this paragraph is to be given—...

Certificates as to consent

3 A certificate under this paragraph is one given by the...

Certificates as to long-term business

4 A certificate under this paragraph is one given by the...

Certificates as to general business

5 A certificate under this paragraph is one given by the...

Certificates as to legality and as to consent

5A (1) The certificates under this paragraph are to be given—...

Interpretation of Part I

- 6 (1) "State of the commitment", in relation to a commitment... Part II — BANKING BUSINESS TRANSFER SCHEMES
- 7 (1) For the purposes of section 111(2) the appropriate certificates,...

Certificates as to financial resources

8 (1) A certificate under this paragraph is one given by...

Certificates as to consent of home state regulator

9 A certificate under this paragraph is one given by the... Part 2A — RECLAIM FUND BUSINESS TRANSFER SCHEMES
9A Certificate as to financial resources Part III — INSURANCE BUSINESS TRANSFERS EFFECTED OUTSIDE THE UNITED KINGDOM
10 (1) This paragraph applies to a proposal to execute under...

SCHEDULE 13 — Part I — GENERAL

Interpretation

1 In this Schedule— "panel of chairmen" means the panel established... Part II — THE TRIBUNAL

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President

2 (1) The Lord Chancellor must appoint one of the members...

Panels

3 (1) The Lord Chancellor must appoint a panel of persons...

Terms of office etc

4 (1) Subject to the provisions of this Schedule, each member...

Remuneration and expenses

5 The Lord Chancellor may pay to any person, in respect...

Staff

- 6 (1) The Lord Chancellor may appoint such staff for the... Part III — CONSTITUTION OF TRIBUNAL
- 7 (1) On a reference to the Tribunal, the persons to... Part IV — TRIBUNAL PROCEDURE
- 8 For the purpose of dealing with references, or any matter...
- 9 Rules made by the Lord Chancellor under section 132 may,...

Practice directions

10 The President of the Tribunal may give directions as to...

Evidence

11 (1) The Tribunal may by summons require any person to...

Decisions of Tribunal

12 (1) A decision of the Tribunal may be taken by...

Costs

- 13 (1) If the Tribunal considers that a party to any...
- SCHEDULE 14 Role of the Competition Commission

Provision of information by Treasury

1 (1) The Treasury's powers under this paragraph are to be...

Consideration of matters arising on a report

- 2 In considering any matter arising from a report made by... Investigations under section 162: application of Enterprise Act 2002
- 2A (1) The following sections of Part 3 of the Enterprise... Section 162: modification of Schedule 7 to the Competition Act...
- 2B For the purposes of its application in relation to the... Reports under section 162: further provision
- (1) For the normalized function 1(2 fthis A)
- 2C (1) For the purposes of section 163 of this Act,...

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Applied provisions

3 Role of the Competition Commission

Publication of reports

4 (1) If the Commission makes a report under section 162,...

SCHEDULE 15 — Information and Investigations: Connected Persons Part I — RULES FOR SPECIFIC BODIES

Corporate bodies

1 If the authorised person ("BC") is a body corporate, a...

Partnerships

2 If the authorised person ("PP") is a partnership, a person...

Unincorporated associations

3 If the authorised person ("UA") is an unincorporated association of...

Friendly societies

4 (1) If the authorised person ("FS") is a friendly society,...

Building societies

5 (1) If the authorised person ("BS") is a building society,...

Individuals

6 If the authorised person ("IP") is an individual, a person...

Application to sections 171 and 172

- 7 For the purposes of sections 171 and 172, if the... Part II — ADDITIONAL RULES
- 8 A person who is, or at the relevant time was,...

SCHEDULE 16 — Prohibitions and Restrictions imposed by OFFICE OF FAIR TRADING

Preliminary

1 In this Schedule— "appeal period" has the same meaning as...

Notice of prohibition or restriction

2 (1) This paragraph applies if the OFT proposes, in relation...

Application to revoke prohibition or restriction

3 (1) This paragraph applies if the OFT proposes to refuse...

Representations to OFT

4 (1) If this paragraph applies to an invitation to submit...

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Appeals

- 5 Section 41 of the Consumer Credit Act 1974 (appeals to...
- SCHEDULE 17 The Ombudsman Scheme Part I — GENERAL

Interpretation

1 In this Schedule— "ombudsman" means a person who is a... Part II — THE SCHEME OPERATOR

Duty of FCA

2 The FCA must take such steps as are necessary to...

Constitution

3 (1) The constitution of the scheme operator must provide for...

Relationship with FCA

3A (1) The scheme operator and the FCA must each take...

The panel of ombudsmen

4 (1) The scheme operator must appoint and maintain a panel...

The Chief Ombudsman

5 (1) The scheme operator must appoint one member of the...

Status

6 (1) The scheme operator is not to be regarded as...

Annual reports

7 (1) At least once a year—(a) the scheme operator...

Audit of accounts

7A (1) The scheme operator must send a copy of its...

Information, advice and guidance

8 The scheme operator may publish such information, guidance or advice...

Budget

9 (1) The scheme operator must, before the start of each...

Annual plan

9A (1) The scheme operator must in respect of each of...

Exemption from liability in damages

10 (1) No person is to be liable in damages for...

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Privilege

11 For the purposes of the law relating to defamation, proceedings... Part III — THE COMPULSORY JURISDICTION

Introduction

12 This Part of this Schedule applies only in relation to...

FCA's procedural rules

13 (1) The FCA must make rules providing that a complaint...

The scheme operator's rules

14 (1) The scheme operator must make rules, to be known...

Fees

15 (1) Scheme rules may require a respondent to pay to...

Enforcement of money awards

16 A money award, including interest, which has been registered in... Part 3A — THE CONSUMER CREDIT JURISDICTION

Introduction

16A This Part of this Schedule applies only in relation to...

Procedure for complaints etc.

16B (1) Consumer credit rules— (a) must provide that a complaint...

Fees

16C (1) Consumer credit rules may require a respondent to pay...

Enforcement of money awards

16D A money award, including interest, which has been registered in...

Procedure for consumer credit rules

16E (1) If the scheme operator makes any consumer credit rules,...

Verification of consumer credit rules

16F (1) The production of a printed copy of consumer credit...

Consultation

16G (1) If the scheme operator proposes to make consumer credit... Part IV — THE VOLUNTARY JURISDICTION

Introduction

17 This Part of this Schedule applies only in relation to...

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Terms of reference to the scheme

18 (1) Complaints are to be dealt with and determined under...

Delegation by and to other schemes

19 (1) The scheme operator may make arrangements with a relevant...

Voluntary jurisdiction rules: procedure

20 (1) If the scheme operator makes voluntary jurisdiction rules, it...

Verification of the rules

21 (1) The production of a printed copy of voluntary jurisdiction...

Consultation

22 (1) If the scheme operator proposes to make voluntary jurisdiction...

SCHEDULE 17A — Further provision in relation to exercise of Part 18 functions ... Part 1 — CO-OPERATION BETWEEN APPROPRIATE REGULATORS

Memorandum of understanding between appropriate regulators and PRA

- 1 The appropriate regulators must prepare and maintain a memorandum describing ...
- 2 The appropriate regulators and the PRA must prepare and maintain ...
- 3 The parties to a memorandum under paragraph 1 or 2 ...
- 4 The parties to a memorandum under paragraph 1 or 2 ...
- 5 The Treasury must lay before Parliament a copy of any ...
- 6 The parties to a memorandum under paragraph 1 or 2 ...

Notification by FCA of action in relation to recognised clearing ...

- 7 The FCA must notify the Bank of England of any ...
- 8 The FCA must notify the Bank of England of any ... Part 2 — APPLICATION OF PROVISIONS OF THIS ACT IN RELATION TO BANK ...

Introduction

9 The provisions of this Act mentioned in this Part of ...

Rules

10 The following provisions of Part 9A of this Act are ...

Information gathering and investigations

- 11 The powers conferred by section 165(1) and (3) (power to ...
- 12 The power conferred by section 166 (reports by skilled person) ...
- 13 The powers conferred by section 167 (appointment of persons to ...

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- 14 The power conferred by section 168(5) (appointment of persons to ...
- 15 An overseas regulator may, in accordance with section 169, request ...
- 16 The power to give information under section 176(1) (entry of ...

Powers in relation to parent undertakings

17 The following provisions of Part 12A of this Act are ...

Auditors

- 18 Section 342 (information given by auditor to a regulator) applies ...
- 19 Section 343 (information given by auditor: person with close links) ...
- 20 Section 344 (duty of auditor resigning to give notice) applies ...
- 21 Sections 345A to 345E apply to auditors to whom section ...

Public record and disclosure of information

- 22 Section 347 (record of authorised persons, recognised investment exchanges, etc), ...
- 23 Sections 348 to 350 and 353 (disclosure of information) apply ...

Insolvency

- 24 The following provisions of Part 24 of this Act are ...
- 25 In the case of any regulated activity which is carried ...

Injunctions and restitution

- 26 The power to make an application under section 380(1), (2) ...
- 27 The power to make an application under section 382(1) (restitution ...
- 28 The power conferred by section 384(5) (power of FCA to ...

Notices

29 The provisions of Part 26 of this Act (notices) apply ...

Offences

- 30 Section 398 (misleading the FCA: residual cases) applies to information ...
- 31 Section 401 (proceedings for an offence) applies to the Bank ...

Records

32 Paragraph 17 of Schedule 1ZB (records) applies in relation to ...

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Annual report

Paragraph 19 of Schedule 1ZB (annual report by PRA) applies ... Part 3 — WINDING UP, ADMINISTRATION OR INSOLVENCY OF UK CLEARING HOUSES

Notice to Bank of England of preliminary steps

34 An application for an administration order in respect of a ...

Power to give directions to insolvency practitioner

- 35 This paragraph applies where a person has been appointed to ... Part 4 — FEES
- 36 The Bank of England may, in connection with the discharge ...
- 37 Any fee which is owed to the Bank under paragraph ...

SCHEDULE 18 — Mutuals Part I — FRIENDLY SOCIETIES

The Friendly Societies Act 1974 (c.46)

- 1 Omit sections 4 (provision for separate registration areas) and 10...
- 2 In section 7 (societies which may be registered), in subsection...
- 3 In section 11 (additional registration requirements for societies with branches)....
- 4 In section 99(4) (punishment of fraud etc and recovery of...

The Friendly Societies Act 1992 (c.40)

- 5 Omit sections 31 to 36A (authorisation of friendly societies business)....
- 6 In section 37 (restrictions on combinations of business), omit subsections...
- 7 Omit sections 38 to 43 (restrictions on business of certain...
- 8 Omit sections 44 to 50 (regulation of friendly societies business).... Part II — FRIENDLY SOCIETIES: SUBSIDIARIES AND CONTROLLED BODIES

Interpretation

9 In this Part of this Schedule— "the 1992 Act" means...

Qualifying bodies

10 (1) Subsections (2) to (5) of section 13 (incorporated friendly...

Bodies controlled by societies

11 In section 13(9) (defined terms), after paragraph (a) insert—

Joint control by societies

12 In section 13(9), after paragraph (c) insert—

Acquisition of joint control

13 In section 13(9), in the words following paragraph (d), after...

Amendment of Schedule 8 to the 1992 Act

14 (1) Schedule 8 to the 1992 Act (provisions supplementing section...

Consequential amendments

15 (1) Section 52 of the 1992 Act is amended as...

References in other enactments

16 References in any provision of, or made under, any enactment... Part III — BUILDING SOCIETIES

The Building Societies Act 1986 (c.53)

- 17 Omit section 9 (initial authorisation to raise funds and borrow...
- 18 Omit Schedule 3 (supplementary provisions about authorisation). Part IV — INDUSTRIAL AND PROVIDENT SOCIETIES

The Industrial and Provident Societies Act 1965 (c.12)

- 19 Omit section 8 (provision for separate registration areas for Scotland...
- 20 Omit section 70 (scale of fees to be paid in...
 - Part V CREDIT UNIONS

The Credit Unions Act 1979 (c.34)

- 21 In section 6 (minimum and maximum number of members), omit...
- 22 In section 11 (loans), omit subsections (2) and (6).
- 23 Omit sections 11B (loans approved by credit unions), 11C (grant...
- 24 In section 12, omit subsections (4) and (5).
- 25 In section 14, omit subsections (2), (3), (5) and (6)....
- 26 In section 28 (offences), omit subsection (2).

SCHEDULE 19 —

- Part I PERSONS AND FUNCTIONS FOR THE PURPOSES OF SECTION 351 1 The Table set out after this paragraph has effect for...
 - Part II THE ENACTMENTS
- 1 The Fair Trading Act 1973
- 2 The Consumer Credit Act 1974
- 3 The Estate Agents Act 1979
- 4 The Competition Act 1980
- 5 The Telecommunications Act 1984
- 6 The Airports Act 1986
- 7 The Gas Act 1986
- 8 The Control of Misleading Advertisements Regulations 1988
- 9 The Electricity Act 1989
- 10 The Broadcasting Act 1990
- 11 The Water Industry Act 1991
- 12 The Electricity (Northern Ireland) Order 1992
- 13 The Railways Act 1993
- 14 Part IV of the Airports (Northern Ireland) Order 1994

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- 15 The Gas (Northern Ireland) Order 1996
- 16 The EC Competition (Articles 88 and 89) Enforcement Regulations 1996...
- 17 The Unfair Terms in Consumer Contracts Regulations 1999
- 18 This Act.
- 19 An enactment specified for the purposes of this paragraph in...

SCHEDULE 20 — Minor and Consequential Amendments

The House of Commons Disqualification Act 1975 (c. 24)

1 In Part III of Schedule 1 to the House of...

The Northern Ireland Assembly Disqualification Act 1975 (c. 25)

2 In Part III of Schedule 1 to the Northern Ireland...

The Civil Jurisdiction and Judgments Act 1982 (c. 27)

3 In paragraph 10 of Schedule 5 to the Civil Jurisdiction...

The Income and Corporation Taxes Act 1988 (c. 1)

4 (1) The Income and Corporation Taxes Act 1988 is amended...

The Finance Act 1991 (c. 31)

5 (1) The Finance Act 1991 is amended as follows.

The Tribunals and Inquiries Act 1992 (c. 53)

6 Minor and Consequential Amendments

The Judicial Pensions and Retirement Act 1993 (c. 8)

7 (1) The Judicial Pensions and Retirement Act 1993 is amended...

SCHEDULE 21 — Transitional Provisions and Savings

Self-regulating organisations

1 (1) No new application under section 9 of the 1986...

Self-regulating organisations for friendly societies

2 (1) No new application under paragraph 2 of Schedule 11...

SCHEDULE 22 — Repeals

Status:

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