

2014 CHAPTER 8

PART 16 MISCELLANEOUS

Contracts and disposals

Control of disposals and contracts of existing councils and their finances

- 116.—(1) Chapter 2 of Part 2 of the Local Government (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act (Northern Ireland) 2010 (control of disposals and contracts of existing councils) is amended as follows.
- (2) At the end of the heading to Chapter 2 there shall be added the words "AND THEIR FINANCES".
 - (3) In section 10 (control of disposals and contracts of existing councils)—
 - (a) at the end of the heading there shall be added the words "and their finances";
 - (b) in subsection (1), after the words "consent of" there shall be added the words "its successor council or";
 - (c) at the end of subsection (1) there shall be added the following paragraphs—
 - "(d) borrow any sum exceeding a specified sum (or any sums exceeding in total any specified sum);
 - (e) reduce any financial reserve of a specified description below a specified limit.";
 - (d) in subsection (3), after the words "consent of" there shall be inserted the words "a successor council or".

- (4) In section 11 (directions: supplementary), in subsection (4)(b) after the words "council concerned and" there shall be inserted the words "its successor council or".
- (5) In section 13 (referral to Department where consent refused or granted subject to conditions)—
 - (a) in subsection (1)—
 - (i) in paragraph (a), after the words "consent of" there shall be inserted the words "a successor council or";
 - (ii) in paragraph (b), after the words "refused by" there shall be inserted the words "the successor council or";
 - (b) in subsection (2), after the words "decision of" there shall be inserted the words "the successor council or";
 - (c) in subsection (3), omit the words "of a statutory transition committee";
 - (d) in subsection (4)(a), after the words "made by the" there shall be inserted the words "successor council or".