

## **2016 CHAPTER 1**

## PART 1 CATEGORIES OF PENSION SCHEME

## Introduction

- 1.—(1) This Part defines some key expressions used in pensions legislation—
  - (a) defined benefits scheme see section 2;
  - (b) shared risk scheme (sometimes known as "defined ambition") see section 3;
  - (c) defined contributions scheme see section 4.
- (2) The definitions—
  - (a) do not apply in any public service pensions legislation;
  - (b) apply in other legislation only where legislation expressly provides for the definitions to apply.