### STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

# 2021 No. 243

The Pensions Regulator (Information Gathering Powers and Modification) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2021

## PART 2

### **INTERVIEWS**

#### Interview notice

- **3.**—(1) A notice issued by the Regulator under Article 67A(1) (interviews) ("the interview notice") must contain the following information—
  - (a) the details of the person required to attend the interview with the Regulator ("the interviewee");
  - (b) the power under which the interview is being conducted;
  - (c) the functions of the Regulator engaged;
  - (d) an explanation as to why the interview is being conducted;
  - (e) details of how the interview process will be conducted;
  - (f) the interviewee's right to be represented at the interview;
  - (g) an explanation that any statements made by the interviewee during the interview will be subject to Article 282(1) (admissibility of statements);
  - (h) the legal effect of the interview notice and the possible sanctions for non-compliance;
  - (i) the process for rearranging the time or place of the interview.
- (2) Where an interview is being conducted virtually via an online communication platform, the interview notice must also contain details for accessing the online communication platform.

<sup>(1)</sup> Article 282 was amended by paragraph 21 of Schedule 1 to the Pensions Regulator Tribunal (Transfer of Functions) Act (Northern Ireland) 2010 (c. 4 (N.I.)) and is amended by paragraph 25 of Schedule 8 to the Pension Schemes Act 2021