



# Consumer Credit Act 1974

## 1974 CHAPTER 39

### PART IX

#### JUDICIAL CONTROL

#### *[<sup>F1</sup>Interest*

#### Textual Amendments

- F1** S. 130A and preceding cross-heading inserted (16.6.2006 for certain purposes and otherwise 1.10.2008) by [Consumer Credit Act 2006 \(c. 14\)](#), ss. {17}, 71(2) (with Sch. 3 para. 13); [S.I. 2006/1508, art. 3\(1\)](#), Sch. 1; [S.I. 2007/3300, art. 3\(3\)](#), Sch. 3

#### **130A Interest payable on judgment debts etc.**

- (1) If the creditor or owner under a regulated agreement wants to be able to recover from the debtor or hirer post-judgment interest in connection with a sum that is required to be paid under a judgment given in relation to the agreement (the ‘judgment sum’), he—
  - (a) after the giving of that judgment, shall give the debtor or hirer a notice under this section (the ‘first required notice’); and
  - (b) after the giving of the first required notice, shall give the debtor or hirer further notices under this section at intervals of not more than six months.
- (2) The debtor or hirer shall have no liability to pay post-judgment interest in connection with the judgment sum to the extent that the interest is calculated by reference to a period occurring before the day on which he is given the first required notice.
- (3) If the creditor or owner fails to give the debtor or hirer a notice under this section within the period of six months beginning with the day after the day on which such a notice was last given to the debtor or hirer, the debtor or hirer shall have no liability to pay post-judgment interest in connection with the judgment sum to the extent that the interest is calculated by reference to the whole or to a part of the period which—

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- (a) begins immediately after the end of that period of six months; and
  - (b) ends at the end of the day on which the notice is given to the debtor or hirer.
- (4) The debtor or hirer shall have no liability to pay any sum in connection with the preparation or the giving to him of a notice under this section.
- (5) A notice under this section may be incorporated in a statement or other notice which the creditor or owner gives the debtor or hirer in relation to the agreement by virtue of another provision of this Act.
- (6) Regulations may make provision about the form and content of notices under this section.
- (7) This section does not apply in relation to post-judgment interest which is required to be paid by virtue of any of the following—
- (a) section 4 of the Administration of Justice (Scotland) Act 1972;
  - (b) Article 127 of the Judgments Enforcement (Northern Ireland) Order 1981;
  - (c) section 74 of the County Courts Act 1984.
- (8) This section does not apply in relation to a non-commercial agreement or to a small agreement.
- (9) In this section ‘post-judgment interest’ means interest to the extent calculated by reference to a period occurring after the giving of the judgment under which the judgment sum is required to be paid.]

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**Modifications etc. (not altering text)**

- C1** S. 130A excluded (E.W.S.) (15.7.2014) by [The Financial Services and Markets Act 2000 \(Regulated Activities\) \(Green Deal\) \(Amendment\) Order 2014 \(S.I. 2014/1850\)](#), arts. 1(2), **12(8)** (with art. 1(3))

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**Changes and effects yet to be applied to the whole Act associated Parts and Chapters:**

Whole provisions yet to be inserted into this Act (including any effects on those provisions):

- s. 25(2A)(b)(ia) inserted by [2010 c. 28 Sch. 2 para. 36](#)