



# Broadcasting Act 1990

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- 2 (1) A person shall be disqualified for being a member...

#### *Tenure of office*

- 3 (1) Subject to the following provisions of this paragraph, each...

#### *Remuneration and pensions of members*

- 4 (1) The Commission may pay to each member such remuneration...

#### *Disqualification of members of Commission for House of Commons and Northern Ireland Assembly*

- 5 In Part II of Schedule 1 to the House of...

#### *Proceedings*

- 6 (1) Subject to paragraph 7, the quorum of the Commission...  
7 (1) A member who is in any way directly or...  
8 The validity of any proceedings of the Commission shall not...

#### *Employees of the Commission*

- 9 (1) The Commission shall appoint a secretary and may appoint...

#### *Authentication of Commission's seal*

- 10 The application of the seal of the Commission shall be...

#### *Presumption of authenticity of documents issued by Commission*

- 11 Any document purporting to be an instrument issued by the...

#### *Finances of Commission*

- 12 (1) It shall be the duty of the Commission so...

#### *Advances to Commission*

- 13 (1) For the purpose of— (a) furnishing the Commission with...

#### *Accounts and audit*

- 14 (1) The Commission shall keep proper accounts and proper records...

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- 15 (1) As soon as possible after the end of every...

*Advisory committees*

- 16 The Commission may appoint, or arrange for the assistance of,...

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- 3 (1) The following persons are disqualified persons in relation to...

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- 4 (1) A person is a disqualified person in relation to...

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- 6 The following persons are disqualified persons in relation to a...

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- 8 (1) Any restriction on participation imposed by or under paragraph...

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*Status and capacity*

- 1 (1) The Corporation shall be a body corporate.

*Appointment of members*

- 2 (1) A person shall be disqualified for being a member...

*Tenure of office*

- 3 (1) Subject to the following provisions of this paragraph, each...

*Remuneration and pensions of members*

- 4 (1) The Corporation may pay — (a) to each member...

*Disqualification of members of Corporation for  
House of Commons and Northern Ireland Assembly*

- 5 In Part II of Schedule 1 to the House of...

*Proceedings*

- 6 (1) Subject to paragraph 7, the quorum of the Corporation...  
7 (1) A member who is in any way directly or...  
8 The validity of any proceedings of the Corporation shall not...

*Employees of the Corporation*

- 9 (1) The Corporation shall appoint a chief executive of the...

*Authentication of Corporation's seal*

- 10 The application of the seal of the Corporation shall be...

*Presumption of authenticity of documents issued by Corporation*

- 11 Any document purporting to be an instrument issued by the...

*Accounts and audit*

- 12 (1) The Corporation shall keep proper accounts and proper records...

*Annual reports*

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#### *Conditions requiring licence holder to deliver promised service*

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#### *Failure to begin providing licensed service and financial penalties on revocation of licence*

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- 2 (1) A person shall be disqualified for being a member...

*Tenure of office*

- 3 (1) Subject to the following provisions of this paragraph, each...

*Remuneration and pensions of members*

- 4 (1) The Authority may pay to each member such remuneration...

*Disqualification of members of Authority for House of Commons*

- 5 In Part II of Schedule 1 to the House of...

*Proceedings*

- 6 (1) Subject to paragraph 7, the quorum of the Authority...  
7 (1) A member who is in any way directly or...  
8 The validity of any proceedings of the Authority shall not...

*Employees of the Authority*

- 9 (1) The Authority shall appoint a secretary and may appoint...

*Authentication of Authority's seal*

- 10 The application of the seal of the Authority shall be...

*Presumption of authenticity of documents issued by Authority*

- 11 Any document purporting to be an instrument issued by the...

*Accounts and audit*

- 12 (1) The Authority shall keep proper accounts and proper records...

*Annual reports*

- 13 (1) As soon as possible after the end of every...

*Advisory committees*

- 14 The Authority may appoint, or arrange for the assistance of,...

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*Disputes*

- 2 (1) For the purposes of any provision of Part III...

SCHEDULE 8 — The Radio Authority: Supplementary Provisions

*Status and capacity*

- 1 (1) The Authority shall be a body corporate.

*Appointment of members*

- 2 (1) A person shall be disqualified for being a member...

*Tenure of office*

- 3 (1) Subject to the following provisions of this paragraph, each...

*Remuneration and pensions of members*

- 4 (1) The Authority may pay to each member such remuneration...

*Disqualification of members of Authority for House  
of Commons and Northern Ireland Assembly*

- 5 In Part II of Schedule 1 to the House of...

*Proceedings*

- 6 (1) Subject to paragraph 7, the quorum of the Authority...  
7 (1) A member who is in any way directly or...  
8 The validity of any proceedings of the Authority shall not...

*Employees of the Authority*

- 9 (1) The Authority shall appoint a secretary and may appoint...

*Authentication of Authority's seal*

- 10 The application of the seal of the Authority shall be...

*Presumption of authenticity of documents issued by Authority*

- 11 Any document purporting to be an instrument issued by the...

*Finances of Authority*

- 12 (1) It shall be the duty of the Authority so...



*Advances to Authority*

- 13 (1) For the purpose of— (a) furnishing the Authority with...

*Accounts and audit*

- 14 (1) The Authority shall keep proper accounts and proper records...

*Annual reports*

- 15 (1) As soon as possible after the end of every...

*Advisory committees*

- 16 The Authority may appoint, or arrange for the assistance of,...

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*Making and modification of transfer scheme*

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- 3 (1) A transfer scheme may— (a) define the property, rights...

*Effect of transfer scheme*

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*Third parties affected by transfer scheme*

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*Supplemental provisions of scheme*

- 6 (1) A transfer scheme may contain supplemental, consequential and transitional...

*Vesting of IBA’s property after coming into force of scheme*

- 7 (1) A transfer scheme may provide for the imposition of...

*Certificate of Secretary of State as to vesting of property etc.*

- 8 (1) Subject to sub-paragraph (2), a certificate issued by the...

*Power of Secretary of State to control division of IBA’s pension fund*

- 9 (1) If the Secretary of State so determines, the trustees...

*Discharge by IBA of contingent etc. liabilities*

- 10 (1) This paragraph applies to any liabilities to which the...

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*Final accounts and annual report of IBA*

11 (1) The IBA shall, as soon as possible after the...

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1 (1) Sub-paragraph (2) below shall have effect for the purposes...  
2 (1) Where immediately before the transfer date there is in...

*Transfer of employees*

3 (1) It is hereby declared for the avoidance of doubt...

*Final accounts and annual report of Cable Authority*

4 (1) The Cable Authority shall, as soon as possible after...

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Part II — TELEVISION BROADCASTING SERVICES TO BE PROVIDED BY COMMISSION

*IBA's television broadcasting services to be provided by Commission during interim period*

1 (1) During the period beginning with the transfer date and...

*General provisions about programme contracts and programme contractors*

2 (1) Sections 2(3) and 14(2) of the 1981 Act shall...

*Provisions relating to Channel 4*

3 (1) Channel 4 shall be provided by the Commission during...

*Provisions relating to teletext services*

4 (1) For the purposes of— (a) this Part of this...

*Provisions relating to DBS services*

5 (1) The following provisions of the 1981 Act, namely—

*General provisions relating to SAC*

6 (1) Subject to the provisions of this paragraph and paragraph...

*Broadcasting of advertisements on SAC*

7 (1) During the interim period the programmes broadcast by the...

*Financing of SAC during interim period*

8 (1) For each financial year, or part of a financial...

*Delivery of programmes by means of local delivery services*

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*Power to require licence holder to make additional payments under 1981 Act*

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*Replacement of DBS teletext contract by additional services licence*

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*Delivery of programmes by means of local delivery services*

3 Part II of this Act shall have effect as if...

*Provisions relating to Broadcasting Complaints Commission*

4 (1) Part V of this Act shall have effect as...

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- 1 (1) The Authority may, if the programme contractor under a...

*Replacement by local licences of certain contracts for the provision of local sound broadcasts in localities in which such broadcasts were already provided*

- 2 (1) Any contract which— (a) the IBA has, at any...

*Common provisions applying to licences granted in pursuance of paragraph 1(1) or 2(1) above*

- 3 (1) A request for the grant of a licence which...

*Saving for liabilities under terminated contracts*

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Part I — GENERAL

- 1 (1) In this Schedule— “the 1984 Act” means the Cable...  
2 This Schedule applies to a licence granted under section 58...

Part II — LICENSING OF EXISTING CABLE SERVICES

*Prescribed diffusion services: continuation in force of existing licences*

- 1 (1) Subject to paragraph 2 below, any licence to provide...

*Prescribed diffusion services: replacement of cable licences by local delivery licences*

- 2 (1) Where— (a) any person is the holder of a...

*Prescribed diffusion services: grant of new licences to provide existing services*

- 3 (1) The Commission may on or after the transfer date...

*Prescribed diffusion services: cable licences to be succeeded on their expiry by local delivery licences*

- 4 (1) Subject to the following provisions of this paragraph, a...

*Other diffusion services: continuation in force of existing licences*

- 5 (1) Subject to paragraph 7(1) below, where immediately before the...

*Other diffusion services: replacement of cable licences by local delivery licences*

- 6 (1) Subject to paragraph 7(1) below, where immediately before the...

*Other diffusion services: certain licences to cease to have effect*

- 7 (1) Neither paragraph 5(1) nor paragraph 6(1) above applies to...

*Other diffusion services: certain unlicensed services to be licensed as cableservices or local delivery services*

- 8 (1) This paragraph has effect in relation to any diffusion...

*Other diffusion services: services falling partly within and partly outside franchise areas*

9 (1) Where immediately before the transfer date there is in...

*Restricted services: replacement of existing licences*

10 (1) Where immediately before the transfer date there is in...

*Requests made under this Part*

11 Any request made to the Commission in pursuance of any...

*Saving for liabilities under terminated licences*

12 (1) Where any licence ceases to have effect at any...

Part III — PROVISIONS RELATING TO LICENCES IN FORCE UNDER OR BY  
VIRTUE OF THIS SCHEDULE

*Effect of relevant licences*

1 (1) Subject to sub-paragraph (4) below, a relevant licence shall...

*General provisions about relevant licences*

2 (1) It shall be the duty of the Commission to...

*Restrictions on the holding of certain relevant licences*

3 (1) The Commission shall do all that they can to...

*Inclusion of broadcasts in licensed services*

4 (1) Section 13 of the 1984 Act (inclusion of certain...

*Inclusion of local material in prescribed diffusion services*

5 (1) In the case of a licence which continues in...

*Revocation of licences*

6 (1) Every relevant licence shall contain all such provisions as...

*Supplementary provisions*

7 (1) Any notice, direction or other thing given or done...

SCHEDULE 13 — The Broadcasting Complaints Commission: Supplementary  
Provisions

*Status and capacity*

1 (1) The BCC shall not be treated for the purposes...

*Appointment of members*

2 (1) A person shall be disqualified for being a member...

*Tenure of office*

3 (1) Subject to the following provisions of this paragraph, each...

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*Remuneration and pensions of members*

- 4 (1) The BCC may pay to each member such remuneration...

*Proceedings*

- 5 (1) Subject to paragraph 6 and to the provisions of...  
6 (1) A member who is in any way directly or...  
7 The validity of any proceedings of the BCC shall not...

*Employees of the BCC*

- 8 (1) The BCC may appoint such number of employees as...

*Financial provisions*

- 9 (1) The Secretary of State shall pay to the BCC—...

*Authentication of BCC's seal*

- 10 The application of the seal of the BCC shall be...

*Presumption of authenticity of documents issued by BCC*

- 11 Any document purporting to be an instrument issued by the...

*Accounts and audit*

- 12 (1) The BCC shall keep proper accounts and proper records...

SCHEDULE 14 — The Broadcasting Standards Council: Supplementary Provisions

*Status and capacity*

- 1 (1) The Council shall not be treated for the purposes...

*Appointment of members*

- 2 (1) A person shall be disqualified for being a member...

*Tenure of office*

- 3 (1) Subject to the following provisions of this paragraph, each...

*Remuneration and pensions of members*

- 4 (1) The Council may pay to each member such remuneration...

*Disqualification of members of Council for House  
of Commons and Northern Ireland Assembly*

- 5 In Part II of Schedule 1 to the House of...

*Proceedings*

- 6 (1) Subject to paragraph 7 and to the provisions of...  
7 (1) A member who is in any way directly or...  
8 The validity of any proceedings of the Council shall not...

*Employees of the Council*

9 (1) The Council may appoint such number of employees as...

*Financial provisions*

10 (1) The Secretary of State shall pay to the Council—...

*Authentication of Council's seal*

11 The application of the seal of the Council shall be...

*Presumption of authenticity of documents issued by Council*

12 Any document purporting to be an instrument issued by the...

*Accounts and audit*

13 (1) It shall be the duty of the Council—

SCHEDULE 15 — Application of 1959 Act to Television and Sound Programmes

*Interpretation*

1 In this Schedule— “the 1959 Act” means the Obscene Publications...

*Liability of person providing live programme material*

2 Where— (a) any matter is included by any person in...

*Obscene articles kept for inclusion in programmes*

3 It is hereby declared that where a person has an...

*Requirement for consent of Director of Public Prosecutions*

4 (1) Proceedings for an offence under section 2 of the...

*Defences*

5 (1) A person shall not be convicted of an offence...

*Exclusion of proceedings under common law*

6 Without prejudice to section 2(4) of the 1959 Act, a...

SCHEDULE 16 — Amendments of the Marine, &c., Broadcasting (Offences) Act  
1967

1 (1) Section 2 (prohibition of broadcasting from marine structures)  
shall...

2 After section 2 insert the following section— Unlawful broadcasting  
from...

3 In section 3 (prohibition of acts connected with broadcasting from...

4 After section 3 insert the following section— Prohibition of  
management...

5 (1) Section 4 (prohibition of acts facilitating broadcasting from ships,...

6 (1) Section 5 (prohibition of acts relating to matter broadcast...

7 (1) Section 6 (penalties and legal proceedings) shall be amended...

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8 After section 7 insert the following section— Powers of enforcement...

SCHEDULE 17 — Information About Programmes: Copyright

Part I — COPYRIGHT LICENSING

1 (1) This paragraph applies where the person providing a programme...

Part II — USE OF INFORMATION AS OF RIGHT

*Circumstances in which right available*

2 (1) Paragraph 4 applies to any act restricted by the...

*Notice of intention to exercise right*

3 (1) A publisher intending to avail himself of the right...

*Conditions for exercise of right*

4 (1) Where the publisher, on or after the date specified...

*Applications to settle payments*

5 (1) On an application to settle the terms of payment,...

*Application for review of order*

6 (1) A person exercising the right conferred by paragraph 4,...

Part III — SUPPLEMENTARY

7 (1) This Schedule and the Copyright, Designs and Patents Act...

SCHEDULE 18 — Transfer of Functions Connected with Television Licences

Part I — AMENDMENTS OF WIRELESS TELEGRAPHY ACT 1949

1 (1) Section 1 (licensing of wireless telegraphy) shall be amended...

2 (1) Section 2 (fees and charges for wireless telegraphy licences)...

3 In section 15(1) (entry and search of premises etc.), for...

4 In section 19 (interpretation), insert the following subsection after subsection...

Part II — AMENDMENTS OF PART I OF WIRELESS TELEGRAPHY ACT 1967

1 In the following provisions, namely— (a) subsections (1), (2), (4)...

2 In section 1(5), for “him” substitute “them”.

3 In section 2(3)— (a) for “him” substitute “them”; and

4 In section 3(1), for “him” (where first occurring) substitute “them”....

5 In section 4(2), for “him” (wherever occurring) substitute “them”.

6 In section 5— (a) in subsection (3), for “his” substitute...

7 In section 6(1)— (a) insert the following definition after the...

SCHEDULE 19 — The Gaelic Television Committee: Supplementary Provisions

*Status and capacity*

1 (1) The Committee shall be a body corporate.

*Tenure of office and remuneration*

2 (1) Subject to sub-paragraph (2), each member of the Committee...



*Disqualification of members of Committee for House of Commons*

3 In Part II of Schedule 1 to the House of...

*Proceedings*

4 (1) Subject to paragraph 5, the quorum of the Committee...  
5 (1) A member who is in any way directly or...  
6 The validity of any proceedings of the Committee shall not...

*Employees of the Committee*

7 (1) The Committee may appoint such employees as they may...

*Financial provision*

8 There shall be defrayed out of the Gaelic Television Fund—...

*Authentication of Committee's seal*

9 The application of the seal of the Committee shall be...

*Presumption of authenticity of documents issued by the Committee*

10 Any document purporting to be an instrument issued by the...

*Accounts and audit*

11 (1) The Committee shall keep proper accounts and proper records...

*Annual reports*

12 (1) As soon as possible after the end of each...

SCHEDULE 20 — Minor and Consequential Amendments

*Parliamentary Papers Act 1840 (c. 9)*

1 Section 3 (protection in respect of proceedings for printing extracts...

*Law of Libel Amendment Act 1888 (c. 64)*

2 Section 3 (contemporary reports of proceedings before courts exercising  
judicial...

*Children and Young Persons Act 1933 (c. 12)*

3 (1) In section 28 (powers of entry)—

*Children and Young Persons (Scotland) Act 1937 (c. 37)*

4 (1) In section 36 (power to enter studios)—

*Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960 (c. 67)*

5 In section 1(7) (admission of public to meetings of local...

*Children and Young Persons Act 1963 (c. 37)*

6 In section 37(2) (restriction on persons under 16 taking part...

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*Licensing Act 1964 (c. 26)*

- 7 In section 182(1) (relaxation, with respect to licensed premises, of...

*Private Places of Entertainment (Licensing) Act 1967 (c. 19)*

- 8 In section 2(3) (certain private places of entertainment to require...

*Wireless Telegraphy Act 1967 (c. 72)*

- 9 In section 6(1) (interpretation of Part I of the Act),...

*London Cab Act 1968 (c. 7)*

- 10 In section 4(5) (restrictions on advertising in connection with private...

*Trade Descriptions Act 1968 (c. 29)*

- 11 In section 39(2) (interpretation), for “or in a programme included...

*Social Work (Scotland) Act 1968 (c. 49)*

- 12 In section 58(1) (prohibition of publication of proceedings in a...

*Theatres Act 1968 (c. 54)*

- 13 In section 7(2)(b) (exceptions for performance given in certain circumstances),...

*Gaming Act 1968 (c. 65)*

- 14 In section 42(8) (definition of “advertisement” for the purposes of...

*Children and Young Persons Act (Northern Ireland) 1968 (c. 34 (N.I.))*

- 15 (1) In section 40(2) (restriction on persons under 16 taking...

*Local Government Act 1972 (c. 70)*

- 16 In section 100K (interpretation and application of Part VA of...

*Local Government Act (Northern Ireland) 1972 (c. 9 (N.I.))*

- 17 In section 148(1) (interpretation), in the definition of “newspaper”, for...

*Employment Agencies Act 1973 (c. 35)*

- 18 In section 13(4) (interpretation), for paragraphs (c) and (d) substitute...

*Northern Ireland Constitution Act 1973 (c. 36)*

- 19 In Schedule 3 (minimum reserved matters), in paragraph 14, for...

*Fair Trading Act 1973 (c. 41)*

- 20 In section 133(2)(a) (exceptions to restriction on disclosure of information),...

- Criminal Procedure (Scotland) Act 1975 (c. 21)*
- 21 In subsection (2) of sections 169 and 374 (restrictions on...
- Industry Act 1975 (c. 68)*
- 22 In section 9 (the National Enterprise Board and the media)—...
- Scottish Development Agency Act 1975 (c. 69)*
- 23 In section 17 (the Scottish Development Agency and the media),...
- Welsh Development Agency Act 1975 (c. 70)*
- 24 In section 19 (the Welsh Development Agency and the media)—...
- Restrictive Trade Practices Act 1976 (c. 34)*
- 25 In section 41(1)(a) (exceptions to restriction on disclosure of information),...
- Sexual Offences (Amendment) Act 1976 (c. 82)*
- 26 (1) In section 4 (anonymity of complainants in rape etc....
- Sexual Offences (Northern Ireland) Order 1978 (S.I. 1978/460 (N.I.5))*
- 27 (1) In Article 6 (anonymity of complainants in rape offence...
- Competition Act 1980 (c. 21)*
- 28 In section 19(3) (exceptions to restriction on disclosure of information),...
- Magistrates' Courts Act 1980 (c. 43)*
- 29 (1) In section 8 (restrictions on reports of committal proceedings)—...
- Indecent Displays (Control) Act 1981 (c. 42)*
- 30 In section 1(4) (provisions relating to indecent displays disapplied in...
- Contempt of Court Act 1981 (c. 49)*
- 31 (1) In section 2 (limitation of scope of strict liability)—...
- Employment (Miscellaneous Provisions) (Northern Ireland) Order 1981 (S.I. 1981/839 (N.I.20))*
- 32 In Article 11(4) (interpretation), for sub-paragraphs (c) and (d) substitute...
- Magistrates' Courts (Northern Ireland) Order 1981 (S.I. 1981/1675 (N.I.26))*
- 33 (1) In Article 44 (reports of preliminary proceedings)—
- Insurance Companies Act 1982 (c. 50)*
- 34 In section 72(6) (meaning of “advertisement” for the purposes of...

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*Representation of the People Act 1983 (c. 2)*

35 (1) Part II shall be amended as follows.

*National Audit Act 1983 (c. 44)*

36 In Part II of Schedule 4 (nationalised industries and other...

*Value Added Tax Act 1983 (c. 55)*

37 In section 20 (refund of value added tax in certain...

*Telecommunications Act 1984 (c. 12)*

38 (1) In section 6 (exceptions to prohibition on the running...

*Video Recordings Act 1984 (c. 39)*

39 In section 3(8) (exempted supplies), for paragraphs (a) and (b)...

*Cinemas Act 1985 (c. 13)*

40 In section 21(1) (interpretation), in the definition of “film exhibition”,...

*Bankruptcy (Scotland) Act 1985 (c. 66)*

41 In subsection (5) of section 70 (supplies by utilities), for...

*Betting, Gaming, Lotteries and Amusements (Northern  
Ireland) Order 1985 (S.I. 1985/1204 (N.I.11))*

42 In Article 130(8) (definition of “advertisement” for the purposes of...

*Insolvency Act 1986 (c. 45)*

43 In sections 233(5)(d) and 372(5)(c) (supplies of gas, water, electricity...

*Building Societies Act 1986 (c. 53)*

44 In section 50(10) (powers to control advertising), in the definition...

*Financial Services Act 1986 (c. 60)*

45 (1) In section 207 (interpretation)— (a) in subsection (2), after...

*Education and Libraries (Northern Ireland) Order 1986 (S.I. 1986/594 (N.I.3))*

46 In Article 2(2) (interpretation), in the definition of “newspaper”, for...

*Criminal Justice Act 1987 (c. 38)*

47 In section 11 (restrictions on reporting applications for dismissal and...

*Consumer Protection Act 1987 (c. 43)*

48 In section 24 (defences to offence of giving misleading price...

*Consumer Protection (Northern Ireland) Order 1987 (S.I.1987/2049 (N.I.20))*

49 In Article 17 (defences to offence of giving misleading price...

*Copyright, Designs and Patents Act 1988 (c. 48)*

50 (1) In section 69 (recording for purposes of supervision and...

*Control of Misleading Advertisements Regulations 1988 (S.I. 1988/915)*

51 (1) In regulation 2(1) (interpretation)— (a) omit the definitions of...

*Criminal Justice (Serious Fraud) (Northern Ireland) Order 1988 (S.I.1988/1846 (N.I.16))*

52 In Article 10 (restrictions on reporting applications for dismissal and...

*Children Act 1989 (c. 41)*

53 In section 97(5) (privacy for children involved in certain proceedings),...

*Insolvency (Northern Ireland) Order 1989 (S.I. 1989/2405 (N.I.19))*

54 In Articles 197(3) and 343(4) (supplies of water, electricity and...

SCHEDULE 21 — Repeals

SCHEDULE 22 — Transitional Provisions and Savings

*Preservation of appointments of existing members  
of the Welsh Authority, the BCC and the BSC*

1 (1) Where, immediately before the date when the relevant section...

*Power to make provision with respect to complaints to the BCC or BSC*

2 (1) The Secretary of State may by order make such...

*Power to make provision with respect to complaints under  
the Control of Misleading Advertisements Regulations 1988*

3 (1) The Secretary of State may by order make such...

*Saving of amendments made by Cable and Broadcasting Act 1984*

4 The amendments made by paragraphs 12, 24, 32 and 45...

*Transitional modification of amendments made by this Act*

5 (1) Any provision to which this sub-paragraph applies—

6 Section 92(1) of the Representation of the People Act 1983...

7 Regulation 8(1) and (2) of the Control of Misleading Advertisements...