



# Companies Act 2006

## 2006 CHAPTER 46

### PART 5

#### A COMPANY'S NAME

### CHAPTER 2

#### INDICATIONS OF COMPANY TYPE OR LEGAL FORM

##### *Required indications for limited companies*

#### **59 Private limited companies**

- (1) The name of a limited company that is a private company must end with “limited” or “ltd.”.
- (2) In the case of a Welsh company, its name may instead end with “cyfyngedig” or “cyf.”.
- (3) Certain companies are exempt from this requirement (see section 60).
- (4) This section does not apply to community interest companies (but see section 33(1) and (2) of the Companies (Audit, Investigations and Community Enterprise) Act 2004).

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