EXPLANATORY NOTES

THIRD PARTIES (RIGHTS AGAINST INSURERS) ACT 2010

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BACKGROUND

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SUMMARY OF REFORMS

Rights of Action for the Third Party

Insurer's Defences

Scope

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Section 2: Establishing liability in England and Wales and Northern Ireland

Section 3: Establishing liability in Scotland

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Section 5: Individuals who die insolvent

Section 6: Corporate bodies

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Section 8: Limit on rights transferred

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Section 11: Information and disclosure for third parties and Schedule 1

Schedule 1: Information and disclosure for third parties

Paragraph 1: Notices requesting information

Paragraph 2: Provision of information where notice given under paragraph 1

These notes refer to the Third Parties (Rights against Insurers) Act 2010 (c.10)

- Paragraph 3: Notices requiring disclosure: defunct bodies
- Paragraph 4: Disclosure and inspection where notice given under paragraph 3
- Paragraph 5: Avoidance
- Paragraph 6: Other rights to information
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HANSARD REFERENCES