



# Finance (No. 2) Act 2023

## 2023 CHAPTER 30

### PART 3

#### MULTINATIONAL TOP-UP TAX

#### CHAPTER 10

#### DEFINITIONS ETC

#### *Meaning of “entity” etc*

### **235 Pension funds and pension services entities**

- (1) An entity is a “pension fund” if—
- (a) it is an entity that is established and operated in a territory exclusively or almost exclusively to administer or provide retirement benefits and ancillary or incidental benefits to individuals where—
    - (i) the entity is regulated as such in that territory, or
    - (ii) those benefits are secured or otherwise protected by national regulations and funded by a pool of assets held through a fiduciary arrangement or trust to secure the fulfilment of the corresponding pension obligations against a case of insolvency of the entity or the group the entity is a member of, or
  - (b) a pension services entity.
- (2) An entity is a “pension services entity” if it is an entity established and operated exclusively or almost exclusively—
- (a) to invest funds for the benefit of an entity falling with the description in [subsection \(1\)\(a\)](#), or
  - (b) to carry out activities that are ancillary to the regulated activities carried out by an entity falling with that description, provided that the entities are members of the same group.

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- s. 235(1)(b) words inserted by [2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 56\(3\)](#)

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- s. 131(2)(3) substituted for s. 131(2) by [2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 5\(3\)](#)
- s. 147A inserted by [2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 8\(1\)](#)
- s. 148A-148C inserted by [2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 8\(3\)](#)
- s. 150(6A) inserted by [2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 50\(5\)\(b\)](#)
- s. 151(1)(c) and word inserted by [2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 9\(2\)\(d\)](#)
- s. 151(1)(aa) inserted by [2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 9\(2\)\(c\)](#)
- s. 151(6A) inserted by [2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 9\(4\)](#)
- s. 151(8) inserted by [2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 9\(6\)](#)
- s. 159(1)(a)(b) substituted for words by [2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 12\(2\)](#)
- s. 159(2)(a)(b) substituted for words by [2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 12\(3\)](#)
- s. 159(3)(a)(b) substituted for words by [2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 12\(4\)](#)
- s. 159(4) inserted by [2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 12\(5\)](#)
- s. 165(2)(a)(i)(ii) s. 165(2)(a)(b) become s. 165(2)(a)(i)(ii) by [2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 50\(6\)\(b\)](#)
- s. 168(12) inserted by [2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 14\(8\)](#)
- s. 170(2A) inserted by [2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 14\(9\)\(b\)](#)
- s. 176A-176C and cross-heading inserted by [2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 8\(6\)](#)
- s. 176D-176F and cross-heading inserted by [2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 16\(1\)](#)
- s. 178(1A)(1B) inserted by [2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 17\(4\)](#)
- s. 178(5)(6) inserted by [2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 17\(6\)](#)
- s. 179(1A) inserted by [2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 17\(7\)\(a\)](#)
- s. 179(3A)(3B) inserted by [2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 17\(7\)\(b\)](#)
- s. 180(8)(b)(ii)(iia) substituted for s. 180(8)(b)(ii) by [2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 19\(4\)](#)
- s. 183A inserted by [2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 20\(5\)](#)
- s. 195(7A) inserted by [2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 25\(1\)](#)
- s. 196(1)(e) and words inserted by [2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 22\(1\)\(b\)](#)
- s. 196(1A) inserted by [2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 21\(1\)\(b\)](#)
- s. 197(4)(d)(e) inserted by [2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 23\(b\)](#)
- s. 197(5)(c) and word inserted by [2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 22\(2\)\(e\)](#)
- s. 197(6A) inserted by [2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 21\(2\)](#)
- s. 197(7A) inserted by [2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 24](#)
- s. 197A inserted by [2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 25\(2\)](#)
- s. 198A inserted by [2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 26](#)
- s. 211(1)-(1C) substituted for s. 211(1) by [2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 27\(a\)](#)
- s. 213(6A) inserted by [2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 28](#)
- s. 232(3A) inserted by [2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 4\(6\)](#)
- s. 232A inserted by [2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 2\(2\)](#)
- s. 236(2A) inserted by [2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 31\(3\)](#)
- s. 251A inserted by [2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 29\(1\)](#)
- s. 253(2)(b)(va) inserted by [2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 56\(10\)\(c\)\(iii\)](#)
- s. 255(2A) inserted by [2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 34\(1\)\(a\)](#)
- s. 255(4)-(6) inserted by [2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 34\(1\)\(c\)](#)
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- s. 262(1A)-(1D) inserted by 2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 36
- s. 267(3A) inserted by 2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 42(1)(a)
- s. 267(3B)-(3D) inserted by 2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 43(1)(b)
- s. 267A inserted by 2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 42(2)
- s. 268A inserted by 2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 2(4)
- s. 272(8)(da) inserted by 2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 44(1)
- s. 272(9)-(11) inserted by 2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 43(3)(b)
- s. 272A inserted by 2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 42(3)
- s. 273(3)(ba) inserted by 2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 44(2)
- s. 273(4)(pa) inserted by 2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 57(3)(c)
- s. 273A273B inserted by 2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 45(1)
- s. 273C inserted by 2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 46
- s. 276(c)(iiia) inserted by 2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 45(2)(b)
- s. 276(aa) inserted by 2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 45(2)(a)
- s. 311A inserted by 2024 c. 3 s. 21(3)
- Sch. 14 para. 37A37B and cross-heading inserted by 2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 2(6)(b)
- Sch. 14 para. 39(1)(aa) inserted by 2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 2(6)(c)(ii)
- Sch. 14 para. 39(2)(aa) inserted by 2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 2(6)(c)(iii)
- Sch. 14 para. 33A inserted by 2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 37(3)
- Sch. 14 para. 6(1A) inserted by 2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 58(1)(a)
- Sch. 14 para. 34(2A) inserted by 2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 58(1)(b)(ii)
- Sch. 14 para. 3(3)-(5) substituted for Sch. 14 para. 3(3) by 2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 2(6)(a)(iii)
- Sch. 15 para. 2(1)(za) inserted by 2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 16(2)
- Sch. 15 para. 2(1)(k) inserted by 2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 40(2)
- Sch. 15 para. 2(1)(l) inserted by 2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 41(4)
- Sch. 15 para. 1(1)(aa) inserted by 2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 58(2)(a)
- Sch. 15 para. 2(1)(ea) inserted by 2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 58(2)(b)(i)
- Sch. 15 para. 2(1)(fa) inserted by 2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 58(2)(b)(ii)
- Sch. 16 para. 10(1) Sch. 16 para. 10 renumbered as Sch. 16 para. 10(1) by 2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 58(3)(a)
- Sch. 16 para. 2(11)(b) inserted by 2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 34(2)(d)(ii)
- Sch. 16 para. 2(3A) inserted by 2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 38(3)
- Sch. 16 para. 2(12)(13) inserted by 2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 38(8)
- Sch. 16 para. 4(3)(d) and word inserted by 2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 39(3)(a)(ii)
- Sch. 16 Pt. 3 inserted by 2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 40(1)
- Sch. 16 para. 10(2)(3) inserted by 2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 58(3)(d)
- Sch. 16 para. 2(1)(b)(ba) substituted for Sch. 16 para. 2(1)(b) by 2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 34(2)(a)
- Sch. 16 para. 3(1)(1A) substituted for Sch. 16 para. 3(1) by 2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 39(2)
- Sch. 16 para. 3(7)-(9) substituted for Sch. 16 para. 3(7)(8) by 2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 29(2)
- Sch. 16 para. 10(1)(a) word substituted by 2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 58(3)(c)
- Sch. 16 para. 10(1) words inserted by 2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 58(3)(b)(ii)
- Sch. 16 para. 10(1) words substituted by 2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 58(3)(b)(i)
- Sch. 16A inserted by 2024 c. 3 Sch. 12 para. 41(1)