



Partnership Act 1890

1890 CHAPTER 39 53 and 54 Vict

Nature of Partnership

1 Definition of partnership.

- (1) Partnership is the relation which subsists between persons carrying on a business in common with a view of profit.
- (2) But the relation between members of any company or association which is—
 - [^{F1}(a) registered under the Companies Act 2006, or]
 - (b) Formed or incorporated by or in pursuance of any other Act of Parliament or letters patent, or Royal Charter; ^{F2} . . .

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is not a partnership within the meaning of this Act.

Textual Amendments

- F1** S. 1(2)(a) substituted (1.10.2009) by [The Companies Act 2006 \(Consequential Amendments, Transitional Provisions and Savings\) Order 2009 \(S.I. 2009/1941\)](#), art. 1(2), **Sch. 1 para. 2** (with art. 10)
- F2** S. 1(2): the word "or" and subsection (c) repealed (19.11.1998) by [1998 c. 43, s. 1\(1\)](#), **Sch. 1 Pt. X** Group 1

Changes to legislation:

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Partnership Act 1890, Section 1.