STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2004 No. 753

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF EMPLOYMENT

The ACAS Arbitration Scheme (Great Britain) Order 2004

Made - - - - 9th March 2004
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Whereas—

- (1) Under section 212A(1) of the Trade Union and Labour Relations (Consolidation) Act 1992(1) ("the 1992 Act") the Advisory, Conciliation and Arbitration Service ("ACAS") may prepare a scheme providing for arbitration in the case of disputes involving proceedings, or claims which could be the subject of proceedings, before an employment tribunal arising out of a contravention or alleged contravention of Part X of the Employment Rights Act 1996(2) (unfair dismissal);
- (2) In pursuance of sections 212A(1) and (3) of the 1992 Act, ACAS has prepared a revised version of an arbitration scheme for unfair dismissal cases;
- (3) In pursuance of section 212A(3) of the 1992 Act, ACAS has submitted a draft of the revised scheme to the Secretary of State and the Secretary of State approves the revised scheme;

Now, therefore, the Secretary of State, in exercise of the powers conferred on her by sections 212A(1), (3), (6), (7), (8) and (9) of the 1992 Act, hereby makes the following Order:—

^{(1) 1992} c. 52; Section 212A was inserted by section 7 of the Employment Rights (Dispute Resolution) Act 1998 (c. 8).

^{(2) 1996} c. 18.