

# Consumer Credit Act 1974

## **1974 CHAPTER 39**

#### PART II

CREDIT AGREEMENTS, HIRE AGREEMENTS AND LINKED TRANSACTIONS

## 20 Total charge for credit.

- (1) The Secretary of State shall make regulations containing such provisions as appear to him appropriate for determining the true cost to the debtor of the credit provided or to be provided under an actual or prospective consumer credit agreement (the "total charge for credit"), and regulations so made shall prescribe—
  - (a) what items are to be treated as entering into the total charge for credit, and how their amount is to be ascertained;
  - (b) the method of calculating the rate of the total charge for credit.
- (2) Regulations under subsection (1) may provide for the whole or part of the amount payable by the debtor or his relative under any linked transaction to be included in the total charge for credit, whether or not the creditor is a party to the transaction or derives benefit from it.

#### **Status:**

Point in time view as at 06/04/2005. This version of this provision has been superseded.

## **Changes to legislation:**

Consumer Credit Act 1974, Section 20 is up to date with all changes known to be in force on or before 10 August 2024. There are changes that may be brought into force at a future date. Changes that have been made appear in the content and are referenced with annotations.