



Insolvency Act 1986

1986 CHAPTER 45

PART I

COMPANY VOLUNTARY ARRANGEMENTS

Consideration and implementation of proposal

[^{F1}6A False representations, etc.

- (1) If, for the purpose of obtaining the approval of the members or creditors of a company to a proposal for a voluntary arrangement, a person who is an officer of the company—
 - (a) makes any false representation, or
 - (b) fraudulently does, or omits to do, anything,he commits an offence.
- (2) Subsection (1) applies even if the proposal is not approved.
- (3) For purposes of this section “officer” includes a shadow director.
- (4) A person guilty of an offence under this section is liable to imprisonment or a fine, or both.]

Textual Amendments

- F1** S. 6A inserted (1.1.2003) by 2000 c. 39, s. 2, **Sch. 2 Pt. I para. 8**; S.I. 2002/2711, **art. 2** (subject to transitional provisions in **arts. 3-5**)

Modifications etc. (not altering text)

- C1** **Ss. 1-7B** applied (with modifications) (E.W.) (15.3.2024) by **The Water Industry (Special Administration) Regulations 2024** (S.I. 2024/205), **regs. 2(2), 5(1)**, 43-45 (with **reg. 64**)

Changes to legislation:

Insolvency Act 1986, Section 6A is up to date with all changes known to be in force on or before 09 June 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.

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Changes and effects yet to be applied to the whole Act associated Parts and Chapters:

- Act amendment to earlier affecting provision S.I. 1986/1999, art. 3, Sch. 1 Pt. 2 by [S.I. 2017/1119 Sch. 3 para. 1](#)
- Act savings and transitional provisions for amendments by S.I. 2022/1166 by [S.I. 2022/1172 Regulations](#)

Whole provisions yet to be inserted into this Act (including any effects on those provisions):

- s. 41HB(2) words substituted by [2018 c. 14 s. 1\(3\)\(b\)](#)