

SCHEDULES

SCHEDULE 19

MINOR AMENDMENTS OF THE COMPANIES ACT 1985

Delivery of documents by overseas companies

- 13 In Chapter I of Part XXIII of the Companies Act 1985 (overseas companies: registration, &c.), for section 696 (office where documents to be filed) substitute—

“696 Registrar to whom documents to be delivered

- (1) References to the registrar in relation to an overseas company (except references in Chapter III of this Part (registration of charges): see section 703E), shall be construed in accordance with the following provisions.
- (2) The documents which an overseas company is required to deliver to the registrar shall be delivered—
 - (a) to the registrar for England and Wales if the company has established a place of business in England and Wales, and
 - (b) to the registrar for Scotland if the company has established a place of business in Scotland;and if the company has an established place of business in both parts of Great Britain, the documents shall be delivered to both registrars.
- (3) If a company ceases to have a place of business in either part of Great Britain, it shall forthwith give notice of that fact to the registrar for that part; and from the date on which notice is so given it is no longer obliged to deliver documents to that registrar.”.