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SCHEDULES

SCHEDULE 7

MERGERS: INTERIM MEASURES

Interim measures following references under section 22 or 33

- 3 (1) Section 81 (interim orders) is amended as follows.
- (2) In subsection (1) for “Subsections (2) and (3)” substitute “ Subsections (2) and (2A) ”.
- (3) After subsection (2) insert—
- “(2A) Where the CMA has reasonable grounds for suspecting that pre-emptive action has or may have been taken, it may by order, for the purpose of restoring the position to what it would have been had the action not been taken or otherwise for the purpose of mitigating its effects—
- (a) do anything mentioned in subsection (2)(b) to (d);
- (b) impose such other obligations, prohibitions or restrictions as it considers appropriate for that purpose.”
- (4) After subsection (2A) insert—
- “(2B) A person may, with the consent of the CMA, take action or action of a particular description where the action would otherwise constitute a contravention of an order under this section.”
- (5) Omit subsections (3) and (4).
- (6) In subsection (5), for “Any other order” substitute “ An order ”.
- (7) Omit subsection (6).

Commencement Information

II Sch. 7 para. 3 in force at 1.4.2014 by S.I. 2014/416, art. 2(1)(d) (with Sch.)

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Changes and effects yet to be applied to :

- specified provision(s) amendment to earlier commencing SI 2013/1455 art. 3 4 Sch. 3 by [S.I. 2013/2271 art. 2](#)
- specified provision(s) revocation of earlier commencing SI 2015/641 by [S.I. 2015/1558 art. 2](#)

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

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

- s. 25(5) inserted by [2024 c. 13 s. 327\(1\)](#)
- Sch. 4 para. 29(2)(g)-(i) inserted by [2024 c. 13 s. 106\(7\)](#)
- Sch. 4 para. 29(2A)(2B) inserted by [2024 c. 13 s. 106\(8\)](#)
- Sch. 4 para. 29(4)-(6) inserted by [2024 c. 13 s. 106\(9\)](#)
- Sch. 4A inserted by [2024 c. 13 s. 327\(2\)](#)