
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1995 No. 1980

**The Trade Union and Labour Relations
(Northern Ireland) Order 1995**

PART V

APPLICATION OF FUNDS FOR POLITICAL OBJECTS

Supplementary

Application to Great Britain unions and members

71.—(1) Subject to paragraphs (2) to (5), the provisions of this Part apply only to a trade union which has its head or main office in Northern Ireland.

(2) The rules of any Great Britain union made in pursuance of section 71(1)(b) of the Great Britain Act shall, in so far as they apply to members of the union in Northern Ireland,—

- (a) comply with the requirements of Article 59; and
- (b) in so far as they so comply, be subject to the approval of the Certification Officer.

(3) Every member of a Great Britain union who—

- (a) has not delivered to the union the notice referred to in Article 59(1)(a); or
- (b) has delivered such a notice but has withdrawn it in accordance with Article 59(2),

shall be deemed for the purposes of Chapter VI of Part I of the Great Britain Act to be a member who is ^{F1}not a contributor] to the political fund of the union; and references in that Act to a member who is ^{F2}not a contributor to that fund] shall be construed accordingly.

(4) Article 57(2) to (4) shall apply in relation to rules of a trade union approved—

- (a) by the Certification Officer under paragraph (2)(b); or
- (b) before 1st July 1992, by the officer appointed to perform in Northern Ireland the functions of registrar of friendly societies,

as they apply in relation to rules made in pursuance of Article 57; and Article 66 shall apply to any rules to be approved by the Certification Officer under paragraph (2)(b).

(5) Articles 60 to 62 apply to a member of a Great Britain union as if—

- (a) for references in Article 60(1) to a political fund there were substituted references to a political fund within the meaning of Chapter VI of Part I of the Great Britain Act;

^{F3}(b)

F1 Words in art. 71(3) substituted (1.3.2017) by [Trade Union Act 2016 \(c. 15\)](#), s. 25(1), [Sch. 4 para. 20\(2\)\(a\)](#); S.I. 2017/139, reg. 2(n)(ii) (with reg. 4)

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F3 Art. 71(5)(b) omitted (1.3.2017) by virtue of Trade Union Act 2016 (c. 15), s. 25(1), **Sch. 4 para. 20(3)**; S.I. 2017/139, reg. 2(n)(ii) (with reg. 4)

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