



# Companies Act 1985

## 1985 CHAPTER 6

An Act to consolidate the greater part of the Companies Acts. [11th March 1985]

Be it enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and Commons, in this present Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:—

### Extent Information

- E1** Act: for extent see s. 745(1)(2)
- E2** Act extended (Northern Ireland) (1.1.2007, 20.1.2007, 6.4.2007, 30.9.2007, 1.10.2007, 1.11.2007, 15.12.2007, 6.4.2008 and 1.10.2008 for certain purposes and otherwise 1.10.2009) by [Companies Act 2006](#) (c. 46), [ss. 1284\(1\)](#), 1300; S.I. 2006/3428, [art. 3\(2\)\(e\)](#) (subject to [art. 5](#), [Sch. 1](#) and with [arts. 6](#), [8](#), [Sch. 5](#) (as amended by S.I. 2007/3495, [art. 11](#), [Sch. 5](#))); S.I. 2007/1093, [art. 2\(1\)\(e\)](#); S.I. 2007/2194, [arts. 2-5](#) (with [art. 12](#)); S.I. 2007/2607, [art. 2\(2\)](#); S.I. 2007/3495, [arts. 3, 5](#) (with [arts. 7, 12](#)); S.I. 2008/1886 [arts. 1\(3\)](#), {2(d)} (with [arts. 6, 7](#)); S.I. 2008/2860, [art. 3\(z\)](#) (with [arts. 5, 7, 8](#), [Sch. 2](#) (as amended by S.I. 2009/1802, [art. 18](#), [Sch.](#), S.I. 2009/1802, [art. 18](#), [Sch.](#)))

### Modifications etc. (not altering text)

- C1** Act amended by [Companies Consolidation \(Consequential Provisions\) Act 1985](#) (c. 9, SIF 27), [ss. 1\(2\)](#), 6, 31(4)
- C2** Act excluded by [Companies Consolidation \(Consequential Provisions\) Act 1985](#) (c. 9, SIF 27), [s. 22](#)
- C3** Act applied (with modifications) by S.I. 1985/680, [regs. 4-6](#), [Sch.](#)  
Act applied (with modifications) by S.I. 1986/2142, [arts. 1\(2\)](#), 13(3)(4)(6), [Sch. 2](#)
- C4** Act modified by S.I. 1985/724, [regs. 2\(3\)\(4\)](#), 6(1)
- C5** Act applied by [Trustee Savings Bank Act 1985](#) (c. 58, SIF 110), [s. 1\(3\)](#)
- C6** Act modified by [Trustee Savings Bank Act 1985](#) (c. 58, SIF 110), [s. 3](#), [Sch. 1](#) paras. 6(3), 7(3)
- C7** Act modified by [Airports Act 1986](#) (c. 31, SIF 9), [s. 4\(4\)\(b\)](#)
- C8** Act excluded by [Drug Trafficking Offences Act 1986](#) (c. 32, SIF 39:1), [s. 17\(6\)](#)
- C9** Act explained by [Insolvency Act 1986](#) (c. 45, SIF 66), [s. 159](#)
- C10** Act amended by [Insolvency Act 1986](#) (c. 45, SIF 66), [s. 219](#)
- C11** Act applied with modifications by [Insolvency Act 1986](#) (c. 45, SIF 66), [s. 221](#)
- C12** Act excluded by [Insolvency Act 1986](#) (c. 45, SIF 66), [s. 229\(2\)](#)

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- C13** Act: power to apply conferred by Financial Services Act 1986 (c. 60, SIF 69), ss. 117(4), 140, **Sch. 11 para. 31**
- C14** Act restricted by Financial Services Act 1986 (c. 60, SIF 69), s. 116, **Sch. 9 para. 2(1)**
- C15** Act excluded (*temporarily*) by Criminal Justice (Scotland) Act 1987 (c. 41, SIF 39:1), **s. 35(3)–(6)**
- C16** Act excluded (*temporarily*) by Criminal Justice (Scotland) Act 1987 (c. 41, SIF 39:1), **s. 36(3)(5)**
- C17** Act modified by British Steel Act 1988 (c. 35, SIF 70) s. 3(3)(b)
- C18** Act modified by Health and Medicines Act 1988 (c. 49, SIF 113:2), **s. 1(5)**
- C19** Act modified by S.I. 1989/638, **regs. 8(1), 21**  
Act modified (27. 12. 1991) by S.I. 1991/2908, art. 2, **Sch. paras. 4(2),6**
- C20** Act amended by S.I. 1989/638, **regs. 12(1), 21**
- C21** Act modified (E.W.) by Water Act 1989 (c. 15, SIF 130), **s. 83(5)(b)** (with ss. 58(7), 101(1), 141(6), 160(1)(2)(4), 163, 189(4)–(10), 190, 193(1), Sch. 26 paras. 3(1)(2), 17, 40(4), 57(6), 58)
- C22** Act excluded (E.W.) by Water Act 1989 (c. 15, SIF 130), **s. 101(1)** (with ss. 58(7), 141(6), 160(1)(2)(4), 163, 189(4)–(10), 190, 193(1), Sch. 26 paras. 3(1)(2), 17, 40(4), 57(6), 58)
- C23** Act applied (1. 10. 1991) by Companies Act 1989 (c. 40, SIF 27), **s. 29(3)**; S.I. 1991/1996, **art. 2(1)(a)**
- C24** Act amended by S.I. 1990/355, art. 7, **Sch. 2 para. 14(2)**
- C25** Act modified by Broadcasting Act 1990 (c. 42, SIF 96), **ss. 4(6), 87(6), 135(4)(b)**
- C26** Act amended (31. 5. 1991) by Environmental Protection Act 1990 (c. 43, SIF 46:4), s. 32(6), **Sch. 2 para. 9(1)**; S.I. 1991/1319, **art. 2**
- C27** Act applied with modifications by S.I. 1990/2570, **regs. 3(1)(4), 16(1)**
- C28** Act amended by S.I. 1990/2570, **regs. 8(1), 9**
- C29** Act modified by S.I. 1990/2570, **reg. 10(5)**
- C30** Act excluded by Smith Kline & French Laboratories, Australia, and Menley & James, Australia, Act 1991 (c. i), **s. 4(1)(b)**
- C31** Act applied by Standard Life Assurance Company Act 1991 (c. iii), **s. 21(2)**
- C32** Act applied (with modifications) by S.I. 1991/823, **reg. 3**.
- C33** Act modified (27.6.1991) by Ports Act 1991 (c. 52, SIF 58), **s. 3(4)(b)**
- C34** Act: definitions applied (S.) (27. 11. 1991) by Natural Heritage (Scotland) Act 1991 (c. 28, SIF 46:1), **s. 2(1)(e)**; S.I. 1991/2633, art. 3, **Sch.**
- C35** Act: definition of "debentures" applied (E.W.) (1.12.1991) by Statutory Water Companies Act 1991 (c. 58, SIF 130), **ss. 13(7), 17(2)**  
Act applied (except s. 83 and s. 84 in part) (19.6.1995) by S.I. 1995/1537, reg. 20, **Sch. 4 Pt. III para. 11**  
Act applied (21.3.1997) by 1986 c. 53, **s. 101(6)** (as substituted (21.3.1997) by 1997 c. 32, **s. 41**)  
Act: certain provisions applied (E.W.) (7.10.2001) by S.I. 2001/3352, **rule 4.11(5)**
- C36** Act: definition of "company" applied (E.W.) (1.12.1991) by Water Industry Act 1991 (c. 56, SIF 130), **ss. 219(1), 223(2)** (with ss. 82(3), 186(1), 222(1))
- C37** Act: definition of "company" applied (E.W.) (1.12.1991) by Statutory Water Companies Act 1991 (c. 58, SIF 130), **ss. 9(3), 17(2)**
- C38** Act excluded (E.W.) (1.12.1991) by Statutory Water Companies Act 1991 (c. 58, SIF 130), **ss. 11(2), 17(2)**
- C39** Act: definitions of "extraordinary resolution", "registrar of companies" and "special resolution" applied (E.W.) (1.12.1991) by Statutory Water Companies Act 1991 (c. 58, SIF 130), **ss. 12(8), 17(2)**
- C40** Act restricted (16.10.1992) by Trade Union and Labour Relations (Consolidation) Act 1992 (c. 52), **ss. 10, 302**  
Act restricted (6.1.1994) by 1993 c. 43, **s. 114(1)**; S.I. 1993/3237, **art. 2(2)**
- C41** Act extended (with modifications) (19.12.1993) by S.I. 1993/3245, **reg.3**
- C42** Act modified (31.10.1994) by 1994 c. 21, s. 15, **Sch. 3 para. 2(4)(b)** (with s. 40(7)); S.I. 1994/2552, **art. 2, Sch. 1**  
Act modified (31.10.1994) by 1994 c. 21, s. 67(1), **Sch. 9 para. 32** (with s. 40(7)); S.I. 1994/2553, **art. 2**  
Act modified (8.11.1995) by 1995 c. 37, s. 6, **Sch. 2 para. 1(5)(b)**  
Act modified (8.11.1995) by 1995 c. 45, s. 17(1), Sch. 5 Pt. I paras. 1, **8(c)**

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- Act modified (27.7.1999) by 1999 c. 20, s. 5(1), **Sch. 2 Pt. II** (with s. 15)  
Act modified (27.7.1999) by 1999 c. 20, s. **6(2)(b)** (with s. 15)  
Act modified (temp. from 27.7.1999) by 1999 c. 20, s. **16(1)(4)(b)** (with s. 15)  
Act modified (6.11.2000) by 2000 c. 26, s. **63(7)(b)**; S.I. 2000/2957, art. 2(1), **Sch. 1** (with transitional provisions in arts. 3-8)  
Act modified (16.2.2001) by 2000 c. 27, s. 108, Sch. 7 paras. 8, **9**; S.I. 2001/1781, art. 2, **Sch.** (subject to transitional provisions in arts. 3-10)  
Act modified (5.10.2004) by Energy Act 2004 (c. 20), ss. 39, 198(2), **Sch. 6 para. 2(4)(c)** (with s. 38(2)); S.I. 2004/2575, **art. 2(1)**, Sch. 1
- C43** Act amended (8.11.1995) by 1995 c. 37, s. 6, **Sch. 2 para. 14**
- C44** Act excluded and modified (31.3.1996) by 1995 c. 20, s. 110(1), **Sch. 4 para. 3(3)(7)** (which amendment was repealed (1.4.1996) by 1995 c. 40, s. 6(1), **Sch. 5**)
- C45** Act excluded (3.2.1995) by 1994 c. 37, ss. 66(1), 69(2), **Sch. 2 para. 6** (with s. 66(2))  
Act excluded (31.3.1996) by 1995 c. 20, s. 110(1), **Sch. 4 para. 4(3)(5)** (which amendment was repealed (1.4.1996) by 1995 c. 40, s. 6(1), **Sch. 5**)  
Act excluded (in part) (E.W.) (17.6.1996) by 1996 c. ii, s. **4(2)**  
Act excluded (E.W.) (1.10.1996) by 1996 c. 52, s. 7, **Sch. 1 Pt. II para. 15(2)** (with s. 51(4)); S.I. 1996/2402, **art. 3** (subject to transitional provisions and savings in Sch.)  
Act excluded (S.) (1.11.2001) by 2001 asp 10, s. 63, **Sch. 7 Pt. II para. 12(3)**; S.S.I. 2001/336, art. 2(1)(3), **Sch. Pt. II** (subject to transitional provisions and savings in art. 3)  
Act excluded (S.) (17.12.2001) by 2001 asp 13, s. 20, **Sch. 6 para. 9(5)** (with s. 29); S.S.I. 2001/456, **art. 2**  
Act excluded (E.W.N.I.) (1.9.2001) by 2001 c. 17, s. 38, **Sch. 6 para. 11(5)** (with ss. 27(3), 39, 78); S.I. 2001/2161, **art. 3**  
Act excluded (24.3.2003) by Proceeds of Crime Act 2002 (c. 29), ss. **426(10)(a)**, 458(1)(3); S.I. 2003/333, **art. 2**, Sch. 1 (as amended by S.I. 2003/531)
- C46** Act extended (6.1.1997) by S.I. 1996/2827, **reg. 2(4)**
- C47** Act applied (with modifications) (1.6.1998) by 1998 c. 11, s. **7(3)(9)**; S.I. 1998/1120, **art. 2**
- C48** Act: specified provisions applied (with modifications) (6.4.2001) by S.I. 2001/1090, reg. 4(1), Sch. 2 Pt. 1 (as amended (1.10.2009) by S.I. 2009/1804, reg. 85, **Sch. 3 para. 13(3)(5)** (as amended by S.I. 2009/1833, reg. 2(2)))
- C49** Act modified (1.1.2007, 20.1.2007, 6.4.2007, 1.10.2007, 1.11.2007, 15.12.2007, 6.4.2008, 1.10.2008 for certain purposes, otherwise 1.10.2009) by Companies Act 2006 (c. 46), ss. **1168**, 1173, 1300; S.I. 2006/3428, **arts. 2(2)(f)(g)**, 3(2)(c)(d) (subject to Sch. 1, and with art. 6, and with transitional provisions and savings in art. 8, Sch. 5) (as amended by S.I. 2007/3495, art. 11, Sch. 5 and S.I. 2008/2860, art. 6); S.I. 2007/1093, **arts. 2(2)(g)(h)** (with arts. 4, 11(1) and subject to transitional adaptations in Sch. 1) (as amended by S.I. 2008/2194, arts. 2(3)(j)(k)3(2)(d), 4(2)(a), (with saving in art. 12 and with transitional provisions and savings in Sch. 3 and subject to transitional adaptations specified in Sch. 1) (as amended by S.I. 2007/2607, art. 4); S.I. 2007/3495, **arts. 3(3)(i)(j)**, 5(3)(b)(c) (with transitional provisions in arts. 6, 9, Sch. 4 and with savings in arts. 7, 12 and with transitional adaptations in Sch. 1) (as amended by S.I. 2008/1886, Sch. 4 para. 15); S.I. 2008/2860, **art. 2(u)** (with arts. 5, 7, 8, Sch. 2 (as amended by S.I. 2009/1802, art. 18, Sch., S.I. 2009/1941, art. 13, S.I. 2009/2476, art. 2))
- C50** Act: power to apply conferred (20.1.2007 for certain purposes and otherwise 1.10.2009) by Companies Act 2006 (c. 46), ss. **1042**, 1300; S.I. 2006/3428, **art. 3(3)** (subject to art. 5, Sch. 1 and with arts. 6, 8, Sch. 5 (as amended by S.I. 2007/3495, art. 11, Sch. 5)); S.I. 2008/2860, **art. 3(p)** (with arts. 5, 7, 8, Sch. 2 (as amended by S.I. 2009/1802, art. 18, Sch.))
- C51** Act: power to apply (with modifications) conferred (20.1.2007 for specified purposes and 6.4.2007 otherwise) by Companies Act 2006 (c. 46), ss. **1043(2)**, 1300; S.I. 2006/3428, **art. 3(3)**, (subject to art. 5, Sch. 1 and with arts. 6, 8, Sch. 5 (as amended by S.I. 2007/3495, art. 11, Sch. 5)); S.I. 2007/1093, **art. 2(1)(c)**
- C52** Act excluded (20.1.2007, 6.4.2007, 1.10.2007, 6.4.2008 and 1.10.2008 for certain purposes and otherwise 1.10.2009) by Companies Act 2006 (c. 46), ss. **1129**, 1300 (with s. 1133); S.I. 2006/3428,

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- art. 3(2)(b)** (subject to art. 5, Sch. 1 and with arts. 6, 8, Sch. 5 (as amended by S.I. 2007/3495, art. 11, Sch. 5)); S.I. 2007/1093, **art. 2(2)(c)**; S.I. 2007/2194, **art. 2(1)(l)(3)(h)** (with art. 12); S.I. 2007/3495, **arts. 3(3)(g), 5(3)(a)** (with arts. 7, 12); S.I. 2008/2860, **art. 3(s)** (with arts. 5, 7, 8, Sch. 2 (as amended by S.I. 2009/1802, art. 18, Sch.))
- C53** Act modified (20.1.2007 for certain purposes and otherwise 1.10.2009) by Companies Act 2006 (c. 46), **ss. 583, 1300**; S.I. 2006/3428, **art. 3(3)** (subject to art. 5, Sch. 1 and with arts. 6, 8, Sch. 5 (as amended by S.I. 2007/3495, art. 11, Sch. 5)); S.I. 2008/2860, **art. 3(k)** (with arts. 5, 7, 8, Sch. 2 (as amended by S.I. 2009/1802, art. 18, Sch.))
- C54** Act modified (20.1.2007 for certain purposes and otherwise 1.10.2009) by Companies Act 2006 (c. 46), **ss. 1081(6), 1300**; S.I. 2006/3428, **art. 3(3)** (subject to art. 5, Sch. 1 and with arts. 6, 8, Sch. 5 (as amended by S.I. 2007/3495, art. 11, Sch. 5)); S.I. 2008/2860, **art. 3(r)** (with arts. 5, 7, 8, Sch. 2 (as amended by S.I. 2009/1802, art. 18, Sch.))
- C55** Act modified (20.1.2007, 6.4.2007, 1.10.2007, 6.4.2008 and 1.10.2008 for certain purposes and otherwise 1.10.2009) by Companies Act 2006 (c. 46), **ss. 1125(1), 1300** (with s. 1133); S.I. 2006/3428, **art. 3(2)(b)** (subject to art. 5, Sch. 1 and with arts. 6, 8, Sch. 5 (as amended by S.I. 2007/3495, art. 11, Sch. 5)); S.I. 2007/1093, **art. 2(2)(c)**; S.I. 2007/2194, **art. 2(1)(l)(3)(h)** (with art. 12, Sch. 3 para. 48 and subject to Sch. 1); S.I. 2007/3495, **arts. 3(3)(g), 5(3)(a)** (with arts. 7, 12); S.I. 2008/2860, **art. 3(s)** (with arts. 5, 7, 8, Sch. 2 (as amended by S.I. 2009/1802, art. 18, Sch.))
- C56** Act modified (20.1.2007, 6.4.2007, 1.10.2007, 6.4.2008 and 1.10.2008 for certain purposes and otherwise 1.10.2009) by Companies Act 2006 (c. 46), **ss. 1131, 1300** (with s. 1133); S.I. 2006/3428, **art. 3(2)(b)** (subject to art. 5, Sch. 1 and with arts. 6, 8, Sch. 5 (as amended by S.I. 2007/3495, art. 11, Sch. 5)); S.I. 2007/1093, **art. 2(2)(c)**; S.I. 2007/2194, **art. 2(1)(l)(3)(h)** (with art. 12); S.I. 2007/3495, **arts. 3(3)(g), 5(3)(a)** (with arts. 7, 12); S.I. 2008/2860, **art. 3(s)** (with arts. 5, 7, 8, Sch. 2 (as amended by S.I. 2009/1802, art. 18, Sch.))
- C57** Act restricted (20.1.2007 for certain purposes and otherwise 1.10.2009) by Companies Act 2006 (c. 46), **ss. 1156(2), 1300**; S.I. 2006/3428, **art. 3(3)** (subject to art. 5, Sch. 1 and with arts. 6, 8, Sch. 5 (as amended by S.I. 2007/3495, art. 11, Sch. 5)); S.I. 2008/2860, **art. 3(t)** (with arts. 5, 7, 8, Sch. 2 (as amended by S.I. 2009/1802, art. 18, Sch.))
- C58** Act modified (6.4.2007, 1.10.2007, 1.11.2007 and 6.4.2008 for certain purposes and otherwise 1.10.2009) by Companies Act 2006 (c. 46), **ss. 546, 1300**; S.I. 2007/1093, **art. 2(2)(a)**; S.I. 2007/2194, **arts. 2(3)(e), 3(2)(b)** (with art. 12); S.I. 2007/3495, **art. 3(3)(d)** (with arts. 7, 12); S.I. 2008/2860, **art. 3(k)** (with arts. 5, 7, 8, Sch. 2 (as amended by S.I. 2009/1802, art. 18, Sch.))
- C59** Act modified (6.4.2007 for certain purposes and otherwise 1.10.2009) by Companies Act 2006 (c. 46), **ss. 558, 1300** (with s. 559); S.I. 2007/1093, **art. 2(2)(b)**; S.I. 2008/2860, **art. 3(k)** (with arts. 5, 7, 8, Sch. 2 (as amended by S.I. 2009/1802, art. 18, Sch.))
- C60** Act modified (6.4.2007 for certain purposes and otherwise 1.10.2009) by Companies Act 2006 (c. 46), **ss. 1060(3)(4), 1300**; S.I. 2006/3428, **art. 4(3)(a)** (subject to art. 5, Sch. 1 and with arts. 6, 8, Sch. 5 (as amended by S.I. 2007/3495, art. 11, Sch. 5)); S.I. 2008/2860, **art. 3(r)** (with arts. 5, 7, 8, Sch. 2 (as amended by S.I. 2009/1802, art. 18, Sch.))
- C61** Act modified (6.4.2007) by Companies Act 2006 (c. 46) {ss. 1170}, 1300; S.I. 2007/1093, **art. 2(1)(d)** (with arts. 3, 11(1) and with savings in Sch. 6) (as amended by S.I. 2003/2860, art. 6)
- C62** Act modified (6.4.2007) by The Companies Acts (Unregistered Companies) Regulations 2007 (S.I. 2007/318), regs. {4}, {5} (with reg. 6)
- C63** Act modified (30.9.2007) by Companies Act 2006 (c. 46) {ss. 1167}, 1300; S.I. 2007/2607, **art. 2(1)** (with art. 3)
- C64** Act modified (1.10.2007) by Companies Act 2006 (c. 46), **ss. 288(1), 1300** (with s. 281(4)); S.I. 2007/2194, **art. 2(1)(f)** (with art. 12, Sch. 3 para. 24 and subject to Sch. 1)
- C65** Act modified (1.10.2007 and 6.4.2008 for certain purposes and otherwise 1.10.2009) by Companies Act 2006 (c. 46), **ss. 540(1)(4), 1300**; S.I. 2007/2194, **art. 2(3)(c)** (with art. 12); S.I. 2007/3495, **art. 3(3)(b)** (with arts. 7, 12); S.I. 2008/2860, **art. 3(k)** (with arts. 5, 7, 8, Sch. 2 (as amended by S.I. 2009/1802, art. 18, Sch.))
- C66** Act modified (1.10.2007 and 6.4.2008 for certain purposes and otherwise 1.10.2009) by Companies Act 2006 (c. 46), **ss. 545, 1300**; S.I. 2007/2194, **art. 2(3)(d)** (with art. 12); S.I. 2007/3495, **art. 3(3)(c)**

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- (with arts. 7, 12); S.I. 2008/2860, **art. 3(k)** (with arts. 5, 7, 8, Sch. 2 (as amended by S.I. 2009/1802, art. 18, Sch.))
- C67** Act modified (1.10.2007 and 6.4.2008 for certain purposes and otherwise 1.10.2009) by Companies Act 2006 (c. 46), **ss. 548, 1300**; S.I. 2007/2194, **art. 2(3)(f)** (with art. 12); S.I. 2007/3495, **art. 3(3)(e)** (with arts. 7, 12); S.I. 2008/2860, **art. 3(k)** (with arts. 5, 7, 8, Sch. 2 (as amended by S.I. 2009/1802, art. 18, Sch.))
- C68** Act modified (1.10.2007 and 6.4.2008 for certain purposes and otherwise 1.10.2009) by Companies Act 2006 (c. 46), **ss. 629, 1300**; S.I. 2007/2194, **art. 2(3)(g)** (with art. 12); S.I. 2007/3495, **art. 3(3)(f)** (with arts. 7, 12); S.I. 2008/2860, **art. 3(k)** (with arts. 5, 7, 8, Sch. 2 (as amended by S.I. 2009/1802, art. 18, Sch.))
- C69** Act modified (1.10.2007 and 1.11.2007 for certain purposes and otherwise 1.10.2009) by Companies Act 2006 (c. 46), **ss. 1158, 1300**; S.I. 2007/2194, **arts. 2(3)(i), 3(2)(b)** (with art. 12 and subject to Sch. 1); S.I. 2008/2860, **art. 3(u)** (with arts. 5, 7, 8, Sch. 2 (as amended by S.I. 2009/1802, art. 18, Sch.))
- C70** Act applied (30.11.2007 with application as mentioned in rule 3 of the amending S.I.) by The PPP Administration Order Rules 2007 (S.I. 2007/3141), **rule 32(5)**
- C71** Act modified (6.4.2008) by Companies Act 2006 (c. 46), **ss. 437(3), 1300**; S.I. 2007/3495, **art. 3(1)(d)** (with arts. 7, 12, Sch. 4 paras. 6-8)
- C72** Act modified (6.4.2008) by Companies Act 2006 (c. 46), **ss. 738, 1300**; S.I. 2007/3495, **art. 3(1)(g)** (with arts. 7, 12, Sch. 4 paras. 20-23)
- C73** Act modified (6.4.2008 for certain purposes and otherwise 1.10.2009) by Companies Act 2006 (c. 46), **ss. 1161, 1162, 1171, 1173, 1174, 1300, Schs. 7, 8**; S.I. 2007/3495, **arts. 3(1)(o)(p)(q)** (with arts. 6, 7, 9, 12, Sch. 4, and subject to Sch. 1) (as amended by S.I. 2008/1886, Sch 4 para. 15); S.I. 2008/2860, **art. 3(u)** (with arts. 5, 7, 8, Sch. 2 (as amended by S.I. 2009/1802, art. 18, Sch.))
- C74** Act applied in part (with modifications) by European Economic Interest Grouping Regulations 1989 (S.I. 1989/638), reg. 18, Sch. 4 (as amended (6.4.2008) by The Companies Act 2006 (Consequential Amendments etc) Order 2008 (S.I. 2008/948), arts. 2(2), 3(1), **Sch. 1 paras. 163, 164** (with arts. 6, 11, 12))
- C75** Act applied in part (with modifications) by European Economic Interest Grouping Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1989 (S.R. 1989/216), reg. 18, Sch. 4 (as amended (6.4.2008) by The Companies Act 2006 (Consequential Amendments etc) Order 2008 (S.I. 2008/948), arts. 2(2), 3(1), **Sch. 1 paras. 173, 174** (with arts. 6, 11, 12))
- C76** Act modified (21.2.2009) by The Banking Act 2009 (Parts 2 and 3 Consequential Amendments) Order 2009 (S.I. 2009/317), art. 3, **Sch.**
- C77** Act modified (1.10.2009) by Companies Act 2006 (c. 46), **ss. 1163, 1166, 1171, 1174, 1300, Sch. 8**; S.I. 2008/2860, **art. 3(u)** (with arts. 5, 7, 8, Sch. 2) (as amended by S.I. 2009/1802 art. 18, S.I. 2009/1941, art. 13, S.I. 2009/2476, art. 2)
- C78** Act modified (1.10.2009) by Companies Act 2006 (c. 46), **ss. 1(1), 1300**; S.I. 2008/2860, **art. 3(a)** (with arts. 5, 7, 8, Sch. 2 (as amended by S.I. 2009/1802, art. 18, Sch.))
- C79** Act restricted (1.10.2009) by Companies Act 2006 (c. 46), **ss. 6(2), 1300**; S.I. 2008/2860, **art. 3(a)** (with arts. 5, 7, 8, Sch. 2 (as amended by S.I. 2009/1802, art. 18, Sch.))
- C80** Act modified (1.10.2009) by Companies Act 2006 (c. 46), **ss. 547, 1300**; S.I. 2008/2860, **art. 3(k)** (with arts. 5, 7, 8, Sch. 2 (as amended by S.I. 2009/1802, art. 18, Sch.))
- C81** Act modified (1.10.2009) by Companies Act 2006 (c. 46), **ss. 724(5), 1300**; S.I. 2008/2860, **art. 3(l)** (with arts. 5, 7, 8, Sch. 2 (as amended by S.I. 2009/1802, art. 18, Sch.))
- C82** Act modified (1.10.2009) by Companies Act 2006 (c. 46), **ss. 1044, 1300**; S.I. 2008/2860, **art. 3(q)** (with arts. 5, 7, 8, Sch. 2 (as amended by S.I. 2009/1802, art. 18, Sch.))
- C83** Act restricted (1.10.2009) by Companies Act 2006 (c. 46), **ss. 1118, 1300**; S.I. 2008/2860, **art. 3(r)** (with arts. 5, 7, 8, Sch. 2 (as amended by S.I. 2009/1802, art. 18, Sch.))
- C84** Act modified by Companies Act 2006 (c. 46), **ss. 1170A, 1170B** (as inserted (1.10.2009) by The Companies Act 2006 (Consequential Amendments, Transitional Provisions and Savings) Order 2009 (S.I. 2009/1941), **art. 2(1)**, {Sch. 1 para. 260(8)})
- C85** Act extended (1.10.2009) by The Companies Act 2006 (Consequential Amendments, Transitional Provisions and Savings) Order 2009 (S.I. 2009/1941), art. 12(1), **Sch. 3 para. 2** (with art. 10)

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- C86** Act: savings for the effects of 2006 c. 46, Sch. 16 (1.10.2009) by The Overseas Companies Regulations 2009 (S.I. 2009/1801), reg. 80, **Sch. 8**
- C87** Act: savings for the effects of 2006 c. 46, Sch. 16 (1.10.2009) by The Limited Liability Partnerships (Application of Companies Act 2006) Regulations 2009 (S.I. 2009/1804), reg. 83, **Sch. 1**
- C88** Act applied (with modifications) (1.10.2009) by The Unregistered Companies Regulations 2009 (S.I. 2009/2436), regs. 3-5, **Sch. 1 para. 21** (with transitional provisions and savings in regs. 7, 9, Sch. 2)
- C89** Act applied (with modifications) (1.10.2009) by The Companies (Companies Authorised to Register) Regulations 2009 (S.I. 2009/2437), **regs. 18-23** (with transitional provisions and savings in reg. 24)
- C90** Act modified (prosp.) by Horserace Betting and Olympic Lottery Act 2004 (c. 25), **ss. 5(3)(b)**, 40  
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