



# Insolvency Act 1986

## 1986 CHAPTER 45

### [<sup>F1</sup>PART A1

#### MORATORIUM

#### CHAPTER 1

#### INTRODUCTORY

#### [<sup>F1</sup>A1 Overview

- (1) This Part contains provision that enables an eligible company, in certain circumstances, to obtain a moratorium, giving it various protections from creditors set out in this Part.
- (2) In this Chapter section A2 introduces Schedule ZA1 (which defines what is meant by an “eligible” company).
- (3) Chapter 2 sets out how an eligible company may obtain a moratorium.
- (4) Chapter 3 sets out for how long a moratorium has effect.
- (5) Chapter 4 sets out the effects of a moratorium on the company and its creditors.
- (6) Chapter 5 contains provision about the monitor.
- (7) Chapter 6 contains provision about challenges.
- (8) Chapter 7 contains provision about certain offences.
- (9) Chapter 8 contains miscellaneous and general provision, including—
  - (a) special provision for certain kinds of company;
  - (b) definitions for the purposes of this Part;
  - (c) provision about regulations under this Part.]

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