



# Company and Business Names (Chamber of Commerce, Etc.) Act 1999

## 1999 CHAPTER 19

### 3 Approval of certain business names.

- (1) Before determining under [<sup>F1</sup>section 1194 of the Companies Act 2006] whether to approve the carrying on of a business under a name which includes—
- the expression “chamber of commerce” or “siambr fasnach”, or
  - any other expression for the time being specified in regulations under [<sup>F2</sup>that section] which begins with the words “chamber of” or “chambers of” (or the Welsh equivalents),

the Secretary of State must consult at least one relevant representative body.

- (2) The Secretary of State may publish guidance with respect to factors which may be taken into account in determining whether to approve the use of a business name to which this section applies.

#### Textual Amendments

- F1** Words in s. 3(1) substituted (1.10.2009) by [The Companies Act 2006 \(Consequential Amendments, Transitional Provisions and Savings\) Order 2009 \(S.I. 2009/1941\)](#), art. 1(2), [Sch. 1 para. 176\(4\)\(a\)](#) (with art. 10)
- F2** Words in s. 3(1)(b) substituted (1.10.2009) by [The Companies Act 2006 \(Consequential Amendments, Transitional Provisions and Savings\) Order 2009 \(S.I. 2009/1941\)](#), art. 1(2), [Sch. 1 para. 176\(4\)\(b\)](#) (with art. 10)

**Changes to legislation:**

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Company and Business Names (Chamber of Commerce, Etc.) Act 1999, Section 3.