

# Enterprise Act 2002

# **2002 CHAPTER 40**

### **PART 10**

#### **INSOLVENCY**

# Money

# 270 Fees

(1) The following shall be inserted after section 415 of the Insolvency Act 1986 (c. 45) (fees orders: individual insolvency)—

# "415A Fees orders (general)

- (1) The Secretary of State—
  - (a) may by order require a body to pay a fee in connection with the grant or maintenance of recognition of the body under section 391, and
  - (b) may refuse recognition, or revoke an order of recognition under section 391(1) by a further order, where a fee is not paid.
- (2) The Secretary of State—
  - (a) may by order require a person to pay a fee in connection with the grant or maintenance of authorisation of the person under section 393, and
  - (b) may disregard an application or withdraw an authorisation where a fee is not paid.
- (3) The Secretary of State may by order require the payment of fees in respect of—
  - (a) the operation of the Insolvency Services Account;
  - (b) payments into and out of that Account.
- (4) The following provisions of section 414 apply to fees under this section as they apply to fees under that section—

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- (a) subsection (3) (manner of payment),
- (b) subsection (5) (additional provision),
- (c) subsection (6) (statutory instrument),
- (d) subsection (7) (payment into Consolidated Fund), and
- (e) subsection (9) (saving for rules of court)."
- (2) An order made by virtue of subsection (1) may relate to the maintenance of recognition or authorisation granted before this section comes into force.
- (4) In section 440(2)(c) of that Act (provisions not extending to Scotland) after "415," there shall be inserted "415A(3),".

#### **Textual Amendments**

F1 S. 270(3) omitted (1.10.2015) by virtue of Deregulation Act 2015 (c. 20), s. 115(7), **Sch. 6 para.** 22(13); S.I. 2015/1732, art. 2(e)(vi) (with art. 7)

#### **Commencement Information**

I1 S. 270 wholly in force at 1.4.2004; s. 270 not in force at Royal Assent see s. 279; s. 270(1)(2)(4) in force at 18.12.2003 by S.I. 2003/3340, art. 3, s. 270(3) in force at 1.4.2004 by S.I. 2003/2093, art. 2(2), Sch. 2 (as amended by S.I. 2003/3340, art. 2(2))

# **271** Insolvency Services Account: interest

- (1) The following shall be inserted after paragraph 16 of Schedule 8 to the Insolvency Act 1986 (company insolvency rules: money)—
  - "16A Provision enabling the Secretary of State to set the rate of interest paid on sums which have been paid into the Insolvency Services Account."
- (2) The following shall be inserted after paragraph 21 of Schedule 9 to the Insolvency Act 1986 (individual insolvency rules: money)—
  - "21A Provision enabling the Secretary of State to set the rate of interest paid on sums which have been paid into the Insolvency Services Account."

# 272 Insolvency Services Accounts

- (1) Section 405 of the Insolvency Act 1986 (operation of Investment Account) shall cease to have effect.
- (2) The following shall be substituted for section 408 of that Act (recourse to Consolidated Fund)—

# "408 Adjustment of balances

(1) The Treasury may direct the payment out of the Consolidated Fund of sums into—

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- (a) the Insolvency Services Account;
- (b) the Investment Account.
- (2) The Treasury shall certify to the House of Commons the reason for any payment under subsection (1).
- (3) The Secretary of State may pay sums out of the Insolvency Services Account into the Consolidated Fund.
- (4) The National Debt Commissioners may pay sums out of the Investment Account into the Consolidated Fund."

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