

# **Employment Relations Act 2004**

## **2004 CHAPTER 24**

### PART 6

#### MISCELLANEOUS

#### 53 Removal of rule preventing appointment of body corporate as auditor

- (1) In section 34(5) of the 1992 Act (persons not to act as auditor of a trade union), omit paragraph (c).
- (2) In section 36 of that Act (auditor's report), after subsection (1) insert—

"(1A) The report shall state the names of, and be signed by, the auditor or auditors."

- (3) After subsection (4) of that section add—
  - "(5) Any reference in this section to signature by an auditor is, where the office of auditor is held by a body corporate or partnership, to signature in the name of the body corporate or partnership by an individual authorised to sign on its behalf."
- (4) In section 37 of that Act (rights of auditors), after subsection (3) add-
  - "(4) In the case of an auditor which is a body corporate or partnership, its right to attend or be heard at a meeting is exercisable by an individual authorised by it to act as its representative at the meeting."

#### **Commencement Information**

I1 S. 53 in force at 6.4.2005 by S.I. 2005/872, art. 4, Sch.

## Status:

Point in time view as at 06/04/2005.

#### Changes to legislation:

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Employment Relations Act 2004, Section 53.