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# SCHEDULES

# SCHEDULE 9

# ABOLITION OF REQUIREMENTS TO HOLD MEETINGS; OPTED-OUT CREDITORS

### PART 1

#### COMPANY INSOLVENCY

#### *Company voluntary arrangements*

- 4 (1) Section 4 (decisions of meetings) is amended as follows.
  - (2) For subsection (1) substitute—
    - "(1) This section applies where, under section 3—
      - (a) a meeting of the company is summoned to consider the proposed voluntary arrangement, and
      - (b) the company's creditors are asked to decide whether to approve the proposed voluntary arrangement.
    - (1A) The company and its creditors may approve the proposed voluntary arrangement with or without modifications."
  - (3) In subsection (3) for "A meeting so summoned shall not" substitute " Neither the company nor its creditors may ".
  - (4) In subsection (4)—
    - (a) for "a meeting so summoned shall not" substitute " neither the company nor its creditors may ";
    - (b) omit "the meeting may approve";
    - (c) after "such a proposal or modification" insert " may be approved ".
  - (5) In subsection (5) for "each of the meetings" substitute " the meeting of the company and the qualifying decision procedure ".
  - (6) In subsection (6) for "either" substitute " the company ".
  - (7) After subsection (6) insert—
    - "(6A) After the company's creditors have decided whether to approve the proposed voluntary arrangement the person who sought the decision must—
      - (a) report the creditors' decision to the court, and
      - (b) immediately after reporting to the court, give notice of the creditors' decision to such persons as may be prescribed."
  - (8) In the heading, for "meetings" substitute " the company and its creditors ".

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- I3 Sch. 9 para. 4 in force at 6.4.2019 for S. in so far as not already in force by S.I. 2019/816, reg. 4(c) (with reg. 5)

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