



National Security Act 2023

2023 CHAPTER 32

PART 4

FOREIGN ACTIVITIES AND FOREIGN INFLUENCE REGISTRATION SCHEME

Information

PROSPECTIVE

78 Offence of carrying out activities under arrangements tainted by false information

- (1) A person commits an offence if—
- (a) the person carries out a relevant activity, or arranges for a relevant activity to be carried out, in the United Kingdom pursuant to a foreign activity arrangement required to be registered under [section 65\(4\)](#),
 - (b) information provided to the Secretary of State under [section 74](#) or [75](#) in connection with the arrangement, whether by the person or by another person, is false, inaccurate or misleading in a material way, and
 - (c) the person knows, or having regard to other matters known to them ought reasonably to know, that the facts are as mentioned in [paragraph \(b\)](#).
- (2) A person commits an offence if—
- (a) the person carries out a political influence activity, or arranges for a political influence activity to be carried out, in the United Kingdom pursuant to a foreign influence arrangement required to be registered under [section 69\(3\)](#),
 - (b) information provided to the Secretary of State under [section 74](#) or [75](#) in connection with the arrangement, whether by the person or by another person, is false, inaccurate or misleading in a material way, and
 - (c) the person knows, or having regard to other matters known to them ought reasonably to know, that the facts are as mentioned in [paragraph \(b\)](#).

Status: This version of this provision is prospective.

Changes to legislation: There are currently no known outstanding effects for the National Security Act 2023, Section 78. (See end of Document for details)

Commencement Information

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