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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**2001 No. 3649**

The Financial Services and Markets Act 2000  
(Consequential Amendments and Repeals) Order 2001

PART 2

AMENDMENTS TO THE COMPANIES LEGISLATION

*Companies Act 1985 (c. 6)*

**Interpretation of the 1985 Act**

**30.** In section 744 of the 1985 Act (interpretation)(1)—

- (a) the definitions of “banking company” and “insurance company” are repealed;
- (b) after the definition of “the insider dealing legislation” insert—
  - ““insurance market activity” has the meaning given in section 316(3) of the Financial Services and Markets Act 2000;”;
  - and
- (c) before the definition of “the registrar of companies” insert—
  - ““regulated activity” has the meaning given in section 22 of the Financial Services and Markets Act 2000;”.

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(1) Relevant amendments made by the Companies Act 1989 (c. 40), Schedule 10, paragraph 16.