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#### SCHEDULE 1

### APPLICATION OF THE ACT AND RELATED PROVISIONS

### Special administration

- 7.—(1) Section 249 M1 (special administration regimes) of the Enterprise Act 2002 applies as if—
  - (a) in subsection (1) (saving in relation to the replacement of Part 2 of the Insolvency Act 1986), after paragraph (aa) (saving for qualifying [FI water supply licensee]), there were inserted—
    - "(ab) a licensed infrastructure provider within the meaning of the Water Industry Act 1991,"; and
  - (b) subsections (3) to (5) were repealed.
- (2) Section 23 M2 (meaning and effect of special administration order) applies as if—
  - (a) in subsection (1) (meaning of special administration order), after "qualifying [FI water supply licensee]", there were inserted "or a licensed infrastructure provider";
  - (b) after subsection (2A) (purposes of a special administration order for qualifying [F2water supply licensees]), there were inserted—
    - "(2AA) The purposes of a special administration order made in relation to any company which is a licensed infrastructure provider shall be—
      - (a) the transfer to another company or companies, as a going concern, of so much of the company's undertaking as it is necessary to transfer in order to ensure that its functions may be properly carried out; and
      - (b) the carrying out of those functions pending the making of the transfer."; and
  - (c) in subsection (4) (application of Schedule 2 to the Act)—
    - (i) at the end of paragraph (a), "or" were repealed; and
    - (ii) after paragraph (a), there were inserted—
      - "(aa) a company carries on activities relating to the functions formerly carried on by a licensed infrastructure provider; or".
- (3) Section 24 M3 (special administration orders made on special petitions) applies as if—
  - (a) in subsection (1) (applications for special administration orders made in relation to relevant undertakers), after "this Part", there were inserted " or is a licensed infrastructure provider ".
  - (b) in subsection (2) (grounds for making applications for special administration orders)—
    - (i) in paragraph (bb) (qualifying [Flwater supply licensee] causing contravention of a principal duty of a water undertaker)—
      - (aa) in the words preceding sub-paragraph (i), after "qualifying [F1 water supply licensee]", there were inserted " or a licensed infrastructure provider "; and
      - (bb) in sub-paragraph (i), for "water undertaker", there were substituted "relevant undertaker"; and
    - (ii) in paragraph (d) (petition by the Secretary of State following company inspector's report), after "qualifying [FI water supply licensee]", there were inserted " or a licensed infrastructure provider"; and
  - (c) in subsection (7) (meaning of principal duty), in paragraph (b), after "qualifying [FI water supply licensee]", there were inserted " or a licensed infrastructure provider".

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- (4) Schedule 3 M4 (special administration orders) applies without modification.
- (5) Section 25 M5 (power to make special administration order on winding-up petition) applies as if, after "qualifying [F1 water supply licensee]", in each place it occurs, there were inserted " or a licensed infrastructure provider".
- (6) Section 26 <sup>M6</sup> (restrictions on voluntary winding-up and insolvency proceedings) applies as if, after "qualifying [FI water supply licensee]" there were inserted " or a licensed infrastructure provider"
  - (7) The provisions of the Water Industry (Special Administration) Rules 2009 apply as if—
    - (a) in rule 3 (definitions and interpretation), in paragraph (1)—
      - (i) following definition were inserted at the appropriate place—
        ""infrastructure" in relation to a licensed infrastructure provider (within the meaning
        of the Water Industry Act 1991) has the meaning given in the Water Industry
        (Specified Infrastructure Projects) (English Undertakers) Regulations 2013;" and
      - (ii) in the definition of "water company" after "qualifying [FI water supply licensee]", there were inserted " or a licensed infrastructure provider ";
    - (b) in rule 8 (contents of affidavit), in paragraph (1)(a), after "qualifying [FI water supply licensee]", there were inserted " or a licensed infrastructure provider ";
    - (c) in rule 11 (service of petition), in paragraph (2) (persons who must be served)—
      - (i) in sub-paragraph (j) after "the Welsh Ministers" there were inserted " (where any part of the infrastructure in question is or is to be in Wales), ";
      - (ii) sub-paragraph (k) were omitted; and
      - (iii) in sub-paragraph (l), after "the Welsh Ministers" there were inserted " (where any part of the infrastructure in question is or is to be in Wales)";
    - (d) in rule 17 (notice and advertisement of special administration order), in paragraph (4), ", the Welsh Ministers" were omitted;
    - (e) in rule 18 (notice of discharge of special administration order), after "the Welsh Ministers" there were inserted " (where any part of the infrastructure in question is or is to be in Wales)";
    - (f) in rule 23 (resignation of special administrator), in paragraph (3)(a), "or the Welsh Ministers, as appropriate" were omitted;
    - (g) in rule 24 (special administrator's death in office), in paragraph (2)(a), "or the Welsh Ministers, as appropriate" were omitted;
    - (h) in rule 25 (order filling vacancy), in sub-paragraph (c), "or the Welsh Ministers, as appropriate" were omitted;
    - (i) in rule 35 (statement if special administration order to be discharged before statement of proposals), ", the Welsh Ministers" were omitted;
    - (j) in rule 65 (right of inspection of proxies), in paragraph (1)(e), after "the Welsh Ministers" there were inserted " (where any part of the infrastructure in question is or is to be in Wales)"; and
    - (k) in rule 82 (certain persons' right to inspect the court file), in paragraph (1)(d) after "the Welsh Ministers" there were inserted " (where any part of the infrastructure in question is or is to be in Wales)".

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#### **Textual Amendments**

- **F1** Words in Sch. 1 para. 7 substituted (31.3.2017) by The Water Act 2014 (Consequential Amendments etc.) Order 2017 (S.I. 2017/506), arts. 1(1), **30(10)(a)**
- **F2** Words in Sch. 1 para. 7(2)(b) substituted (31.3.2017) by The Water Act 2014 (Consequential Amendments etc.) Order 2017 (S.I. 2017/506), arts. 1(1), 30(10)(b)

### **Marginal Citations**

- M1 Section 249 was amended by section 101(1) of, and Schedule 8 to, the Water Act 2003.
- M2 Section 23 was amended by was amended by section 101(1) of, and Schedule 8 to, the Water Act 2003. Section 23 was also amended by section 34 of, and Schedule 5 to, the Flood and Water Management Act 2010, although the provisions are only in force for limited purposes.
- M3 Section 24 was amended by was amended by section 101(1) of, and Schedule 8 to, the Water Act 2003. Section 24 was also amended by section 34 of, and Schedule 5 to, the Flood and Water Management Act 2010, although the provisions are not yet in force.
- M4 Schedule 3 was amended by was amended by section 101(1) of, and Schedule 8 to, the Water Act 2003 and by S.I. 2009/1941. Schedule 3 was repealed by section 34 of, and Schedule 5 to, the Flood and Water Management Act 2010, although the provisions are not yet in force.
- M5 Section 25 was amended by was amended by section 101(1) of, and Schedule 8 to, the Water Act 2003.
- M6 Section 26 was amended by was amended by section 101(1) of, and Schedule 8 to, the Water Act 2003.

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