### STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

## 2013 No. 1894

# The Taking Control of Goods Regulations 2013

# PART 1 INTRODUCTORY

### Interpretation

## **General interpretation**

- 2. In these Regulations—
  - "the Act" means the Tribunals, Courts and Enforcement Act 2007;
  - "child" means a person under the age of 16;
  - "clear days" means that in computing the number of days—
  - (a) the day on which the period begins; and
  - (b) if the end of the period is defined by reference to an event, the day on which that event occurs,

#### are not included;

- "controlled goods" has the meaning given in paragraph 3(1) of Schedule 12 (general interpretation);
- "co-owner" has the meaning given in paragraph 3(1) of Schedule 12 (general interpretation);
- "CRAR" has the meaning given in section 72 of the Act (commercial rent arrears recovery (CRAR));
- "creditor" has the meaning given in paragraph 1(6) of Schedule 12 (the procedure);
- "debtor" has the meaning given in paragraph 1(5) of Schedule 12 (the procedure);
- "disabled person" means a person—
- (a) whose sight, hearing or speech is substantially impaired;
- (b) who has a mental disorder; or
- (c) who is physically substantially disabled by any illness, any impairment present since birth, or otherwise;
- "enforcement agent" has the meaning given in paragraph 2(1) of Schedule 12 (enforcement agents);
- "net unpaid rent" has the meaning given in section 77(5) of the Act (the rent recoverable);
- "notice of enforcement" means the notice of enforcement required by paragraph 7(1) of Schedule 12;
- "notice of the enforcement agent's intention to re-enter premises" means the notice of the enforcement agent's intention to re-enter premises required by paragraph 19A(1)(d) of Schedule 12;

- "older person" means a person aged 65 or over;
- "premises" has the meaning given in paragraph 3(1) of Schedule 12 (general interpretation);
- "reference number" means a reference number assigned to the debt by the enforcement agent or the enforcement agent's office;
- "relevant premises" has the meaning given by paragraph 14(4) and (6) of Schedule 12 (entry without warrant);
- "Schedule 12" means Schedule 12 to the Act;
- "securities" has the meaning given in paragraph 3(1) of Schedule 12 (general interpretation);
- "specified premises" means premises specified in a warrant issued under paragraph 15(1) of Schedule 12 (entry under warrant);
- "the sum outstanding" means the outstanding debt together with any interest and any costs of enforcement to date;
- "taking control of goods" has the meaning given by paragraph 13(1) of Schedule 12 (ways of taking control).