### STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

## 2014 No. 1608

# DISCLOSURE OF INFORMATION

# The Serious Crime Act 2007 (Specified Anti-fraud Organisations) Order 2014

Made 18th June 2014 Laid before Parliament-25th June 2014 Coming into force - -21st July 2014

The Secretary of State makes the following Order in exercise of the power conferred by section 68(8) of the Serious Crime Act 2007(a).

### Citation and commencement

1. This Order may be cited as the Serious Crime Act 2007 (Specified Anti-fraud Organisations) Order 2014 and comes into force on 21st July 2014.

## Specified anti-fraud organisations

- 2. The following anti-fraud organisations are specified pursuant to section 68(8) of the Serious Crime Act 2007—
  - (a) Callcredit Information Group Limited(**b**);
  - (b) BAE Systems Applied Intelligence Limited(c);
  - (c) Dun and Bradstreet Limited(d);
  - (d) Equifax Limited(e);
  - (e) Synectics Solutions Limited(f).

Home Office 18th June 2014

Karen Bradley Minister of State

<sup>(</sup>a) 2007 c. 27; section 68(5) and (6) were repealed by section 98(a) of the Criminal Justice and Licensing (Scotland) Act 2010

**<sup>(</sup>b)** Company number 04968328.

<sup>(</sup>c) Company number 01337451.(d) Company number 00160043.

<sup>(</sup>e) Company number 02425920.

<sup>(</sup>**f**) Company number 02685135.

## **EXPLANATORY NOTE**

(This note is not part of the Order)

Section 68 of the Serious Crime Act 2007 ("the 2007 Act") provides a power for a public authority to disclose information as a member of a specified anti-fraud organisation or otherwise in accordance with arrangements made by such an organisation, for the purposes of preventing fraud or a particular kind of fraud. An anti-fraud organisation is any unincorporated association, body corporate or other person which enables or facilitates any sharing of information to prevent fraud or a particular kind of fraud or which has any of these functions as its purpose or one of its purposes. Article 2 of this Order specifies five anti-fraud organisations for the purpose of section 68 of the 2007 Act.

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