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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**2016 No. 790**

**The Pubs Code etc. Regulations 2016**

**PART 6**

Market rent only option: procedure to be followed in connection with an offer

**MRO procedure where a matter is referred to the Adjudicator in connection with the full response**

**33.**—(1) Where—

- (a) a matter is referred to the Adjudicator under regulation 32(2)(b) or (c); and
- (b) the Adjudicator (or a person appointed by the Adjudicator under regulation 58(2)(b) or 60(4)(b)) rules that no failure has occurred in connection with the full response,

the full response provided by the pub-owning business under regulation 29(3) or (4) is deemed to have been received by the tied pub tenant on the day of the Adjudicator's ruling.

(2) Where—

- (a) a matter is referred to the Adjudicator under regulation 32(2)(a) to (c); and
- (b) the Adjudicator rules that the pub-owning business must provide a revised response to the tied pub tenant,

the pub-owning business must provide that response within the period of 21 days beginning with the day of the Adjudicator's ruling or by such a day as may be specified in the Adjudicator's ruling.

(3) A "revised response" is a response which includes the information mentioned in regulation 29(3)(a) to (c).