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The Transparency of Donations and Loans etc. (Northern Ireland Political Parties) Order 2018

Amendments to the Political Parties, Elections and Referendums Act 2000 (Northern Ireland Political Parties) Order 2007

10.—(1) Part 2 of the Political Parties, Elections and Referendums Act 2000 (Northern Ireland Political Parties) Order 2007(1) is amended as follows.

(2) In the title to Part 2, for "during the prescribed period" substitute "in relation to Northern Ireland reports".

(3) In Article 7 (steps to be taken by the Commission for the purpose of verifying information given in Northern Ireland reports), omit "during the prescribed period".

(4) In Article 10 (disclosure of information relating to a donation which was required to be dealt with in accordance with section 56(2) of the 2000 Act)—

- (a) the existing text becomes paragraph (1),
- (b) in paragraph (1), after "the Commission believes on reasonable grounds that a donation", insert "to which this article applies and which is", and
- (c) after paragraph (1), insert—

"(2) This article applies to a donation received by a Northern Ireland recipient which is a donation to which section 71E of the 2000 Act applies.".