#### STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

## 2019 No. 203

# The Consumer Protection (Enforcement) (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019

#### PART 2

## Amendment of primary legislation

## Amendment of the Enterprise Act 2002

- **3.**—(1) The 2002 Act is amended as follows.
- (2) In section 210 (consumers)—
  - (a) in subsection (6)—
    - (i) for "Community infringement" substitute "Schedule 13 infringement";
    - (ii) for paragraphs (a) and (b) substitute "the listed enactment concerned";
  - (b) after subsection (6) insert—
    - "(6A) An enactment is a listed enactment if it is specified in Schedule 13 or to the extent that it is so specified.
      - (6B) References to an enactment include—
        - (a) references to subordinate legislation (within the meaning of the Interpretation Act 1978 MI);
        - (b) for the purposes of paragraph 6 of Schedule 13, references to a rule of law in Scotland;
        - (c) for the purposes of paragraph 16 of Schedule 13, references to rules forming part of the law of any part of the United Kingdom made other than under an Act.";
  - (c) omit subsections (7) and (7A).
- (3) For section 212 (Community infringements), substitute—

#### "212 Schedule 13 infringements

- (1) In this Part a Schedule 13 infringement is an act or omission which contravenes a listed enactment and which harms the collective interests of consumers.
  - (2) References to a listed enactment must be construed in accordance with section 210."
- (4) In section 213 (enforcers)—
  - (a) omit subsection (5);
- [F1(b) in subsection (5A), for "(being bodies or persons designated by the Secretary of State under Article 5(1) of the CPC Regulation) is a CPC enforcer" substitute "is a Schedule 13 enforcer";]
  - (c) omit subsections (10) and (11).

- (5) In section 214 (consultation), in subsection (2)(d), for "Community infringement" substitute "Schedule 13 infringement".
  - (6) In section 215 (applications)—
    - (a) in subsection (1), for "Community infringement" substitute "Schedule 13 infringement "in both places where it occurs;
    - (b) omit subsection (4);
    - (c) in subsection (4A)—
      - (i) for "CPC enforcer" substitute "Schedule 13 enforcer";
      - (ii) for "Community infringement" substitute "Schedule 13 infringement";
    - (d) omit subsections (6), (7) and (8).
  - (7) In section 216 (applications: directions by CMA), omit subsection (6).
- (8) In section 217 (enforcement orders), in subsection (2), for "Community infringement" substitute "Schedule 13 infringement".
  - (9) In section 218 (interim enforcement order)—
    - (a) in subsection (1)(a), for "Community infringement" substitute "Schedule 13 infringement "in both places where it occurs;
    - (b) in subsection (4), for "Community infringement" substitute "Schedule 13 infringement".
- [F2(9A) In section 218ZA (applications), in subsections (1) and (2), for "Community infringement" substitute "Schedule 13 infringement".
- (9B) In section 218ZB (online interface orders), in subsections (1)(a) and (3), for "Community infringement" substitute "Schedule 13 infringement".
- (9C) In section 218ZC (interim online interface orders), in subsection (1)(a) and (c), for "Community infringement" substitute "Schedule 13 infringement".
- (9D) In section 218ZD (online interface orders: supplementary), in subsection (3), for "Community infringements" substitute "Schedule 13 infringements".]
  - [F3(10) In section 218A (unfair commercial practices: substantiation of claims)—
    - (a) in subsection (1)—
      - (i) for "Community infringement" substitute "Schedule 13 infringement";
      - (ii) for the words from "Directive 2005/29/EC of the European Parliament" to the end of the subsection, substitute "the Consumer Protection from Unfair Trading Regulations 2008";
    - (b) in subsection (2A)(b), for "Community infringement" substitute "Schedule 13 infringement".]
  - (11) In section 219 (undertakings)—
    - (a) in subsection (3)(c), for "Community infringement" substitute "Schedule 13 infringement ".
    - (b) in subsection (5A), for "CPC enforcer" substitute "Schedule 13 enforcer";
    - (c) in subsection (5B)—
      - (i) for "CPC enforcer" substitute "Schedule 13 enforcer";
      - (ii) for "Community infringement" substitute "Schedule 13 infringement".
  - [F4(12) In section 219A (definition of enhanced consumer measures)—
    - (a) in subsection (2)(a)(ii), for "Community infringement" substitute "Schedule 13 infringement";

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- (b) in subsection (5)(c), for "CPC enforcer" substitute "Schedule 13 enforcer".]
- [F5(12A) In section 219B (inclusion of enhanced consumer measures etc.), in subsections (4) and (4A), for "Community infringement" substitute "Schedule 13 infringement".]
  - [F6(13) In section 220 (further proceedings)—
    - (a) in subsection (2), for "CPC enforcer" substitute "Schedule 13 enforcer";
    - (b) in subsection (5A)(b), for "Community infringement" substitute "Schedule 13 infringement".]
  - (14) Omit section 221 (Community infringements: proceedings).
- (15) In section 222 (bodies corporate: accessories), in subsection (1), for "Community infringement" substitute "Schedule 13 infringement".
- (16) In section 229 (advice and information), in subsection (6), for "general or CPC enforcer or a designated enforcer" substitute "enforcer".
- [F7(17) Omit section 235 (Injunctions Directive) and section 235A (CPC Regulation) (as substituted by the 2020 Regulations).]
- (18) In section 235B (dual enforcers), for "CPC enforcer" substitute "Schedule 13 enforcer" in both places where it occurs.
- (19) In section 243  $^{M2}$  (overseas disclosures), in subsection (12)(c), for "an order under section 212(3)" substitute "Schedule 13".
- [F8(20) For Schedule 13 (Listed Directives and Regulations) (as amended by the 2020 Regulations), substitute the Schedule set out in the Schedule to these Regulations.]

#### **Textual Amendments**

- F1 Reg. 3(4)(b) substituted (31.12.2020 immediately before IP completion day) by The Consumer Protection (Enforcement) (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2020 (S.I. 2020/1347), regs. 1(3), 3(3)(a)
- F2 Reg. 3(9A)-(9D) inserted (31.12.2020 immediately before IP completion day) by The Consumer Protection (Enforcement) (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2020 (S.I. 2020/1347), regs. 1(3), 3(3)(b)
- F3 Reg. 3(10) substituted (31.12.2020 immediately before IP completion day) by The Consumer Protection (Enforcement) (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2020 (S.I. 2020/1347), regs. 1(3), 3(3)(c)
- F4 Reg. 3(12) substituted (31.12.2020 immediately before IP completion day) by The Consumer Protection (Enforcement) (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2020 (S.I. 2020/1347), regs. 1(3), 3(3)(d)
- F5 Reg. 3(12A) inserted (31.12.2020 immediately before IP completion day) by The Consumer Protection (Enforcement) (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2020 (S.I. 2020/1347), regs. 1(3), 3(3)(e)
- F6 Reg. 3(13) substituted (31.12.2020 immediately before IP completion day) by The Consumer Protection (Enforcement) (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2020 (S.I. 2020/1347), regs. 1(3), 3(3)(f)
- F7 Reg. 3(17) substituted (31.12.2020 immediately before IP completion day) by The Consumer Protection (Enforcement) (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2020 (S.I. 2020/1347), regs. 1(3), 3(3)(g)
- F8 Reg. 3(20) substituted (31.12.2020 immediately before IP completion day) by The Consumer Protection (Enforcement) (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2020 (S.I. 2020/1347), regs. 1(3), 3(3)(h)

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#### **Commencement Information**

I1 Reg. 3 in force at 31.12.2020 on IP completion day (in accordance with 2020 c. 1, Sch. 5 para. 1(1)), see reg. 1

## **Marginal Citations**

- M1 1978 c.30; "subordinate legislation" is defined in section 21(1), as amended by the European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018, section 23(5), Schedule 8, paragraphs 18 and 19.
- M2 Section 243 amended by the Financial Services Act 2012 (c. 21), section 114(2), Schedule 19.

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