

Northern Ireland Assembly

Pension Schemes Bill

Notice of Amendments tabled on 26 April 2021 for Consideration Stage

Schedule 3, Page 43, Line 32

Leave out 'at the end add' and insert 'after sub-paragraph (xii) insert'

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Schedule 3, Page 43, Line 35

Leave out 'at the end add' and insert 'after sub-paragraph (ix) insert'

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Schedule 3, Page 43, Line 40

Leave out 'at the end add' and insert 'after sub-paragraph (xi) insert'

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Schedule 3, Page 43, Line 43

Leave out 'at the end add' and insert 'after sub-paragraph (ix) insert'

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Schedule 3, Page 44, Line 27

Leave out head (b)

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Schedule 3, Page 44, Line 28

Leave out head (c) and insert -

'(c) at the end add ", or'

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Schedule 3, Page 44, Line 36

At end insert -

'9A. In Article 68 (inspection of premises), in paragraph (2) before sub-paragraph (e) insert—
"(dc) the Pension Schemes Act (Northern Ireland) 2020;".'

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Schedule 3, Page 44, Line 36

At end insert -

'9B. In Article 72A (fixed penalty notices), in paragraph (6) after "2008" insert "or section 17 of the Pension Schemes Act (Northern Ireland) 2020".'

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Schedule 3, Page 44, Line 36

At end insert -

'9C. In Article 72B (escalating penalty notices), in paragraph (8) after "2008" insert "or section 18 of the Pension Schemes Act (Northern Ireland) 2020".'

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Schedule 3, Page 44, Line 36

At end insert -

'9D. In Article 75 (offences of providing false or misleading information), in paragraph (1)(c)—

- (a) omit the "or" at the end of head (iv); and
- (b) in head (v), at the end add ", or
 - (vi) the Pension Schemes Act (Northern Ireland) 2020.".'

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Schedule 3, Page 44, Line 36

At end insert -

'9E. In Article 75A (financial penalty for providing false or misleading information to Regulator), in paragraph (2)(c)—

- (a) omit the "or" at the end of head (iv); and
- (b) in head (v), at the end add ", or
 - (vi) the Pension Schemes Act (Northern Ireland) 2020.".'

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Schedule 3, Page 44, Line 39

Leave out 'after sub-paragraph (j)' and insert 'before sub-paragraph (k)'

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Schedule 3, Page 45, Line 5

Leave out sub-paragraph (3) and insert -

'(3) In paragraph (6), in the definition of "the pensions legislation" at the end add ", or

(h) the Pension Schemes Act (Northern Ireland) 2020.".'

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Schedule 3, Page 45, Line 10

Leave out from 'omit' to 'paragraph' on line 11 and insert 'before sub-paragraph (q)'

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Schedule 3, Page 45, Line 15

Leave out 'after sub-paragraph (ta)' and insert 'before sub-paragraph (u)'

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Schedule 3, Page 45, Line 26

At end insert -

'12A. In Schedule 1 (the Pensions Regulator), in Part 1 (delegation), in paragraph 2(2), after head (o) add—

- "(p) the power to issue a fixed penalty notice under section 17 of the Pension Schemes Act (Northern Ireland) 2020;
 - (q) the power to issue an escalating penalty notice under section 18 of that Act.".'

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Schedule 3, Page 45, Line 27

Leave out from 'after' to '4' on line 28 and insert 'before Part 5'

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Schedule 3, Page 46, Line 4

Leave out 'after paragraph (b)' and insert 'at the end'

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Schedule 3, Page 46, Line 8

Leave out from 'after' to '(b)' on line 9 and insert 'at the end'

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Schedule 3, Page 46, Line 14

At end insert -

'The Pension Schemes Act (Northern Ireland) 2020

- 15.—(1) Section 17 (fixed penalty notice for failure to comply with request for information) is amended as follows.
 - (2) In the heading, at the end insert "etc".
 - (3) In subsection (1)—
 - (a) for "with a" substitute "with—
 - (a) a";
 - (b) after "Part" insert ", or
 - (b) a notice issued under Article 67A of that Order (interviews), so far as relevant to the exercise of any of the Regulator's functions under or by virtue of this Part.".
- 16.—(1) Section 18 (escalating penalty notice for failure to comply with request for information) is amended as follows.
 - (2) In the heading, at the end insert "etc".
 - (3) In subsection (1)—
 - (a) for "with a" substitute "with—
 - (a) a";
 - (b) after "notice")" insert ", or
 - (b) a notice issued under Article 67A of that Order (interviews), so far as relevant to the exercise of any of the Regulator's functions under or by virtue of this Part (an "Article 67A notice")."
 - (4) In subsection (2)(a), after "67 notice" insert "or the Article 67A notice".
 - (5) In subsection (3), after "67 notice" insert "or an Article 67A notice".
 - (6) In subsection (6)—
 - (a) in paragraph (b), after "notice" insert "or the Article 67A notice";

(b) in paragraph (e), after "notice" insert "or the Article 67A notice".' Minister for Communities