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STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

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**2015 No. 361 (C. 32)**

**CHARITIES**

The Charities (2008 Act) (Commencement  
No. 6) Order (Northern Ireland) 2015

Made - - - - 22nd October 2015

The Department for Social Development makes the following Order in exercise of the powers conferred by section 185(1) of the Charities Act (Northern Ireland) 2008<sup>(1)</sup>.

**Citation**

1. This Order may be cited as the Charities (2008 Act) (Commencement No. 6) Order (Northern Ireland) 2015.

**Appointed day**

2. The day appointed for the coming into operation of section 65(10)(b) of the Charities Act (Northern Ireland) 2008 (annual audit or examination of charity accounts), for the purpose only of authorising the making of orders, is 26th October 2015.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department for Social Development on 22nd October 2015

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## EXPLANATORY NOTE

*(This note is not part of the Order)*

This Order brings into operation section 65(10)(b) of the Charities Act (Northern Ireland) 2008 which allows the Department to amend the list of bodies whose members may examine the accounts of certain lower-income charities.

## NOTE AS TO EARLIER COMMENCEMENT ORDERS

*(This note is not part of the Order)*

The following provisions of the Charities Act (Northern Ireland) 2008 have been brought into operation by earlier commencement orders as from the dates shown.

| <i>Provision</i>               | <i>Date of Commencement</i> | <i>S.R. No.</i>     |
|--------------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------|
| Sections 1 to 3                | 25th September 2009         | 2009/324 (C. 22)    |
| Section 4                      | 27th March 2009             | 2009 No. 138 (C. 8) |
| Section 5                      | 18th February 2011          | 2011 No. 11 (C. 1)  |
| Sections 6 to 9                | 27th March 2009             | 2009 No. 138 (C. 8) |
| Section 10 (partially)         | 27th March 2009             | 2009 No. 138 (C. 8) |
|                                | 18th February 2011          | 2011 No. 11 (C. 1)  |
| Sections 12 and 13 (partially) | 25th September 2009         | 2009/324 (C. 22)    |
|                                | 18th February 2011          | 2011 No. 11 (C. 1)  |
| Sections 14 and 15             | 18th February 2011          | 2011 No. 11 (C. 1)  |
| Sections 16 to 19              | 24th June 2013              | 2013 No. 145 (C.10) |
| Sections 20 and 21 (partially) | 18th February 2011          | 2011 No. 11 (C. 1)  |
|                                | 24th June 2013              | 2013 No. 145 (C.10) |
| Section 22                     | 18th February 2011          | 2011 No. 11 (C. 1)  |
| Section 23 (partially)         | 18th February 2011          | 2011 No. 11 (C. 1)  |
| Section 24                     | 27th March 2009             | 2009 No. 138 (C. 8) |
| Section 25                     | 18th February 2011          | 2011 No. 11 (C. 1)  |
| Sections 26 to 30              | 24th June 2013              | 2013 No. 145 (C.10) |
| Sections 31 and 32             | 18th February 2011          | 2011 No. 11 (C. 1)  |
| Section 33 (partially)         | 18th February 2011          | 2011 No. 11 (C. 1)  |
| Sections 34 to 39              | 18th February 2011          | 2011 No. 11 (C. 1)  |
| Section 40 (partially)         | 18th February 2011          | 2011 No. 11 (C. 1)  |
| Sections 46 to 50              | 18th February 2011          | 2011 No. 11 (C. 1)  |

| <i>Provision</i>                           | <i>Date of Commencement</i> | <i>S.R. No.</i>     |
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| Section 51 (partially)                     | 18th February 2011          | 2011 No. 11 (C. 1)  |
| Sections 52 to 56                          | 18th February 2011          | 2011 No. 11 (C. 1)  |
| Sections 64 to 66 (partially)              | 18th February 2011          | 2011 No. 11 (C. 1)  |
| Section 68 (partially)                     | 18th February 2011          | 2011 No. 11 (C. 1)  |
| (partially)                                | 1st April 2014              | 2014 No. 18 (C. 1)  |
| Section 70 (partially)                     | 18th February 2011          | 2011 No. 11 (C. 1)  |
|  | 1st April 2014              | 2014 No. 18 (C. 1)  |
| Section 71 (partially)                     | 1st April 2014              | 2014 No. 18 (C. 1)  |
| Sections 86 to 90                          | 18th February 2011          | 2011 No. 11 (C. 1)  |
| Section 91 (partially)                     | 24th June 2013              | 2013 No. 145 (C.10) |
| Section 93                                 | 18th February 2011          | 2011 No. 11 (C. 1)  |
| Sections 96, 98 to 102, 123 to 130 and 156 | 24th June 2013              | 2013 No. 145 (C.10) |
| Sections 159 and 161 (partially)           | 24th June 2013              | 2013 No. 145 (C.10) |
| Sections 162 to 166                        | 24th June 2013              | 2013 No. 145 (C.10) |
| Section 168                                | 1st April 2014              | 2014 No. 18 (C. 1)  |
| Section 169 (partially)                    | 1st April 2014              | 2014 No. 18 (C. 1)  |
| Section 170                                | 1st April 2014              | 2014 No. 18 (C. 1)  |
| Section 171                                | 24th June 2013              | 2013 No. 145 (C.10) |
| Sections 172 and 173                       | 18th February 2011          | 2011 No. 11 (C. 1)  |
| Section 174 (partially)                    | 18th February 2011          | 2011 No. 11 (C. 1)  |
| Sections 175 to 177                        | 18th February 2011          | 2011 No. 11 (C. 1)  |
| Section 178 (partially)                    | 18th February 2011          | 2011 No. 11 (C. 1)  |
| (partially)                                | 24th June 2013              | 2013 No. 145 (C.10) |
|  | 1st April 2014              | 2014 No. 18 (C. 1)  |
| Sections 179, 181 and 182                  | 27th March 2009             | 2009 No. 138 (C. 8) |
| Schedule 1                                 | 27th March 2009             | 2009 No. 138 (C. 8) |
| Schedule 2                                 | 25th September 2009         | 2009/324 (C. 22)    |
| Schedule 3 (partially)                     | 18th February 2011          | 2011 No. 11 (C. 1)  |
| Schedule 4                                 | 18th February 2011          | 2011 No. 11 (C. 1)  |
| Schedule 5 (partially)                     | 18th February 2011          | 2011 No. 11 (C. 1)  |
| Schedule 8 (partially)                     | 18th February 2011          | 2011 No. 11 (C. 1)  |
| (partially)                                | 24th June 2013              | 2013 No. 145 (C.10) |
| Schedule 9 (partially)                     | 24th June 2013              | 2013 No. 145 (C.10) |

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