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SCHEDULES

SCHEDULE 36

INFORMATION AND INSPECTION POWERS

Modifications etc. (not altering text)

- C1 Sch. 36 modified (24.2.2022) by Finance Act 2022 (c. 3), **Sch. 14 para. 18**
- C1 Sch. 36 applied (with modifications) (with effect in accordance with Sch. 16 para. 62 of the amending Act) by Finance (No. 2) Act 2017 (c. 32), **Sch. 16 paras. 40-43** (as amended (with effect in accordance with s. 123(12) of the amending Act) by Finance Act 2021 (c. 26), **s. 123(4)-(7)**)
- C1 Sch. 36 applied (with modifications) (24.2.2022) by Finance Act 2022 (c. 3), **Sch. 13 para. 6(1)(3)**
- C1 Sch. 36 modified (22.3.2011) by National Insurance Contributions Act 2011 (c. 3), **ss. 9(5), 13(2)**
- C1 Sch. 36 applied (24.2.2022) by Finance Act 2022 (c. 3), **Sch. 14 para. 17(1)**
- C1 Sch. 36 applied (with modifications) (19.4.2013) by The Small Charitable Donations Regulations 2013 (S.I. 2013/938), **regs. 1, 5**
- C1 Sch. 36 modified (8.4.2010) by Finance Act 2010 (c. 13), **Sch. 1 para. 36(1)**
- C1 Sch. 36 applied (with modifications) (with effect in accordance with s. 121(6) of the amending Act) by 2014 c. 26, **s. 272A** (as inserted by Finance Act 2021 (c. 26), **Sch. 30 para. 4**)
- C1 Sch. 36 applied (19.4.2013) by The Small Charitable Donations Regulations 2013 (S.I. 2013/938), **regs. 1, 5(1)**
- C1 Sch. 36 applied (with modifications) (E.W.) (6.4.2009) by The Education (Student Loans) (Repayment) Regulations 2009 (S.I. 2009/470), **regs. 1(1), 33(2)(3)** (with reg. 1(4)(6))
- C1 Sch. 36 applied (with modifications) (N.I.) (6.4.2009) by The Education (Student Loans) (Repayment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2009 (S.R. 2009/128), **regs. 1(1), 55(1)(2)**
- C1 Sch. 36 applied (with modifications) (E.W.) (6.4.2009) by The Education (Student Loans) (Repayment) Regulations 2009 (S.I. 2009/470), **regs. 1(1), 60(1)(2)** (with reg. 1(4)(6))
- C1 Sch. 36 applied (with modifications) (N.I.) (6.4.2009) by The Education (Student Loans) (Repayment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2009 (S.R. 2009/128), **regs. 1(1), 28(2)(3)**
- C1 Sch. 36 applied (with modifications) (E.W.) (6.4.2009) by The Education (Student Loans) (Repayment) Regulations 2009 (S.I. 2009/470), **regs. 1(1), 61** (with reg. 1(4)(6))
- C1 Sch. 36 applied (with modifications) (with application in accordance with reg. 1 of the amending S.I.) by The Education (Postgraduate Master's Degree Loans) Regulations 2016 (S.I. 2016/606), **regs. 1(1), 78(1)(2)**
- C1 Sch. 36 applied (with modifications) (with application in accordance with reg. 1 of the amending S.I.) by The Education (Postgraduate Master's Degree Loans) Regulations 2016 (S.I. 2016/606), **regs. 1(1), 77(1)(2)**
- C1 Sch. 36 applied (with modifications) (N.I.) (6.4.2009) by The Education (Student Loans) (Repayment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2009 (S.R. 2009/128), **regs. 1(1), 56**
- C1 Sch. 36 applied (with modifications) (with application in accordance with reg. 1 of the amending S.I.) by The Education (Postgraduate Master's Degree Loans) Regulations 2016 (S.I. 2016/606), **regs. 1(1), 43(2)(3)**
- C1 Sch. 36 applied (with modifications) (1.5.2023) by The Value Added Tax (Margin Schemes and Removal or Export of Goods: VAT-related Payments) Order 2023 (S.I. 2023/68), **arts. 1(1), 12** (with art. 1(2))
- C1 Sch. 36 applied (with modifications) (1.1.2017) by Finance Act 2016 (c. 24), **s. 162(2), Sch. 20 paras. 18-21**; S.I. 2016/1249, **reg. 2**

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PART 3

FURTHER POWERS

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- C6** Sch. 36 applied (with modifications) (with effect in accordance with Sch. 16 para. 62 of the amending Act) by Finance (No. 2) Act 2017 (c. 32), **Sch. 16 paras. 40-43**

Power to remove documents

- 16 (1) Where a document is produced to, or inspected by, an officer of Revenue and Customs, such an officer may—
- (a) remove the document at a reasonable time, and
 - (b) retain it for a reasonable period,
- if it appears to the officer to be necessary to do so.
- (2) Where a document is removed in accordance with sub-paragraph (1), the person who produced the document may request—
- (a) a receipt for the document, and
 - (b) if the document is reasonably required for any purpose, a copy of the document,
- and an officer of Revenue and Customs must comply with such a request without charge.
- (3) The removal of a document under this paragraph is not to be regarded as breaking any lien claimed on the document.
- (4) Where a document removed under this paragraph is lost or damaged, the Commissioners are liable to compensate the owner of the document for any expenses reasonably incurred in replacing or repairing the document.
- (5) In this paragraph references to a document include a copy of a document.

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- C1** Sch. 36 para. 16 applied (20.3.2014) (with effect in accordance with Sch. 7 para. 5(1) of the amending Act) by 2004 c. 12, s. 153B(4) (as inserted by Finance Act 2014 (c. 26), Sch. 7 paras. 3, 5(1))
- C2** Sch. 36 para. 16 applied (20.3.2014) (with effect in accordance with Sch. 7 para. 5(1) of the amending Act) by 2004 c. 12, s. 153A(3) (as inserted by Finance Act 2014 (c. 26), Sch. 7 paras. 3, 5(1))
- C3** Sch. 36 para. 16 applied (with effect in accordance with Sch. 7 para. 8(1) of the amending Act) by 2004 c. 12, s. 159B(3) (as inserted by Finance Act 2014 (c. 26), Sch. 7 paras. 7, 8(3))
- C4** Sch. 36 para. 16 applied (with effect in accordance with Sch. 7 para. 8(1) of the amending Act) by 2004 c. 12, s. 159A(2) (as inserted by Finance Act 2014 (c. 26), Sch. 7 paras. 7, 8(3))
- C5** Sch. 36 para. 16 applied (with effect in accordance with Sch. 5 para. 25(1)(2) of the amending Act) by 2010 c. 8, Sch. 7A para. 66(1) (as inserted by Finance (No. 2) Act 2017 (c. 32), Sch. 5 para. 2 (with Sch. 5 para. 28))

Commencement Information

- I1** Sch. 36 para. 16 in force at 1.4.2009 by S.I. 2009/404, art. 2

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Changes and effects yet to be applied to the whole Act associated Parts and Chapters:

- Blanket amendment words substituted by [S.I. 2011/1043 art. 34](#)

Whole provisions yet to be inserted into this Act (including any effects on those provisions):

- Sch. 41 para. 6(1A) inserted by [2015 c. 11 Sch. 20 para. 10\(2\)](#)
- Sch. 41 para. 6A(A1)(1) substituted for Sch. 41 para. 6A(1) by [2015 c. 11 Sch. 20 para. 11\(2\)](#)