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PROSPECTIVE

SCHEDULE 4

EXTENSION OF ENACTMENTS IN RELATION TO THE REGISTRATION OF EUROPEAN LAWYERS WITH THE LAW SOCIETY

9. Section 35 of, and Schedule 1 to, the Solicitors Act 1974 shall apply to registered European lawyers as they apply to solicitors, and for that purpose—

- (a) “controlled trust” shall, in relation to a registered European lawyer, mean a trust of which he is a sole trustee or co-trustee only with one or more of his partners or employees;
- (b) references to a solicitor’s practising certificate shall be interpreted as references to a registered European lawyer’s registration;
- (c) references to a sole solicitor shall be interpreted as references to a registered European lawyer who is the sole principal in a practice and also to a registered European lawyer who is in practice in partnership only with persons who are not solicitors, registered European lawyers, registered foreign lawyers or recognised bodies, and in such case those powers shall also be exercisable so as to alter or affect the legal rights, obligations or duties of the registered European lawyer’s firm; and
- (d) where any of the powers referred to in Part II of Schedule 1 to that Act are exercisable, by virtue of any provision, so as to alter or affect the legal rights, obligations or duties of the firm of a registered European lawyer or former registered European lawyer, those powers shall also be exercisable so as to alter the legal rights, obligations and duties of the members of that firm.

Commencement Information

II Sch. 4 para. 9 in force at 22.5.2000, see [reg. 1\(1\)](#)

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- Sch. 4 para. 9 coming into force by [S.I. 2000/1119 reg. 1\(1\)](#)
- Sch. 4 para. 9(d) omitted by [S.I. 2009/1587 art. 3\(9\)\(c\)](#)
- Sch. 4 para. 9(c) substituted by [S.I. 2009/1587 art. 3\(9\)\(b\)](#)
- Regulations revoked by [S.I. 2019/375 reg. 3\(b\)](#) (This amendment not applied to legislation.gov.uk. S.I. 2019/375 revoked (24.11.2020) before it comes into force by S.I. 2020/1342, regs. 1(2), 3(c))
- Regulations revoked by [S.I. 2020/1342 reg. 3\(b\)](#)

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- Sch. 4 para. 1(2A) inserted by [S.I. 2009/1587 art. 3\(3\)](#)
- Sch. 4 para. 7(1A) inserted by [S.I. 2009/1587 art. 3\(7\)\(b\)](#)
- Sch. 4 para. 7(2A) inserted by [S.I. 2009/1587 art. 3\(7\)\(d\)](#)
- Sch. 4 para. 8(1A) inserted by [S.I. 2009/1587 art. 3\(8\)\(b\)](#)
- Sch. 4 para. 7(1A)(b) omitted by [S.I. 2015/401 Sch. 2 para. 3\(b\)\(ii\)](#)
- Sch. 4 para. 24(2) substituted by [S.I. 2015/401 Sch. 2 para. 3\(c\)\(ii\)](#)
- Sch. 4 para. 9(aa)-(ac) substituted for Sch. 4 para. 9(a) by [S.I. 2009/1587 art. 3\(9\)\(a\)](#)
- Sch. 4 para. 24(1) words inserted by [S.I. 2015/401 Sch. 2 para. 3\(c\)\(i\)\(aa\)](#)
- Sch. 4 para. 24(1) words substituted by [S.I. 2015/401 Sch. 2 para. 3\(c\)\(i\)\(bb\)](#)
- reg. 11(4) inserted by [S.I. 2009/1587 art. 2\(3\)](#)