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2006 No. 639 (C. 15)

CIVIL PARTNERSHIP

**The Civil Partnership Act 2004 (Commencement No. 3) Order
2006**

Made - - - - -

6th March 2006

The Secretary of State, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 263 of the Civil Partnership Act 2004(a), makes the following Order:

Citation

1. This Order may be cited as the Civil Partnership Act 2004 (Commencement No. 3) Order 2006.

Provisions coming into force

2. The following provisions of the Civil Partnership Act 2004 shall come into force on 6th April 2006—

- (a) Schedule 5, Part 7; and
- (b) Schedule 7, paragraphs 10(4)(b), (5)(b) and (9)(c).

Signed by authority of the Lord Chancellor

Date 6th March 2006

Cathy Ashton
Parliamentary Under Secretary of State
Department for Constitutional Affairs

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Order)

This Order brings into force, on 6th April 2006, Part 7 of Schedule 5 to the Civil Partnership Act 2004 (c.33) ('the Act'). Part 7 provides for the court to have regard to pension protection fund compensation when considering the question of financial relief on the dissolution or annulment of a civil partnership or on the legal separation of civil partners. It also brings into force certain paragraphs of Schedule 7 to the Act which make similar provision where a civil partnership is dissolved or annulled or civil partners have been legally separated overseas and an application for financial relief is made in England and Wales. The Pension Protection Fund was established by

(a) 2004 c.33.

the Pensions Act 2004 (c.35) ('the Pensions Act'). It pays compensation to members of certain pension schemes when a qualifying insolvency event in relation to the employer occurs and where there are insufficient assets in the pension scheme to cover the levels of compensation which would be payable by the Pension Protection Fund under the Pensions Act.

NOTE AS TO EARLIER COMMENCEMENT ORDERS

(This note is not part of the Order)

The following provisions of the Act have been brought into force by commencement orders made before the date of this Order:

<i>Provision</i>	<i>Date of Commencement</i>	<i>S.I. No.</i>
Section 1	5.12.2005	2005/3175
Section 2(4)(b) (partially)	15.4.2005	2005/1112
Section 2 (in so far as not already in force)	5.12.2005	2005/3175
Sections 3 to 7	5.12.2005	2005/3175
Section 8(2) (partially)	15.4.2005	2005/1112
Section 8 (in so far as not already in force)	5.12.2005	2005/3175
Section 9	5.12.2005	2005/3175
Section 10(2)(c) (partially)	15.4.2005	2005/1112
Section 10 (in so far as not already in force)	5.12.2005	2005/3175
Section 11	5.12.2005	2005/3175
Section 12(2)	15.4.2005	2005/1112
Section 12 (1) and (3)	5.12.2005	2005/3175
Section 13	5.12.2005	2005/3175
Section 14(2)	15.4.2005	2005/1112
Section 14 (1), (3), (4) and (5)	5.12.2005	2005/3175
Sections 15 to 17	5.12.2005	2005/3175
Section 18(4) (partially)	15.4.2005	2005/1112
Section 18 (in so far as not already in force)	5.12.2005	2005/3175
Section 19(5) (partially)	15.4.2005	2005/1112
Section 19 (in so far as not already in force)	5.12.2005	2005/3175
Section 20	5.12.2005	2005/3175
Section 21(2) (partially)	15.4.2005	2005/1112
Section 21 (in so far as not already in force)	5.12.2005	2005/3175
Sections 22 to 24	5.12.2005	2005/3175
Section 25(5)	15.4.2005	2005/1112
Section 25 (1), (2), (3), (4), (6) and (7)	5.12.2005	2005/3175
Sections 26 to 33	5.12.2005	2005/3175
Section 34(1)	15.4.2005	2005/1112
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Sections 35 and 36	15.4.2005	2005/1112
Sections 37 to 41	5.12.2005	2005/3175
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Section 42 (in so far as not already in force)	5.12.2005	2005/3175
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Section 45 (1), (2), (5), (6), (7) and (8)	5.12.2005	2005/3175
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Section 61(2)	15.4.2005	2005/1112

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Section 64 (3)	5.12.2005	2005/3175
Section 65	5.12.2005	2005/3175
Section 66(1)(b) (partially)	15.4.2005	2005/1112
Section 66(3)	15.4.2005	2005/1112
Section 66 (in so far as not already in force)	5.12.2005	2005/3175
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Section 75(1),(3) and (4)	5.12.2005	2005/3175
Section 75(2)	30.12.2005	2005/3175
Sections 76 to 78	5.12.2005	2005/3175
Section 79	30.12.2005	2005/3175
Sections 80 to 84	5.12.2005	2005/3175
Section 88(1) and (5) (partially)	14.9.2005	SSI 2005/428
Section 89(1) (partially)	14.9.2005	SSI 2005/428
Section 89(2)	14.9.2005	SSI 2005/428
Section 90(4)	14.9.2005	SSI 2005/428
Section 94 (partially)	14.9.2005	SSI 2005/428
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Section 97(3) (partially)	14.9.2005	SSI 2005/428
Section 99(2) (partially)	14.9.2005	SSI 2005/428
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Section 122(4) (partially)	14.9.2005	SSI 2005/428
Section 126	14.9.2005	SSI 2005/428
Section 134 (partially)	14.9.2005	SSI 2005/428
Sections 135 and 136	14.9.2005	SSI 2005/428
Section 139(2) and (3) (partially)	5.9.2005	2005/2399
Section 140(1)(a) (partially)	5.9.2005	2005/2399
Section 143 (partially)	5.9.2005	2005/2399
Section 144(4) (partially)	5.9.2005	2005/2399
Section 144(6) (partially)	5.9.2005	2005/2399
Section 145(3) (partially)	5.9.2005	2005/2399
Section 147(1) (partially)	5.9.2005	2005/2399
Section 149(2)(a) (partially)	5.9.2005	2005/2399
Section 152(5)	5.9.2005	2005/2399
Section 155(3) (partially)	5.9.2005	2005/2399
Section 156(1) and (3) (partially)	5.9.2005	2005/2399
Section 157	5.9.2005	2005/2399
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Section 169(3) and (4)	5.9.2005	2005/2399
Section 184(1) (partially)	5.9.2005	2005/2399
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Section 189(1)	5.9.2005	2005/2399
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Section 190(2), (3), and (4) (partially)	5.9.2005	2005/2399
Section 191(3) (partially)	5.9.2005	2005/2399
Section 210(1), (2), (4) and (5)	15.4.2005	2005/1112
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Section 223	15.4.2005	2005/1112
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Section 226	15.4.2005	2005/1112
Section 227	5.12.2005	2005/3175
Section 228 (partially)	15.4.2005	2005/1112
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Section 231	15.4.2005	2005/1112
Sections 232 to 236	5.12.2005	2005/3175
Section 237(2) to (5)	15.4.2005	2005/1112
Section 237 (1) and (6)	5.12.2005	2005/3175
Section 238	5.12.2005	2005/3175
Sections 239 to 244	15.4.2005	2005/1112
Section 245 (partially)	15.4.2005	2005/1112
Section 245 (in so far as not already in force)	5.12.2005	2005/3175
Section 246	5.12.2005	2005/3175
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Section 253	5.12.2005	2005/3175
Section 254(1) (partially)	5.12.2005	2005/3175
Sections 256 and 257	5.12.2005	2005/3175
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Schedules 3 and 4	5.12.2005	2005/3175
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Schedule 5 paragraph 57(3) and (4) (partially)	15.4.2005	2005/1112
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Schedule 7 paragraph 14(4) and (5)	15.4.2005	2005/1112
Schedule 7 (in so far as not already in force) except paragraph 10(4)(b), (5)(b) and (9)(c)	5.12.2005	2005/3175
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Schedule 15 paragraph 10(2) (partially)	7.11.2005	2005/3058
Schedule 15 paragraph 14(2), (3) and (4) (partially)	7.11.2005	2005/3058
Schedule 15 paragraphs 22(c), 23 and 24(2) and (3) (partially)	7.11.2005	2005/3058
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Schedule 23 paragraphs 2(1) and (3), 4, 6, 9, 10(1) and (3), 13, 15(1) and (3), 16(3)(a) and 17 (partially)	15.4.2005	2005/1112
Schedule 23 (in so far as not already in force)	5.12.2005	2005/3175
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Schedule 25	5.12.2005	2005/3175
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Schedule 27 paragraph 13 (1) to (3)	5.12.2005	2005/3175
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Schedule 27 paragraphs 13(6) and 17 (partially)	5.12.2005	2005/3175
Schedule 27 (in so far as not already in force) except paragraphs 13(4) and (5), 13(6) and 17.	5.12.2005	2005/3175
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