# SCHEDULES

# SCHEDULE 3

Regulation 53

#### Consequential amendments

# Northern Ireland Assembly Disqualification Act 1975

**1.** In Part 2 of Schedule 1 to the Northern Ireland Assembly Disqualification Act 1975 <sup>M1</sup> (disqualifying offices: bodies of which all members are disqualified), at the appropriate place, insert—

"The Victims' Payments Board".

#### **Commencement Information**

II Sch. 3 para. 1 in force at 24.2.2020, see reg. 1(2)(e)

#### **Marginal Citations**

M1 1975 c. 25; there are amendments to Part 2 of Schedule 1 not relevant to these Regulation.

# The Rehabilitation of Offenders Act 1974 (Exceptions) Order 1975

**2.**—(1) The Rehabilitation of Offenders Act 1974 (Exceptions) Order 1975  $^{M2}$  is amended as follows.

(2) In article 3ZA (disapplication of section 4(2) of, and paragraph 3(3) of Schedule 3 to, the Rehabilitation of Offenders Act 1974)  $^{M3}$ —

- (a) at the end of sub-paragraph (a) omit the "or";
- (b) after paragraph (b) insert—

"and

- (c) any question asked by or on behalf of the Victims' Payments Board, where-
  - (i) an application for payments under the Victims' Payment Regulations 2020 has been made;
  - (ii) the question relates to the person whose disablement the application concerns, and
  - (iii) the question is asked in order to assess whether regulation 6(1) (convictions) of the Victims' Payment Regulations 2020 excludes the person from entitlement to payments.".
- (3) In Schedule 3 (excepted proceedings), after paragraph 24 M4 insert—

"25. Proceedings to determine whether regulation 6(1) (convictions) of the Victims' Payment Regulations 2020 excludes a person from entitlement to payments under those regulations."

## **Commencement Information**

I2 Sch. 3 para. 2 in force at 29.5.2020, see reg. 1(3)

# **Marginal Citations**

- M2 S.I. 1975/1023. The Order was revoked in relation to Scotland by S.S.I. 2003/231.
- M3 Paragraph 3ZA was inserted by S.I. 2013/1198. There are other amendments but they are not relevant.
- M4 Paragraph 24 was inserted by S.I. 2019/1051.

# The Rehabilitation of Offenders (Exceptions) Order (Northern Ireland) 1979

**3.**—(1) The Rehabilitation of Offenders (Exceptions) Order (Northern Ireland) 1979 <sup>M5</sup> is amended as follows.

(2) In article 3A (exclusion from Article 5(2) of the Rehabilitation of Offenders (Exceptions) Order (Northern Ireland) 1979)<sup>M6</sup>, after paragraph (b) insert—

- "(c) any question asked by or on behalf of the Victims' Payments Board, where—
  - (i) an application for payments under the Victims' Payment Regulations 2020 has been made;
  - (ii) the question relates to the person whose disablement the application concerns, and
  - (iii) the question is asked in order to assess whether regulation 6(1) (convictions) of the Victims' Payment Regulations 2020 excludes the person from entitlement to payments.".
- (3) In Schedule 3 (excepted proceedings), after paragraph 26 M7 insert—

"27. Proceedings to determine whether regulation 6(1) (convictions) of the Victims' Payment Regulations 2020 excludes a person from entitlement to payments under those regulations."

#### **Commencement Information**

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Sch. 3 para. 3 in force at 29.5.2020, see reg. 1(3)
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# **Marginal Citations**

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M5 S.R. 1979 No. 195.
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M6 Article 3A was inserted by S.R. 2014 No. 27.

M7 Paragraph 26 was inserted by S.R. 2014 No. 224.

# **Freedom of Information Act 2000**

**4.** In Part 7 of Schedule 1 to the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (offices and bodies in Northern Ireland which are public authorities for the purposes of the Act), at the appropriate place, insert—

"The Victims' Payments Board, in relation to its administrative functions."

# **Commencement Information**

I4 Sch. 3 para. 4 in force at 24.2.2020, see reg. 1(2)(e)

## Amendment to Justice (Northern Ireland) Act 2002

5. In Schedule 1 to the Justice (Northern Ireland) Act 2002 M8 (listed offices), at the end insert—

"Member of the Victims' Payments Board

President of the Victims' Payments Board".

#### **Commencement Information**

I5 Sch. 3 para. 5 in force at 24.2.2020, see reg. 1(2)(e)

#### **Marginal Citations**

M8 2002 c. 26. There are amendments to Schedule 1 not relevant to these Regulations.

# The Rehabilitation of Offenders Act 1974 (Exclusions and Exceptions) (Scotland) Order 2013

**6.**—(1) The Rehabilitation of Offenders Act 1974 (Exclusions and Exceptions) (Scotland) Order 2013  $^{M9}$  is amended as follows.

(2) In Article 4(3) (exclusion of section 4(2)(a) and (b) of the Rehabilitation of Offenders Act 1974), for "paragraph 6(1)" substitute " paragraphs 6(1) or 16 ".

(3) In Schedule 1 (proceedings), after paragraph 29<sup>M10</sup> insert—

"**30.** Proceedings to determine whether regulation 6(1) (convictions) of the Victims' Payment Regulations 2020 excludes a person from entitlement to payments under those regulations."

(4) In Schedule 3 (exclusions of section 4(2)(a) and (b) of the Rehabilitation of Offenders Act 1974), after paragraph 15 insert—

"16. Any question asked by or on behalf of the Victims' Payments Board, where-

- (a) an application for payments under the Victims' Payment Regulations 2020 has been made;
- (b) the question relates to the person whose disablement the application concerns, and
- (c) the question is asked in order to assess whether regulation 6(1) (convictions) of the Victims' Payment Regulations 2020 excludes the person from entitlement to payments.".

#### **Commencement Information**

I6 Sch. 3 para. 6 in force at 29.5.2020, see reg. 1(3)

#### **Marginal Citations**

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M9 S.S.I. 2013/50.
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M10 Paragraph 29 was inserted by S.S.I. 2013/204.

**Changes to legislation:** There are currently no known outstanding effects for the The Victims' Payments Regulations 2020, SCHEDULE 3.