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**AN ACT** to establish the Central Registry; to create the office of Registrar General; to transfer certain functions of the General Registry to the Central Registry, the Registrar General and the Treasury; to make minor amendments to the law on the registration of interests in land; to provide for the Criminal Injuries Compensation Scheme; and for connected purposes.

**BE IT ENACTED** by the Queen’s Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Council and Keys in Tynwald assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows: —

### 1 Short title

The short title of this Act is the Central Registry Act 2018.

### 2 Commencement

- (1) This Act comes into operation on such day or days as the Council of Ministers may by order appoint.<sup>1</sup>
- (2) An order under this section may make such consequential, incidental, supplemental and transitional provision as appears to the Council of Ministers necessary or expedient.
- (3) Before making an order under this section, the Council of Ministers must consult the Clerk of the Rolls.

### 3 Interpretation

- (1) In this Act —
  - (a) “**the 2015 Act**” means the *Public Services Commission Act 2015*;
  - (b) “**employee of the Commission**” has the meaning given by section 7(1) of the 2015 Act;

- (c) “**the Registrar General**” means the office constituted by section 4 of this Act and, so far as is necessary, includes the person for the time being holding that office under section 4(2)
- (d) “**stationed employer**” has the meaning given by section 3 of the 2015 Act.

(2) For the meaning of —

“**assigned employees**” see section 5;

“**the Central Registry**” see section 4(7)

“**the Principal Registry**” see section 4(5); and

“**relevant functions**” see section 5.

#### 4 **The Registrar General and the Central Registry**

- (1) There shall be an office of Registrar General with perpetual succession and a common seal.
- (2) The Public Services Commission shall appoint a person who is an employee of the Commission to be the Registrar General.
- (3) The Department for Enterprise shall be the stationed employer (within the meaning of section 3(1) of the *Public Services Commission Act 2015*) of —
  - (a) the Registrar General; and
  - (b) any person serving on the Registrar General’s staff —
    - (i) in any of the registries mentioned in subsection (8)(a) to (d); or
    - (ii) in the Public Record Office.
- (4) Judicial notice shall be taken of the common seal of the Registrar General.
- (5) Information contained in records for which the Registrar General is responsible, other than records deposited under the *Public Records Act 1999*, is to be accessible (whether in physical or electronic form) at premises maintained for that purpose called “**the Principal Registry**”.
- (6) Subsection (5) is subject to any requirement as to confidentiality, whether imposed by statute or otherwise, precluding the disclosure of any particular information or information of a particular class.

*Example: the Gender Recognition Register needs to be kept by virtue of paragraph 1(1) of Schedule 1 to the Gender Recognition Act 2009, but paragraph 1(3) of that Schedule provides that it is not to be open to public inspection or search.*
- (7) Subject to any directions given by the Department for Enterprise under the *Public Services Commission Act 2015*, the Registrar General is to be responsible for the management of the office of the Government known as the “**Central Registry**”.
- (8) The Central Registry shall comprise, —

- (a) the Civil Registry;
  - (b) the Companies Registry;
  - (c) the Deeds Registry; and
  - (d) the Land Registry.
- (9) The Registrar General is also responsible for oversight of the Public Record Office.

(10) For the sake of clarity —

**“the Civil Registry”** means that part of the Central Registry which deals with the registration of adoptions, births, civil partnerships, deaths, gender recognition changes and marriages;

**“the Companies Registry”** means that part of the Central Registry which is responsible for the registration of, —

- (a) business names under the Registration of Business Names Acts 1918 and 1954;
- (b) industrial and provident societies, and building societies, under the *Industrial and Building Societies Act 1892*;
- (c) companies within the meaning of the *Companies Act 1931*;
- (d) companies continued in the Island under Part 1 of the *Companies (Transfer of Domicile) Act 1998* or section 162 of the *Companies Act 2006*;
- (e) companies within the meaning of the *Companies Act 2006*;
- (f) companies re-registered in the Island under Part IX of the *Companies Act 2006*;
- (g) foreign companies within the meaning of the *Companies Act 2006*;
- (h) foreign companies registered under the *Foreign Companies Act 2014*;
- (i) foundations within the meaning of the *Foundations Act 2011*;
- (j) incorporated cell companies and incorporated cells, in each case within the meaning of the *Incorporated Cell Companies Act 2010*;
- (k) limited liability companies to which the *Limited Liability Companies Act 1996* applies;
- (l) limited partnerships registered under section 48 of the *Partnership Act 1909*;
- (m) protected cell companies within the meaning of, —
  - (i) the *Protected Cell Companies Act 2004*; or
  - (ii) the *Companies Act 2006*;

**“the Deeds Registry”** means that part of the Central Registry in which deeds are registered under the *Registration of Deeds Act 1961*;

**“the Land Registry”** means that part of the Central Registry maintained under section 1 of the *Land Registration Act 1982* (as substituted by this Act); and

“**the Public Record Office**” means that part of the Central Registry maintained under section 1 of the *Public Records Act 1999* (as substituted by this Act).

## 5 Assignment of staff

The Public Service Commission must assign employees of the Commission (“**assigned employees**”) to assist the Registrar General in the performance of his or her functions (“**relevant functions**”).

## 6 Delegation of functions – general

- (1) The Registrar General may delegate any relevant functions, but may delegate them only to, —
  - (a) an assigned employee; or
  - (b) a person who is, or is employed by, a body corporate (including, in particular, a local authority) with which the Registrar General has entered into a contract for the provision of services to the Registrar General.
- (2) Before delegating a function under subsection (1)(b) the Registrar General must be satisfied that adequate arrangements exist to prevent the unauthorised disclosure of information for which the Registrar General is responsible.
- (3) For the sake of clarity, the Registrar General remains responsible for the safe keeping of any document or information entrusted to the Registrar General even though a function is delegated under subsection (1)(b).

## 7 Schedule

The Schedule makes amendments to Manx enactments —

- (a) in connection with the creation of the office of the Registrar General and the Central Registry and the transfer of other functions of the General Registry;
- (b) in connection with rights of pre-emption in respect of land; and
- (c) in connection with compensation for criminal injuries (functions in connection with which are currently exercised by the Chief Registrar and the General Registry).

**SCHEDULE**  
**ENACTMENTS AMENDED**

[Section 7]

**1 Acquisition of Land Act 1984**

- (1) The *Acquisition of Land Act 1984* is amended as follows.
- (2) In section 30A(9)—
  - (a) [Amended paragraph (a)]
  - (b) [Amended paragraph (b)]
- (3) [Amended paragraph 1(2) in Schedule 2]

**2 Administration of Estates Act 1990**

[Amended sections 46(3) and 47(5)]

**3 Adoption Act 1984**

- (1) The *Adoption Act 1984* is amended as follows.
- (2) In section 38 (Adopted Children Register)—
  - (a) [Amended subsection (1)]
  - (b) [Amended subsection (2)]
  - (c) [Amended subsection (3)]
  - (d) [Amended subsections (4) and (5)]
- (3) In section 39 —
  - (a) [Amended subsections (1) and (2)]
  - (b) [Amended subsections (4), (5) and (6)]
  - (c) [Amended subsection (6) and inserted paragraph (6)(b)]
  - (d) [Amended subsection (6A)]
  - (e) [Amended subsection (7)]
- (4) In Schedule 2 —
  - (a) [Amended paragraphs 1(1), (3) and (4), 2(1), 4(2), (3) and (5) and 6]
  - (b) [Amended paragraph 1]
  - (c) [Amended paragraph 2(1), substituted paragraph 2(2) and inserted paragraph 2(2A)]
  - (d) [Substituted paragraph 3(1)]
  - (e) [Amended paragraph 3(2) and (3)]
  - (f) [Amended paragraph 3(4)]

- (g) [Amended paragraph 4(1)]
- (h) [Amended paragraph 4(2)(b)]
- (i) [Amended paragraph 4(4)]
- (j) [Inserted paragraph 4(4A)]
- (k) [Inserted cross heading and paragraph 6A]
- (i) [Substituted paragraph 7]

#### **4 Bail Act 1952**

[Amended sections 8 and 9 of the *Bail Act 1952*]

#### **5 Charities Act 1986**

[Amended section 3(2)(b) and (4) of the *Charities Act 1986*]

#### **6 Charities Registration Act 1989**

(1) The *Charities Registration Act 1989* is amended as follows.

- (2) [Amended section 2(1) and (2)]
- (3) [Amended section 3]
- (4) [Amended section 4(3)]
- (5) [Amended section 5(6)]
- (6) [Amended section 12(a) and (c)]
- (7) In section 13 —
  - (a) [Amended subsection(1)(a)]
  - (b) [Repealed subsection (6)]
  - (c) [Amended section heading]

#### **7 Children and Young Persons Act 2001**

[Amended paragraph 12(2) of Schedule 1 to the *Children and Young Persons Act 2001*]

#### **8 Churchwardens Measure (Isle of Man) 2013**

[Amended section 10(6) of the *Churchwardens Measure (Isle of Man) 2013*]

#### **9 Civil Partnership Act 2011**

- (1) The *Civil Partnership Act 2011* is amended as follows.
- (2) [Amended section 7]
- (3) [Amended section 11(4)]

- (4) [Amended section 13]
- (5) [Amended section 23]
- (6) In section 24 —
  - (a) [Substituted subsection (1)]
  - (b) [Amended subsection (3)]
  - (c) [Amended the heading]
- (7) In section 25 —
  - (a) [Amended subsection (2)]
  - (b) [Amended subsection (3)]
  - (b) [Amended subsections (4) and (6)]
  - (c) [Amended subsection (7)]
  - (d) [Amended the heading]
- (8) [Amended section 26]
- (9) [Amended section 27]
- (10) In section 27A —
  - (a) [Amended subsection (1)]
  - (b) [Amended subsection (2)(e)]
  - (c) [Amended subsection (5)]
- (11) [Amended section 28 and the section heading]
- (12) [Substituted section 32 (1)(e)]
- (13) In section 34 —
  - (a) [Amended subsection (2)(d) and (e)]
  - (b) [Amended subsection (3)]
- (14) [Inserted section 79A]
- (15) [Amended paragraph 3(3)(a) of Schedule 2]

## 10 Civil Registration Act 1984

- (1) [Amended the provisions in the *Civil Registration Act 1984* mentioned in subparagraph (2)]
- (2) The provisions are —
  - section 2(5) and (6)
  - section 9(1)
  - section 10(5)(a)
  - section 13(2)
  - section 16(1)
  - section 17(1) to (4)

section 23  
section 24(3)  
section 31  
section 32  
section 36(3)  
section 37  
section 38(4), (5) and (7)  
section 40(d)  
Schedule 2, paragraph 2(2)

- (3) [Amended section 3(4)]
- (4) [Substituted section 17A]
- (5) [Substituted section 33]
- (6) [Substituted section 34]
- (7) [Substituted section 35]
- (8) [Substituted section 36(1) and inserted subsection (1A)]
- (9) In section 38 —
  - (a) [Substituted subsections (2) and (3)]
  - (b) [Amended subsection (7)]
- (10) [Amended section 43(1)]
- (11) [Amended section 44]

#### **11 Commissioners for Oaths Act 1962**

[Substituted section 2 of the *Commissioners for Oaths Act 1962*]

#### **12 Companies Act 1961**

[Amended section 2(1) of the *Companies Act 1961*]

#### **13 Companies Act 2006**

- (1) The *Companies Act 2006* is amended as follows.
- (2) [Substituted section 205(1)]
- (3) [Amended section 218]

#### **14 Conveyancing Act 1922**

[Amended section 3(6) of the *Conveyancing Act 1922*]

**15 Copyright Act 1991**

[Amended section 49 of the *Copyright Act 1991*]

**16 Copyright (Amendment) Act 1999**

[Amended paragraph 5 of Schedule 1 to the *Copyright (Amendment) Act 1999*]

**17 Council of Ministers Act 1990**

[Amended sections 2(4) and 3(4) of the *Council of Ministers Act 1990*]

**18 Criminal Code (Informations) Act 1920**

Substituted rule 13 of the Information Rules set out in Schedule 1 to the *Criminal Code (Informations) Act 1920*]

**19 Criminal Justice Act 2001**

[Amended paragraphs 3(4) and 4(1) of Schedule 5 to the *Criminal Justice Act 2001*]

**20 Criminal Law Act 1981**

[Amended paragraphs 15 and 21 of Schedule 3 to the *Criminal Law Act 1981*]

**21 Custody Act 1995**

[Amended paragraph 4(2)(b) of Schedule 1 to the *Custody Act 1995*]

**22 Customary Laws Act 1577**

[Inserted section 32A of the *Customary Laws Act 1577*]

**23 Financial Provisions and Currency Act 2011**

- (1) The *Financial Provisions and Currency Act 2011* is amended as follows.
- (2) At the place in the Act specified in column 1 of the table below insert the cross-heading in column 2.

<b>Before.....</b>	<b>insert.....</b>
Section 1	<i>Introduction</i>
Section 3	<i>Financial provision by Government authorities</i>
Section 9	<i>Currency</i>

- (3) After section 8 insert —

**8A Compensation for criminal injuries**

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- (1) The Treasury must make a scheme for the making of payments by the Treasury of compensation to, or in respect of, persons who have sustained criminal injuries.

*Tynwald procedure for a scheme under this subsection — approval required*

- (2) In this section and sections 8B and 8C, —
- (a) “**the Scheme**” means the scheme made under subsection (1);
  - (b) “**award**” means an award of compensation made in accordance with the provisions of the Scheme;
  - (c) “**compensation**” means compensation payable under an award;
  - (d) “**specified**” means specified in the Scheme;
  - (e) “**criminal injury**”, “**loss of earnings**” and “**special expenses**” have such meaning as may be specified.

- (3) The Scheme must include provision specifying, —
- (a) the circumstances in which awards of compensation under the scheme may be made;
  - (b) how any amount of compensation is to be calculated;
  - (b) the categories of person to whom awards may be made;
  - (c) when, how and by whom decisions about claims for awards (“award decisions”) are to be made;
  - (d) when, how and by whom an award decision may be reviewed; and
  - (e) when, how and to whom an appeal against an award decision may be brought.

- (4) The Scheme may include provision, —
- (a) as to the circumstances in which an award may be withheld or the amount of compensation reduced;
  - (b) for an award to be made subject to conditions;
  - (c) for the whole or any part of any compensation to be repayable in specified circumstances;
  - (d) for compensation to be held subject to trusts, in such cases as may be determined in accordance with the Scheme;
  - (e) requiring claims under the Scheme to be made within such periods as may be specified by the Scheme; and
  - (f) imposing other time limits.

- (5) Any sum which falls to be repaid by virtue of provision under subsection (4)(c) is recoverable as a debt due to the Treasury.

**8B Basis on which compensation is to be calculated**

- (1) The amount of compensation payable under an award shall be determined in accordance with the provisions of the Scheme.
- (2) The Scheme must include provision for, —
- (a) a standard amount of compensation, determined by reference to the nature of the injury;
  - (b) in such cases as may be specified, an additional amount of compensation calculated with respect to loss of earnings;
  - (c) in such cases as may be specified, an additional amount of compensation calculated with respect to special expenses; and
  - (d) in cases of fatal injury, such additional amounts as may be specified or otherwise determined in accordance with the Scheme.
- (3) Provision shall be made for the standard amount to be determined, —
- (a) in accordance with a table (“**the Tariff**”) prepared by the Treasury as part of the Scheme and such other provisions of the Scheme as may be relevant; or
  - (b) where no provision is made in the Tariff with respect to the injury in question, in accordance with such provisions of the Scheme as may be relevant.
- (4) The Tariff shall show, in respect of each description of injury mentioned in the Tariff, the standard amount of compensation payable in respect of that description of injury.
- (5) An injury may be described in the Tariff in such a way, including by reference to the nature of the injury, its severity or the circumstances in which it was sustained, as the Treasury considers appropriate.
- (6) The Treasury may at any time alter the Tariff, —
- (a) by adding to the descriptions of injury mentioned there;
  - (b) by removing a description of injury;
  - (c) by increasing or reducing the amount shown as the standard amount of compensation payable in respect of a particular description of injury; or
  - (d) in such other way as the Treasury considers appropriate.
- (7) The Scheme may, —

- (a) provide for amounts of compensation not to exceed such maximum amounts as may be specified;
- (b) include such transitional provision with respect to any alteration of its provisions relating to compensation as the Treasury considers appropriate.

### 8C Inalienability of awards

- (1) Every assignment of, or charge on, an award under section 8A and every agreement to assign or charge an award shall be void.
- (2) On the bankruptcy of a person (“P”) in whose favour an award is made, the award shall not pass to any trustee or other person acting on behalf of P’s creditors. **22**.

## 24 Flood Risk Management Act 2013

[Amended sections 15(4), 32(1) and 50(1) of the *Flood Risk Management Act 2013*]

## 25 Gender Recognition Act 2009

- (1) The *Gender Recognition Act 2009* is amended as follows.
- (2) In section 12(4) —
  - (a) [Amended paragraph (g)]
  - (b) [Amended paragraph (h)]
  - (c) [Substituted paragraph (i)]
  - (d) [Inserted words after paragraph (l)]
- (3) In Schedule 1 —
  - (a) [Amended paragraph 1(1) and (2); paragraph 2(1)(b), (2), (4), (5) and (6); paragraph 3(1); paragraph 6(2)(a) and (3); paragraph 7(3); paragraph 8(1) and (3) and paragraph 9(2), (3) and (4)]
  - (b) [Amended paragraph 1(1) and 3(1)]
  - (c) [Amended paragraph 2(6)]

## 26 General Registry Act 1965

- (1) The *General Registry Act 1965* is amended as follows.
- (2) [Substituted section 1]
- (3) [Repealed section 4(3) and (4)]

## 27 Government Departments Act 1987

[Amended paragraph 4(3) of Schedule 2 to the *Government Departments Act 1987*]

**28 Highways Act 1986**

- (1) In section 92 of the *Highways Act 1986*, —
  - (a) [Amended subsection (1)]
  - (b) [Amended subsection (7)]
- (2) Anything certified before the coming into operation of this paragraph under section 92(7) of the *Highways Act 1986* as it stood immediately before that time is receivable in evidence to the same extent as it would have been had this paragraph not been enacted.

**29 Housing (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 2011**

- (1) The *Housing (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 2011* is amended as follows.
- (2) [Amended sections 20(4) and 31(4)]

**30 Industrial and Building Societies Act 1892**

[Amended section 24A(1) of the *Industrial and Building Societies Act 1892*]

**31 International Criminal Court 2003**

[Amended paragraph 7(2) of Schedule 6 to the *International Criminal Court Act 2003*]

**32 Interpretation Act 2015**

[Amended the Schedule to the Interpretation Act 2015 by inserting definitions for “the Central Registry”, “the Principal Registry” and “the Registrar General” and omitted the note to the definition of “General Registry”]

**33 Land Registration Act 1982**

- (1) The *Land Registration Act 1982* is amended as follows.
- (2) [Substituted section 1]
- (3) [Amended section 2(1)]
- (4) [Amended section 3(1)]
- (5) [Inserted section 36(3)]
- (6) [Inserted section 61A]
- (7) [Amended section 68(1) and the heading]
- (8) [Substituted section 73(1) and inserted section 71(1A), (1B) and (1D)]<sup>2</sup>
- (9) [Amended section 77(3)]
- (10) [Substituted section 77A(6)]
- (11) [In section 79(1) substituted the definition of “the Registrar”]

(12) [Substituted paragraph 4 of Schedule 5]

(13) [Repealed]<sup>3</sup>

(14) [Repealed]<sup>4</sup>

### **34 Legal Practitioners Registration Act 1986**

(1) The *Legal Practitioners Registration Act 1986* is amended as follows.

(2) [Amended section 2(1), (2) and (3); section 3(3); and section 5(1)(b)]

(3) [Amended section 5(1)]

### **35 Legislation Act 2015**

[Amended section 42(4) of the *Legislation Act 2015*]

### **36 Limited Liability Companies Act 1996**

[Amended section 52A(1) of the *Limited Liability Companies Act 1996*]

### **37 Marine Infrastructure Management Act 2016**

(1) The *Marine Infrastructure Management Act 2016* is amended as follows.

(2) [Amended entry in row 21 column 2 of the Table in section 10]

(3) [Amended section 39(3)]

(4) [Amended section 41(2)(a)]

(5) [Amended section 42(6)(a)]

(6) [Amended section 43(7)(a)]

### **38 Marriage Act 1984**

(1) The *Marriage Act 1984* is amended as follows.

(2) [Amended the following provisions –

section 3(3) and (6);

section 4C(4)

section 13(1)

section 20(4)

section 21A(3)

section 23(2)

section 28

section 29(1), (2) and (3)

section 29A(1), (2)(b), (4) and (5)

section 29B(2)(b) and (4)

section 29D(8)  
section 30  
section 31(3B) and (5)  
section 32(2)  
section 37(6)  
section 41(1)  
section 45(1) and (2)  
section 47(2)  
section 52(4)(c)  
section 54(4)  
Schedule 3, paragraph 1(2)]

- (3) [Amended section 3(8)]
- (4) [Amended section 19]
- (5) [Amended section 20(3)(c)]
- (6) [Amended section 22]
- (7) [Amended section 29(3)]
- (8) [Amended the following provisions –  
section 29C(1) and (2)  
section 29D(10)  
section 29E(7)]
- (9) [Substituted section 35]
- (10) [Amended section 36]
- (11) In section 37 –
  - (a) [Amended subsection (3)]
  - (b) [Amended subsection (5)]
  - (c) [Substituted subsection (7)]
- (12) In section 38 –
  - (a) [Amended subsection (1)]
  - (b) [Amended subsection (2)]
  - (c) [Substituted subsection (5), repealed subsection (6) and amended section heading]
- (13) [Amended heading to Part IV of the Act]
- (14) [Substituted section 41(2)]
- (15) [Amended section 43]
- (16) [Amended section 46]

- (17) [Substituted section 49]
- (18) In section 51 —
  - (a) [Amended subsection (1)]
  - (b) [Inserted subsections (1A) and (1B)]
- (19) [Amended section 52(2)(e)]
- (20) In section 55(1)—
  - (a) [Substituted definition of “approved”]
  - (b) [Repealed definition of “Deemster’s licence”]
  - (c) [Inserted definition of “the Department”]
  - (d) [Inserted definition of “Registrar General’s licence”]
- (21) [Amended paragraph 1(3) of Schedule 3]

### **39 Matrimonial Proceedings Act 2003**

- (1) The *Matrimonial Proceedings Act 2003* is amended as follows.
- (2) In Schedule 2 —
  - (a) [Amended paragraph 3(2)]
  - (b) [Amended paragraph 5(1) and (2)]
- (3) [Amended paragraph 6(1)]

### **40 Mineral Workings (Offshore Installations) (Isle of Man) Act 1974**

[Amended paragraph 12 of the Schedule to the *Mineral Workings (Offshore Installations) (Isle of Man) Act 1974*]

### **41 NatWest International Trust Corporation (Isle of Man) Act 1990**

- (1) [Repealed section 7 of the *NatWest International Trust Corporation (Isle of Man) Act 1990*]
- (2) For the sake of clarity, the repeal does not revive of either of the existing companies (within the meaning of section 9 of that Act).

### **42 Newspapers Act 1846**

[Repealed the *Newspapers Act 1846*]

### **43 Partnership Act 1909**

[Amended section 60(1) of the *Partnership Act 1909*]

### **44 Performers’ Protection Act 1996**

[Amended paragraph 10 of Schedule 1 to the *Performers’ Protection Act 1996*]

**45 Perjury Act 1952**

[Amended section 3(4) of the *Perjury Act 1952*]

**46 Personal Liability (Ministers, Members and Officers) Act 2007**

[Inserted section 3(2)(ja) in the *Personal Liability (Ministers, Members and Officers) Act 2007*]

**47 Proceeds of Crime Act 2008**

[Amended section 15(2) and (3) of the *Proceeds of Crime Act 2008*]

**48 Public Records Act 1999**

(1) The *Public Records Act 1999* is amended as follows.

(2) [Substituted section 1]

(3) [Amended the following provisions —  
section 3(1)(b), (2), (3), (6), (7)(a), (8) and (10)  
section 4(1), (3), (7) and (8)  
section 5(2)(a)  
section 7(1)]

(4) In section 4, —

(a) [Substituted subsection (2) and inserted subsection (2A)]

(b) [Amended subsection (5)]

(5) In section 6, —

(a) [Substituted subsections (1) and (2)]

(b) [Repealed subsection (5)]

[Amended the heading to section 6 in consequence of the amendment made by paragraph (a)]

(6) [Repealed section 9(3)]

**49 Registration of Deeds Act 1961**

(1) The *Registration of Deeds Act 1961* is amended as follows.

(2) [Substituted section 5]

(3) [Repealed section 6]

(4) [Amended section 9 heading]

(5) [Amended section 10]

(6) In section 13 —

(a) [Amended subsection (1)]

- (b) [Amended subsection (3)]
- (c) [Amended subsection (5)]
- (d) [Amended subsection (7)]
- (7) [Substituted section 14]
- (8) In section 15 —
  - (a) [Renumbered existing text as subsection (1)]
  - (b) [Amended new subsection (1)]
  - (c) [Inserted subsection (2)]
  - (d) [Amended section heading]
- (9) In section 16—
  - (a) [Amended subsection (1)]
  - (b) [Amended subsection (4)]
- (10) [Substituted section 17(1) and inserted subsections (1A) and (1B)]
- (11) [Amended section 27(2)]
- (12) [Substituted section 43]
- (13) [Substituted section 44]
- (14) [Repealed section 46]
- (15) [Amended section 48]
- (16) In section 49 —
  - (a) [Substituted introductory words]
  - (b) [Amended definition of “Deeds Register”]
  - (c) [Substituted definition of “Deeds Registry”]
  - (d) [Substituted definition of “enrolled”]
  - (e) [Inserted definitions of “Grantee’s Index” and “Grantor’s Index”]
  - (f) [Substituted definition of “judgment”]
  - (g) [Repealed definition of “land”]
  - (h) [Inserted definition of “Probate Registry”]
  - (i) [Substituted definitions of “recorded”, registered” and “Registrar”]

## 50 Representation of the People Act 1995

- (1) The *Representation of the People Act 1995* is amended as follows.
- (2) [Amended the following provisions, —
  - (a) section 10D(3)
  - (b) section 10L(1) and (2)
  - (c) section 11A(2) and (3)

- (d) section 14(1)(e)
- (e) section 20D(4)(b) and (5)]
- (3) [Amended the following provisions, —
  - (a) section 11A(3)
  - (b) section 14(1)(e)]

## 51 Residence Act 2001

[Amended section 7(1) of the *Residence Act 2001*]

## 52 Trade Unions Act 1991

[Amended the following provisions of the *Trade Unions Act 1991*—  
section 2(1), (3), (6), (7) and (8)  
section 2A(1), (2) and (4)  
section 3(1)  
section 4(1) and (2)  
section 5(1), (2A) and (3)  
section 6(2)  
section 7(1)(b)  
Schedule 2 paragraph 2]

## 53 Wills Act 1985

- (1) The *Wills Act 1985* is amended as follows.
- (2) In section 26 —
  - (a) [Amended subsection (1)]
  - (b) [Amended subsection (3)]
- (3) In section 27 —
  - (a) [Amended subsection (1)]
  - (b) [Amended subsections (1)(d) and (2)]

## ENDNOTES

### Table of Endnote References

<sup>1</sup> ADO – SD2019/0223 - see table for details

<b>Provision</b>	<b>Date in Operation</b>
Sections 1 to 3	20/05/2019
Section 4(1) to (4)	20/05/2019
Sections 5 and 6	20/05/2019 for the purposes of making assignments of staff and executing instruments of delegation; 01/07/2019 for all remaining purposes.
Remainder of Act except paragraphs 23 and 33(13) of the Schedule	01/07/2019

<sup>2</sup> Editorial Note: There was no subsection (1C).

<sup>3</sup> Subpara (13) repealed by Statute Law Revision Act 2021 s 5.

<sup>4</sup> Subpara (14) repealed by Statute Law Revision Act 2021 s 5.