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PREFACE TO THE THIRTEENTH EDITION

On April 6, 2010 the Insolvency Rules 1986 will be extensively altered when the Insolvency (Amendment) Rules 2010 (SI 2010/686) come into force and, on the same day, the Legislative Reform (Insolvency) (Miscellaneous Amendments) Order 2010 (SI 2010/18), which makes some significant changes to the Insolvency Act 1986, will also become operative. These two legislative measures, which run to over 200 pages in total, are a major step in the government's programme for the modernisation of Insolvency Law, following upon the relaxed advertising regime which was introduced in April 2009. The project will reach its culmination in the consolidation of the Insolvency Rules into a single piece of legislation that is planned to become operative on April 6, 2011, together with a consolidation of the rest of insolvency secondary legislation into various instruments to come into force at the same time.

The amending Rules in their final form were only published on March 10, 2010 and it has required a major effort, particularly on the part of our publishers' editorial team, to get the work into print so that it will be available to our readers as soon as possible after the operative date. The task was made all the more challenging because the government on March 12, 2010 announced that the new Rules were to be corrected and in some places clarified by a further statutory instrument which became the Insolvency (Amendment) (No.2) Rules 2010 (SI 2010/734), and that the Insolvency (Scotland) Rules 1986 were also to be amended with effect from April 6, 2010. This was done by the Insolvency (Scotland) Amendment Rules 2010 (SI 2010/688 (S 2)). We have been able to incorporate both of these additional measures into the text of this edition.

The amendments to the Rules will make much of the text and commentary in the current twelfth edition of this work obsolete, and so we have decided to bring forward the publication of this edition of the work to the spring of 2010 rather than delay it until our customary annual date in October. For this purpose the text of the Insolvency Rules 1986 has been fully updated, incorporating all the amendments made by the 2010 legislation and the annotations to the Rules have been revised to explain the reforms that have been made. In other parts of both volumes the commentary has been reviewed to ensure that full account is taken of the effect of the changes made by the new Rules, and cross-references have been altered where necessary to bring them into line with both the substance and the numeration of the rules as amended.

Among the innovations which have been introduced by the amending rules are:

- provisions facilitating the holding of meetings without the physical presence of the participants, e.g. by telephone conference or electronic means;
- elimination in most cases of the use of affidavits and their replacement by witness statements or statements of truth;
- provisions allowing pre-administration and costs as expense of the administration;
- authorisation of the use of electronic means and websites for the communication of information and the sending and service of documents;
- new provisions on block transfer orders;
- further clarification of the linkage with the Civil Procedure Rules; and
- a new Part 12A (dealing with matters of general effect).

Not all of these changes have retrospective effect, so as to apply to insolvencies which are ongoing on April 6, 2010. So practitioners should be aware that they will continue to need to refer to the old rules and that it will be wise to keep their copy of the twelfth edition when they buy the new one!

In addition, the text of the Insolvency Act 1986 has been amended to take account of the changes made by the 2010 Legislative Reform Order, and all of the other legislation reproduced in both volumes of the work has been brought up to date.

The amending Rules are extensive in their range and add considerably to the length and bulk of the Rules as a whole, and this has put such pressure on space in Volume 1 that we have reluctantly had to

move the EC Regulation on Insolvency Proceedings into Volume 2, at least for the present edition. We hope that this will not cause too much inconvenience to our readers.

Necessarily, the amount of new case-law to be incorporated into the commentary has been reduced because there has been a shorter period between this edition and the previous one, but even so readers will find a good number of cases of significance, including *Re Bernard L Madoff Investment Securities Ltd* [2009] EWHC 442 (Ch), *Re Lehman Brothers International (Europe)* [2010] EWHC 47 (Ch), *Masri v Consolidated Contractors International (UK) Ltd* [2009] UKHL 43, *Nationwide Building Society v Wright* [2009] EWCA Civ 811 and *Official Receiver v McKay* [2009] EWCA Civ 467.

It is a pleasure once again to express our thanks to our friend and colleague Peter Bailey for his help and support, and to thank our publishers and their staff for their help at all stages of production. We would like also to thank those of our readers who have sent us comments and queries, brought some unreported judgments to our notice and drawn our attention to errors. These contributions are always most welcome. We are grateful also to the officials of the Policy Unit of the Insolvency Service, particularly for having made available early drafts of the amending Rules which enabled us to make a start on revising the work several weeks in advance of the publication of the final text.

Apart from the changes made by the amendments to the Insolvency Rules and the Scottish Insolvency Rules mentioned above, the law is stated as at February 28, 2010, although some later developments have been added at proof stage where space permits.

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ABBREVIATIONS

The following abbreviations are used in this work:

BA 1914	Bankruptcy Act 1914
B(A)A 1926	Bankruptcy (Amendment) Act 1926
BR 1952	Bankruptcy Rules 1952
BRO	Bankruptcy restrictions order
BRU	Bankruptcy restrictions undertaking
CA	Companies Act (e.g. CA 2006 = Companies Act 2006)
CBIR	Cross-Border Insolvency Regulations 2006
CDDA 1986	Company Directors Disqualification Act 1986
CFCSA 1972	Companies (Floating Charges and Receivers) (Scotland) Act 1972
CDO	Competition Disqualification Order
CDU	Competition Disqualification Undertaking
CJA	Criminal Justice Act (e.g. CJA 1988 = Criminal Justice Act 1988)
COMI	Centre of main interests
Cork Report	<i>Report of the Review Committee on Insolvency Law and Practice</i> (Cmnd.8558, 1982)
CPR	Civil Procedure Rules
CVA	Company voluntary arrangement
DBERR	Department for Business, Enterprise and Regulatory Reform
DBIS	Department for Business, Innovation and Skills
DRO	Debt relief order
DRRO	Debt relief restrictions order
DRRU	Debt relief restrictions undertaking
DTI	Department of Trade and Industry
EA 2002	Enterprise Act 2002
EC Regulation	EC Regulation on Insolvency Proceedings 2000
FA	Finance Act (e.g. FA 1985 = Finance Act 1985)
Finality Regulations	Financial Markets and Insolvency (Settlement Finality) Regulations 1999 (SI 1999/2979)
FSA 1986	Financial Services Act 1986
FSMA 2000	Financial Services and Markets Act 2000
G to E	Model Law on Cross-Border Insolvency Guide to Enactment
IA	Insolvency Act (e.g. IA 1985 = Insolvency Act 1985)
IPA	Income payments agreement
IR 1986	Insolvency Rules 1986
I(A)R	Insolvency (Amendment) Rules (e.g. I(A)R 1993 = Insolvency Amendment Rules 1993)
IVA	Individual voluntary arrangement

Judgments	
Regulation	Council Regulation (EC) 44/2001 of December 22, 2000 on jurisdiction and the recognition and enforcement of judgments in civil and commercial matters
LLP	Limited liability partnership
LLPA 2000	Limited Liability Partnerships Act 2000
LLPR 2001	Limited Liability Partnerships Regulations 2001 (SI 2001/1090)
LPA 1925	Law of Property Act 1925
LRO 2010	Legislative Reform (Insolvency) (Miscellaneous Amendments) Order 2010
OR	Official receiver
POCA 2002	Proceeds of Crime Act 2002
RSC	Rules of the Supreme Court
TCEA 2007	Tribunals, Courts and Enforcement Act 2007
TUPE	
Regulations	Transfer of Undertakings (Protection of Employment) Regulations 2006
White Paper	<i>A Revised Framework for Insolvency Law</i> (Cmnd.9175, 1984)

Appendix I and Appendix II list the words and phrases which are given a special statutory definition or used in a particular sense in the legislation or the Rules, and give references to the provisions in which they and the accompanying commentary can be found.

Case Table

References within square brackets are located in Volume 2.

The following abbreviations are used in the tables to denote the location of entries in all tables:

[CBIR]	Cross-Border Insolvency Regulations 2006
[CDDA]	Company Directors Disqualification Act 1986
EA	Enterprise Act 2002
[ER]	EC Regulation on Insolvency Proceedings 2000
IA	Insolvency Act 1986
IA 2000	Insolvency Act 2000
IR	Insolvency Rules 1986
[UML]	UNCITRAL Model Law on Cross-Border Insolvency

	Provision		Provision
A			
4Eng Ltd v Harper [2009] EWHC 2633 (Ch); [2010] B.P.I.R. 1, Ch D	IA 423(1)–(3), 425(1)	[2008] EWHC 64 (Ch); [2008] B.C.C. 497, Ch D (Manchester)	[CDDA 9(1)]
A Straume (UK) Ltd v Bradlor Developments Ltd [2000] B.C.C. 333, Ch D	[IA 11(3)]	AE Realisations (1985) Ltd, Re [1988] 1 W.L.R. 200; (1987) 3 B.C.C. 136, Ch D	IA 179, 181(1)–(3)
A&C Group Services Ltd, Re [1993] B.C.L.C. 1297, Ch D	[CDDA 9(1)]	AI Levy (Holdings) Ltd, Re [1964] Ch. 19, Ch D	IA 127
A&C Supplies Ltd, Re; sub nom. Sutton (Removal of Liquidator), Re [1998] B.C.C. 708, Ch D	IA 29(2), 45(1), (2), 172(1), (2)	AIB Finance Ltd v Alsop; sub nom. AIB Finance Ltd v Debtors [1998] 2 All E.R. 929; ; [1998] B.C.C. 780, CA (Civ Div)	IR 6.5
A&J Fabrications (Batley) Ltd v Grant Thornton (A Firm) (No.1) [1999] B.C.C. 807, Ch D	IA 212(1)	AJ Adams (Builders) Ltd, Re [1991] B.C.C. 62, Ch D (Companies Ct) . . .	IA 108, 171(4)
ACLI Metals (London) Ltd, Re (1989) 5 B.C.C. 749, Ch D	IA 168(5)	AMEC Properties Ltd v Planning Research & Systems Plc [1992] 1 E.G.L.R. 70, CA (Civ Div)	IA 37(1), (2), 44(1), (2)
AA Mutual International Insurance Co Ltd, Re [2004] EWHC 2430 (Ch), Ch D (Companies Ct)	IA Pt II, Sch.B1, paras 9, 11	AMF International Ltd, Re [1995] B.C.C. 439, Ch D	IR 4.139–4.148E
AE Farr Ltd, Re [1992] B.C.C. 150, Ch D (Companies Ct)	IA 236	AMF International Ltd (No.2), Re; sub nom. Cohen v Ellis [1996] 1 W.L.R. 77; [1996] B.C.C. 335, Ch D	IA 212(3)
AES Barry Ltd v TXU Europe Energy Trading (In admin.) [2004] EWHC 1757 (Ch), Ch D	[IA 11(3)]	AMP Enterprises Ltd v Hoffman; sub nom. AMP Music Box Enterprises Ltd v Hoffman [2002] EWHC 1899 (Ch); [2002] B.C.C. 996, Ch D (Companies Ct)	IA 108
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AG (Manchester) Ltd (formerly The Accident Group Ltd) (In liq.), Re; sub nom. Official Receiver v Langford; Official Receiver v Watson		ARV Aviation Ltd, Re (1988) 4 B.C.C. 708, Ch D	[IA 15]

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AT&T Istel Ltd v Tully (No.1) [1993] A.C. 45, CA (Civ Div)	IA 236	Air Ecosse Ltd v Civil Aviation Authority, 1987 S.C. 285; (1987) 3 B.C.C. 492, CS (IH 2 Div)	[IA 11(3)]
AV Sorge & Co Ltd, Re (1986) 2 B.C.C. 99, 306, Ch D (Companies Ct)	IA 115	Airfreight Express (UK) Ltd (In liq.), Re; Wood v AFX Engineering [2005] B.P.I.R. 250, Ch D	IA 127
Aaron v Secretary of State for Business Enterprise and Regulatory Reform. <i>See</i> Secretary of State for Business Enterprise and Regulatory Reform v Aaron		Airlines Airspares Ltd v Handley Page Ltd [1970] Ch. 193, Ch D	IA 37(1), (2)
Abbey Leisure Ltd, Re; sub nom. Viridi v Abbey Leisure Ltd [1990] B.C.C. 60, CA (Civ Div)	IA 125(2)	Akers v Lomas; sub nom. Trading Partners Ltd, Re [2002] 1 B.C.L.C. 655; [2002] B.P.I.R. 606, Ch D	IA 236, 236(2), 426(4), (5), (11)
Abbot, Re [1997] B.C.C. 666, Ch D ...	IA 263(5), (6)	Aktieselskabet Dansk Skibsfinansiering v Brothers [2001] 2 B.C.L.C. 324, CFA (HK)	IA 213
Abermeadow Ltd (No.2), Re; sub nom. Berry v Secretary of State for Trade and Industry [2001] B.C.C. 724, Ch D	[CDDA 7(2)]	Albany Building Ltd, Re [2007] B.C.C. 591, Ch D (Birmingham)	IA 127, Sch.B1 para.37(3)(a)–(c)
Adams v Mason Bullock (A Firm) [2004] EWHC 2910 (Ch), Ch D	IA 271(1), (2), (4)	Albert v Albert [1997] 2 F.L.R. 791; [1996] B.P.I.R. 233, CA (Civ Div) ..	IA 310, 366(1)
Adbury Estates Ltd, Re [2003] B.C.C. 696, Ch D	[CDDA 4(1)]	Aldermanbury Trust Plc, Re [1993] B.C.C. 598, Ch D (Companies Ct) ..	[CDDA 8(1), 9(1)]
Addlestone Linoleum Co, Re (1888) L.R. 37 Ch. D. 191, CA	IA 74(2)(f)	Alipour v Ary; sub nom. Alipour v UOC Corp (No.1); UOC Corp (No.1), Re; Company (No.002180 of 1986), Re [1997] B.C.C. 377, CA (Civ Div)	IA 123, 124(1), 135
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Ahajot (Count Artsrunik) v Waller (Inspector of Taxes) [2005] B.P.I.R. 82; [2004] S.T.C. (S.C.D.) 151, Sp Comm	IR 12.3	Allders Department Stores Ltd (In admin.), Re [2005] EWHC 172 (Ch); [2005] B.C.C. 289, Ch D	IA 44(1), (2), 115, Sch.B1 para.99(5)–(6), IR 2.67
Ahmad v Inland Revenue Commissioners [2004] EWCA Civ 1758, CA (Civ Div)	IA 267(1), (2)	Allen, Re. <i>See</i> Debtor (No.367 of 1992), Re	
Ahmed v Landstone Leisure Ltd [2009] EWHC 125 (Ch); [2009] B.P.I.R. 227, Ch D	IR 6.5	Alman v Approach Housing Ltd [2002] B.C.C. 723; [2001] B.P.I.R. 203, Ch D	IA 5(2), 7(3)
Ahmed v Mogul Eastern Foods [2005] EWHC 3532 (Ch), Ch D	IA 282(1), (3)	Alpa Lighting Ltd, Re; sub nom. Mills v Samuels [1997] B.P.I.R. 341, CA (Civ Div)	IA 7(4), 263(4)
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Altitude Scaffolding Ltd, Re; T&N Ltd, Re [2006] EWHC 1401 (Ch); [2006] B.C.C. 904, Ch D (Companies Ct)	IR 4.50–4.71	Arbuthnot Leasing International Ltd v Havelet Leasing Ltd (No.2) [1990] B.C.C. 636, Ch D	IA 423(1)–(3), 425(2), (3)
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Asset Visions Ltd, Re [2002] EWHC 756 (Ch); [2003] B.P.I.R. 305, Ch D	IA 34	Aveling Barford Ltd, Re [1989] 1 W.L.R. 360, Ch D	IA 236(4)–(6), IR 9.1–9.6
Assico Engineering Ltd (In liq.), Re [2002] B.C.C. 481; [2002] B.P.I.R. 15, Ch D	IR 4.50–4.71	Avis v Turner [2007] EWCA Civ 748, CA (Civ Div) Ch D	IA 283(5), 306, 335A, 336(3)–(5)
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