STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2018 No. 130

JUDGES

The Alteration of Judicial Titles (Registrar in Bankruptcy of the High Court) Order 2018

Made - - - -	*31st January 2018*
Laid before Parliament	*1st February 2018*
Coming into force - -	*26th February 2018*

The Lord Chancellor makes the following Order in exercise of the powers conferred by section 64 of the Courts Act 2003(**1**).

In accordance with section 64(3A) of that Act this Order is made with the concurrence of the Lord Chief Justice.

The Lord Chancellor has consulted in accordance with section 64(4) of that Act.

Citation and commencement

1. This Order may be cited as the Alteration of Judicial Titles (Registrar in Bankruptcy of the High Court) Order 2018 and comes into force on 26th February 2018.

Alteration of judicial titles

2.—(1) The name of the office of "Registrar in Bankruptcy of the High Court" is changed to "Insolvency and Companies Court Judge".

(2) A person appointed to act as a deputy or as a temporary additional officer for a person holding the office referred to in paragraph (1) is to be styled as a "Deputy Insolvency and Companies Court Judge".

Amendments consequential on article 2

3. The Schedule, which makes provision in consequence of article 2, has effect.

(**1**) 2003 c. 39. Subsection (3A) was inserted by, and subsection (4) was amended by, paragraph 331(3) and (4) of Schedule 4 to the Constitutional Reform Act 2005 (c. 4). There are other amendments to section 64 not relevant to this instrument.

David Gauke
Lord Chancellor

31st January 2018

I concur

Ian Duncan Burnett
Lord Chief Justice

22nd January 2018

SCHEDULE Article 3

Consequential Amendments

PART 1

Amendments to Primary Legislation

4. In the Courts Act 1971(**2**), in the list in Part 1A of Schedule 2 (certain office-holders eligible for appointment as circuit judges), for "Registrar in Bankruptcy of the High Court" substitute "Insolvency and Companies Court Judge".

5. In the Judicial Pensions Act 1981(**3**), in the list in paragraph 1 of Schedule 1 (pensions of certain judicial office holders), for "Registrar in Bankruptcy of the High Court" substitute "Insolvency and Companies Court Judge".

6. In the Senior Courts Act 1981(**4**)—

(a) in the table in section 89(3C) (masters and registrars), in the right hand column, for "Registrar in bankruptcy of the High Court" substitute "Insolvency and Companies Court Judge", and

(b) in Schedule 2 (list of offices in Senior Courts for purposes of Part 4), in the table in Part 2, for "Registrar in Bankruptcy of the High Court" in the left hand column substitute "Insolvency and Companies Court Judge".

7. In the following provisions of the Insolvency Act 1986(**5**), for "a registrar in bankruptcy of the High Court" substitute "an insolvency and companies court judge"—

(a) section 375(2) (appeals etc from courts exercising insolvency jurisdiction);

(b) section 413(3)(c) (insolvency rules committee);

(c) paragraph 2 of Schedule 9 (provisions capable of inclusion in individual insolvency rules).

8. In the following provisions of the Courts and Legal Services Act 1990(**6**), for "Registrar in Bankruptcy of the High Court" substitute "Insolvency and Companies Court Judge"—

(a) section 76(1)(d) (judicial oaths);

(b) the list in Schedule 11 (judges etc. barred from legal practice).

9. In the following provisions of the Judicial Pensions and Retirement Act 1993(**7**), for "Registrar in Bankruptcy of the High Court" substitute "Insolvency and Companies Court Judge"—

(a) the list in Part 2 of Schedule 1 (qualifying office: judges);

(**2**) 1971 c. 23. The list was inserted by paragraph 31(2) of Schedule 10 to the Courts and Legal Services Act 1990 (c. 41) and has other amendments not relevant to this instrument.

(**3**) 1981 c. 20. The list was substituted by paragraph 2 of the relevant entry in Schedule 5 to the Senior Courts Act 1981, its title was amended by paragraph 25(4) of Schedule 11 to the Constitutional Reform Act 2005. There are other amendments not relevant to this instrument.

(**4**) The table in section 89(3C) was inserted by paragraph 3(4) of Schedule 3 to the Constitutional Reform Act 2005. The table in Schedule 2 was substituted by paragraph 13(3) of Schedule 10 to the Tribunals, Courts and Enforcement Act 2007. There are other amendments not relevant to this instrument.

(**5**) 1986 c. 45. Section 375(2) was amended by Part 3 of Schedule 15 to the Access to Justice Act 1999 (c. 22) and paragraph 52 of Schedule 9 to the Crime and Courts Act 2013. Section 413(3) was amended by paragraph 93(k) of Schedule 9 to the Crime and Courts Act 2013 and by paragraph 190(2) of Schedule 4 to the Constitutional Reform Act 2005. Paragraph 2 of Schedule 9 was amended by paragraph 93(l) of Schedule 9 to the Crime and Courts Act 2013.

(**6**) 1990 c. 41. Section 76(1) was amended by paragraph 4(3) of Schedule 11 to the Constitutional Reform Act 2005. The list in Schedule 11 was amended in ways not relevant to this instrument.

(**7**) 1993 c. 8. Both the lists in Schedule 1 and 5 are amended in ways not relevant to this instrument, paragraph 5(5)(i)(d) of Schedule 7 was amended by Paragraph 1(2) of Schedule 11(1) to the Constitutional Reform Act 2005.