



House of Commons

NOTICES OF AMENDMENTS

given up to and including

Tuesday 6 December 2016

New Amendments handed in are marked thus ★

☆ *Amendments which will comply with the required notice period at their next appearance*

CONSIDERATION OF BILL (REPORT STAGE)

SAVINGS (GOVERNMENT CONTRIBUTIONS) BILL

NOTE

This document includes all amendments tabled to date and includes any withdrawn amendments at the end. The amendments have been arranged in the order in which they relate to the Bill.

NEW CLAUSE

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To move the following Clause—

“Save as You Earn: employee request

- (1) The Secretary of State may, by regulation, make provision for a Save as You Earn scheme.
- (2) The scheme shall require employers to make deductions from wages if—
 - (a) the employee has requested to enrol on the Save as You Earn scheme;
 - (b) the deducted wages are paid into a Help-to-Save account; and
 - (c) the amount deducted does not exceed the maximum monthly amount as defined in paragraph 10(2) of Schedule 2 to this Act.”

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Mr Chancellor of the Exchequer

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Schedule 1, page 14, line 36, at end insert—

“PART 6

INFORMATION SHARING

Information sharing between HMRC and others

- 18 (1) Sub-paragraph (2) applies to information which—
- (a) is held as mentioned in section 18(1) of the Commissioners for Revenue and Customs Act 2005 (confidentiality),
 - (b) relates to withdrawals from a Lifetime ISA, and
 - (c) is relevant to whether an individual is eligible for a bonus under the Help to Buy: ISA Scheme.
- (2) Information to which this sub-paragraph applies may be disclosed to the Administrator for use for the purpose of establishing whether or not an individual is eligible for a bonus under the Help to Buy: ISA Scheme.
- (3) In this paragraph—
- “the Administrator” means the person who for the time being is the Administrator under the Scheme Rules (as from time to time amended or supplemented) of the Help to Buy: ISA Scheme, and
 - “the Help to Buy: ISA Scheme” means the scheme of that name—
 - (a) announced by the Treasury in March 2015,
 - (b) launched on 1 December 2015,
 - (c) for which Scheme Rules were published on that date by the Treasury, and
 - (d) which is governed by those Scheme Rules (as from time to time amended or supplemented),
- and paragraph 1(1) (meaning of “bonus”) does not apply for the purposes of this paragraph.
- (4) Information disclosed in reliance on sub-paragraph (2) may not be further disclosed to any other person without the authority of HMRC (which may be general or specific).
- (5) If revenue and customs information relating to a person is disclosed in contravention of sub-paragraph (4) and the identity of the person—
- (a) is specified in the disclosure, or
 - (b) can be deduced from it,
- section 19 of the Commissioners for Revenue and Customs Act 2005 (wrongful disclosure) applies in relation to the disclosure as it applies in relation to a disclosure of such information in contravention of section 20(9) of that Act.
- (6) In sub-paragraph (5) “revenue and customs information relating to a person” has the meaning given by section 19(2) of the Commissioners for Revenue and Customs Act 2005.
- (7) A person who holds any information may disclose that information to HMRC or an officer of Revenue and Customs if the disclosure is made for the purposes of the exercise of any of the functions of HMRC, or an officer of Revenue and Customs, under section 1 and this Schedule.

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- (8) This paragraph does not limit the circumstances in which information may be disclosed apart from this paragraph.”

Member’s explanatory statement

It is proposed that a saver buying their first home who has both a Lifetime ISA and a Help to Buy: ISA will get a government bonus from one only of those accounts if they withdraw money from both for their purchase. To enable the necessary cross-checking, this Amendment would allow HM Revenue and Customs (“HMRC”) to provide the Administrator of the Help to Buy: ISA Scheme with information about withdrawals from Lifetime ISAs. The Amendment would also allow anyone to provide HMRC with information for use by HMRC in carrying out their Lifetime ISA functions.

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Schedule 2, page 16, line 3, leave out “48” and insert “24”

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Mr Gavin Shuker
Mrs Louise Ellman

Schedule 2, page 17, line 36, at end insert—
“(d) a credit union.”

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ORDER OF THE HOUSE [17 OCTOBER 2016]

That the following provisions shall apply to the Savings (Government Contributions) Bill:

Committal

1. The Bill shall be committed to a Public Bill Committee.

Proceedings in Public Bill Committee

2. Proceedings in the Public Bill Committee shall (so far as not previously concluded) be brought to a conclusion on Tuesday 1 November 2016.
3. The Public Bill Committee shall have leave to sit twice on the first day on which it meets.

Proceedings on Consideration and up to and including Third Reading

4. Proceedings on Consideration and any proceedings in legislative grand committee shall (so far as not previously concluded) be brought to a conclusion one hour before the moment of interruption on the day on which proceedings on Consideration are commenced.
5. Proceedings on Third Reading shall (so far as not previously concluded) be brought to a conclusion at the moment of interruption on that day.
6. Standing Order No. 83B (Programming committees) shall not apply to proceedings on Consideration and up to and including Third Reading.

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Other proceedings

7. Any other proceedings on the Bill (including any proceedings on consideration of any message from the Lords) may be programmed.
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