



National Security Act 2023

2023 CHAPTER 32

PART 4

FOREIGN ACTIVITIES AND FOREIGN INFLUENCE REGISTRATION SCHEME

PROSPECTIVE

Supplementary

82 Annual report

- (1) The Secretary of State must, as soon as is practicable after the end of each relevant period—
 - (a) prepare a report in relation to that period, and
 - (b) lay a copy of the report before Parliament.
- (2) The report must provide details of—
 - (a) the total number of arrangements registered with the Secretary of State under [section 65](#) or [69](#),
 - (b) the number of arrangements registered with the Secretary of State under [section 65](#) or [69](#) during the relevant period,
 - (c) the total number of specified persons and foreign powers who have registered activities with the Secretary of State under [section 68](#) or [72](#),
 - (d) the number of specified persons and foreign powers who have registered activities with the Secretary of State under [section 68](#) or [72](#) during the relevant period,
 - (e) the number of information notices issued under [section 75](#) during the relevant period,
 - (f) the number of persons charged with an offence under [this Part](#) during the relevant period, and

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- (g) the number of persons convicted of an offence under [this Part](#) during the relevant period.
- (3) “Relevant period” means—
 - (a) the period of 12 months beginning with the day on which [this section](#) comes into force, and
 - (b) each subsequent period of 12 months.

Commencement Information

II S. 82 not in force at Royal Assent, see [s. 100\(1\)](#)

83 Interpretation

- (1) In this Part—
 - “foreign activity arrangement” has the meaning given by [section 65](#);
 - “foreign influence arrangement” has the meaning given by [section 69](#);
 - “foreign power” has the same meaning as in Part 1 (see [section 32](#)), subject to subsection (2);
 - “political influence activity” has the meaning given by [section 70](#);
 - “registered activity” means an activity registered with the Secretary of State under [section 68](#) or [72](#);
 - “registered arrangement” means an arrangement registered with the Secretary of State under [section 65](#) or [69](#);
 - “specified person” has the meaning given by [section 66](#).
- (2) For the purposes of this Part references in [section 32](#) to a foreign State, or a foreign country or territory, do not include the Republic of Ireland.
- (3) For the purposes of this Part references to an “arrangement” do not include an arrangement between a person (“P”) and—
 - (a) a person who holds office in or under, or is an employee or other member of staff of, P (acting in that capacity), or
 - (b) a person the Secretary of State reasonably considers to be exercising functions on behalf of P as if the person were within paragraph (a).

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