

# DIRECTORS, INSOLVENCY PRACTITIONERS AND THIRD PARTIES MUST TREAD CAREFULLY AS NEW PENSIONS OFFENCES LIE IN WAIT FOR THE UNWARY

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The Pension Schemes Act came into effect on 1 October 2021 introducing the possibility of criminal prosecution where the restructuring arrangements or corporate actions of directors, lenders, investors, advisers and other parties might affect the interests of a defined benefit pension scheme. The rules are broad.

In [this article](#) published in the International Corporate Rescue Journal, Samantha Brown, John Whiteoak, Phillip Lis and Tim Smith consider how this may impact the approach to restructurings, lending and other corporate activity; outline what the sanctions are and their intention; and, the reporting and other operational considerations.

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