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I, PETER BURKE, Minister for Enterprise, Trade and Employment, in exercise of the powers conferred on me by section 3 of the European Communities Act 1972 (No. 27 of 1972) and for the purpose of giving further effect to Directive (EU) 2022/2464 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 14 December 2022<sup>1</sup> amending Regulation (EU) No. 537/2014, Directive 2004/109/EC, Directive 2006/43/EC and Directive 2013/34/EU as regards corporate sustainability reporting, hereby make the following regulations:

- 1. These Regulations may be cited as the European Union (Corporate Sustainability Reporting) (No. 2) Regulations 2024.
- 2. In these Regulations, "Principal Act" means the Companies Act 2014 (No. 38 of 2014).
- 3. Section 1587 of the Principal Act is amended, in subsection (2), by the substitution of "Chapter 3, other than section 1607," for "Chapter 3".
- 4. Section 1594 of the Principal Act is amended by the substitution of the following for subsection (4):
  - "(4) This section shall not apply to an applicable company that
    - (a) falls within paragraph (a) of the definition of 'applicable company', and
    - (b) is a public-interest entity falling within paragraph (a) of the definition of 'public-interest entities'.".
- 5. Section 1598 of the Principal Act is amended by the substitution of the following for subsection (4):
  - "(4) This section shall not apply to an applicable holding company that is a public-interest entity falling within paragraph (a) of the definition of 'public-interest entities'."

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> OJ No. L 322, 16.12.2022, p. 15



GIVEN under my Official Seal, 1 October, 2024.

## PETER BURKE,

Minister for Enterprise, Trade and Employment.

### EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Instrument and does not purport to be a legal interpretation.)

These Regulations make amendments further to the European Union (Corporate Sustainability Reporting) Regulations 2024 S.I. No. 336/2024.

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