

**122ZJ. Committee-members' representatives**

- (1) A member of the creditors' committee may, in relation to the business of the committee, be represented by another person duly authorized by him for that purpose.
- (2) A person acting as a committee-member's representative must hold a letter of authority entitling him so to act (either generally or specially) and signed by or on behalf of the committee-member, and for this purpose any proxy in relation to any meeting of creditors of the bankrupt shall, unless it contains a statement to the contrary, be treated as such a letter of authority to act generally signed by or on behalf of the committee-member.
- (3) The chairman at any meeting of the committee may call on a person claiming to act as a committee-member's representative to produce his letter of authority, and may exclude him if it appears that his authority is deficient.
- (4) No member may be represented by a body corporate or by a person who is an undischarged bankrupt or is subject to a voluntary arrangement with his creditors.
- (5) No person shall—
  - (a) on the same committee, act at one and the same time as representative of more than one committee-member; or
  - (b) act both as a member of the committee and as representative of another member.
- (6) Where the representative of a committee-member signs any document on the latter's behalf, the fact that he so signs must be stated below his signature.
- (7) The acts of the committee are valid notwithstanding any defect in the appointment or qualifications of any committee-member's representative.

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