



# Local Government (Democracy) (Wales) Act 2013

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## PART 2

### LOCAL DEMOCRACY AND BOUNDARY COMMISSION FOR WALES

#### *Financial matters*

#### **16 Accounting officer**

- (1) The Welsh Ministers must designate a person to act as the Commission's accounting officer.
- (2) The accounting officer has, in relation to the Commission's accounts and finances, the responsibilities specified in a direction by the Welsh Ministers.
- (3) The responsibilities that may be specified include—
  - (a) responsibilities in relation to the signing of accounts;
  - (b) responsibilities for the propriety and regularity of the Commission's finances;
  - (c) responsibilities for the economy, efficiency and effectiveness with which the Commission uses its resources;
  - (d) responsibilities owed to the Welsh Ministers, the National Assembly for Wales or the Public Accounts Committee of the National Assembly;
  - (e) responsibilities owed to the House of Commons or the Committee of Public Accounts of that House.

**Changes to legislation:**

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Local Government (Democracy) (Wales) Act 2013, Section 16.