



# Legal Profession and Legal Aid (Scotland) Act 2007

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## PART 1

### THE SCOTTISH LEGAL COMPLAINTS COMMISSION

#### *Handling by relevant professional organisations of conduct complaints*

#### **26 Abolition of Scottish legal services ombudsman**

- (1) The office of the Scottish legal services ombudsman (“the ombudsman”) is abolished on such date as the Scottish Ministers may by order specify.
- (2) The Scottish Ministers may not make an order under subsection (1) unless the ombudsman has no exercisable functions.
- (3) The functions of the ombudsman cease to be exercisable except in relation to the advice, services and activities mentioned in section 77(2).