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# SCHEDULES

#### SCHEDULE 6

#### **INFORMATION**

#### PART 4

#### GENERAL PROVISIONS

## Limitations on powers

- 6 This Schedule does not authorise—
  - (a) a disclosure, in contravention of any provisions of the Data Protection Act 1998, of personal data which are not exempt from those provisions, or
  - (b) a disclosure which is prohibited by Part 1 of the Regulation of Investigatory Powers Act 2000.

# No breach of confidentiality etc

- 7 A disclosure of information which is authorised by this Schedule does not breach—
  - (a) an obligation of confidence owed by the person making the disclosure, or
  - (b) any other restriction on the disclosure of information (however imposed).

## Retention, copying and disposal of documents

- A person to whom a document is supplied under any provision of this Schedule may—
  - (a) retain the document;
  - (b) copy the document;
  - (c) dispose of the document in such manner as the person thinks appropriate.

### Saving for existing powers

- 9 This Schedule does not limit any other power under which—
  - (a) information may be disclosed, or
  - (b) documents may be supplied.

## Meaning of "registration official"

- 10 A "registration official" is any of the following—
  - (a) the Registrar General;
  - (b) a superintendent registrar;
  - (c) a registrar;

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- (d) a registration authority or a person exercising the functions of a registration authority;
- (e) a civil partnership registrar (within the meaning of Chapter 1 of Part 2 of the Civil Partnership Act 2004 see section 29 of that Act).