



2016 CHAPTER 4

PART 2

INVESTIGATIONS

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29.—(1) Before commencing an investigation under section 8, the Ombudsman must—

- (a) prepare an investigation proposal, and
 - (b) submit that proposal to any listed authority which it is proposed be investigated.
- (2) The investigation proposal must set out—
- (a) the reasons for the proposed investigation, and
 - (b) how the criteria referred to in section 9 have been met.