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SCHEDULE 1

SCOTTISH LOCAL GOVERNMENT ELECTIONS RULES
RULES FOR CONDUCT OF A SCOTTISH LOCAL GOVERNMENT ELECTION WHERE
THE POLL IS NOT TAKEN TOGETHER WITH THE POLL AT ANOTHER ELECTION

PART VI

FORMS FOR USE AT SCOTTISH LOCAL GOVERNMENT ELECTIONS

Form 11

Back of card

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LOCAL GOVERNMENT ELECTION

***This card is for information only. You can vote without it, but it will save time if you take it to the polling station and show it to the clerk there.**

* This poll card is to tell you that for this election you are appointed as proxy for:

*(Elector's name).....

*(Elector's address).....

*(Elector's number on register).....

* When you go to the polling station, tell the clerk that you wish to vote as proxy on behalf of the voter shown above.

The clerk will confirm the details on the register and give you a ballot paper. The method of voting as proxy is the same as for casting your own vote.

It is an offence to vote as proxy–

(a) for some other person if you know that that person is subject to a legal incapacity to vote e.g. if that person has been convicted and is detained in a penal institution in pursuance of the sentence;

(b) at this election for more than 2 persons of whom you are not the husband, wife, civil partner, parent, grandparent, brother, sister, child or grandchild.

The person who appointed you as proxy may vote in person at this election if he/she is able and wishes to do so, and if he/she votes before you vote as proxy.

*Where a poll card is sent to the proxy of an anonymous elector, substitute the following for the paragraphs marked with * above*

You must have this card with you when you vote as this elector's proxy. You cannot vote as proxy without it.

You are entitled to vote as proxy for the elector whose electoral number is shown below:

Electoral number of elector.....

To vote as proxy you must go to the polling station shown on the front of this card. Ask to speak to the presiding officer and show this card to the officer.

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