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SCHEDULES

SCHEDULE 1

PURCHASES BY MINISTERS

Modifications etc. (not altering text)

- C1** Sch. 1 restricted by 1975 c. 70, Sch. 4 para. 1(2)(a) (as substituted (1.4.2006) by [The Welsh Development Agency \(Transfer of Functions to the National Assembly for Wales and Abolition\) Order 2005 \(S.I. 2005/3226\)](#), arts. 1(2), 7, **Sch. 1 para. 33(1)** (with art. 3(1)))

Notices after making of order

- [^{F1}6 (1) After the order has been made, the Minister must—
- (a) serve a making notice, and a copy of the order as made, on each person on whom a notice was required to be served under paragraph 3, and
 - (b) affix a making notice to a conspicuous object or objects on or near the land comprised in the order.
- (2) The notice under sub-paragraph (1)(b) must—
- (a) be addressed to persons occupying or having an interest in the land;
 - (b) so far as practicable, be kept in place by the acquiring authority until the expiry of a period of six weeks beginning with the date when the order becomes operative.
- (3) The Minister must also publish a making notice—
- [in one or more local newspapers circulating in the locality in which the land
 - ^{F2}(a)] comprised in the order is situated [^{F3}, and
 - (b) on an appropriate website, until the end of the period of 6 weeks beginning with the day on which the Minister takes the final step needed to comply with sub-paragraph (1)(a).]
- (4) A making notice is a notice—
- (a) describing the land;
 - (b) stating that the order has been made;
 - (c) (except in the case of a notice under sub-paragraph (1)(a)) naming a place where a copy of the order as made and of the map referred to there may be inspected at all reasonable hours;
 - [specifying a website on which those copies may be viewed;]
 - ^{F4}(ca)
 - (d) that a person aggrieved by the order may apply to the High Court as mentioned in section 23.
 - [containing a prescribed statement about the effect of Parts 2 and 3 of the
 - ^{F5}(e) Compulsory Purchase (Vesting Declarations) Act 1981;

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- (f) inviting any person who would be entitled to claim compensation if a declaration were executed under section 4 of that Act to give the acquiring authority information about the person's name, address and interest in land, using a prescribed form.]

[If the appropriate authority is satisfied that, because of special circumstances, it is ^{F6}(4A) impracticable for the Minister to make the copies referred to in sub-paragraph (4)(c) available for inspection at an appropriate place, the appropriate authority may direct that the requirement in sub-paragraph (4)(c) is not to apply.]

- (5) A making notice must be in the prescribed form.

[The Minister must send the making notice to the Chief Land Registrar and it shall ^{F7}(6) be a local land charge.]]

Textual Amendments

- F1** Sch. 1 para. 6 substituted (6.8.2004 for specified purposes, 31.10.2004 in so far as not already in force) by [Planning and Compulsory Purchase Act 2004](#) (c. 5), **s. 101(5)** (with s. 101(6)); S.I. 2004/2097, art. 2; S.I. 2004/2593, art. 2(a)
- F2** Words in Sch. 1 para. 6(3) renumbered as Sch. 1 para. 6(3)(a) (31.1.2024 for specified purposes) by [Levelling-up and Regeneration Act 2023](#) (c. 55), s. 255(7), **Sch. 19 para. 1(6)(a)(i)** (with s. 247); S.I. 2024/92, reg. 2(r)
- F3** Sch. 1 para. 6(3)(b) and word inserted (31.1.2024 for specified purposes) by [Levelling-up and Regeneration Act 2023](#) (c. 55), s. 255(7), **Sch. 19 para. 1(6)(a)(ii)** (with s. 247); S.I. 2024/92, reg. 2(r)
- F4** Sch. 1 para. 6(4)(ca) inserted (31.1.2024 for specified purposes) by [Levelling-up and Regeneration Act 2023](#) (c. 55), s. 255(7), **Sch. 19 para. 1(6)(b)** (with s. 247); S.I. 2024/92, reg. 2(r)
- F5** Sch. 1 para. 6(4)(e)(f) inserted (1.10.2016 for specified purposes, 3.2.2017 for specified purposes, 6.4.2017 in so far as not already in force) by [Housing and Planning Act 2016](#) (c. 22), s. 216(3), **Sch. 15 para. 3(2)**; S.I. 2016/956, reg. 2(b)(ii); S.I. 2017/75, reg. 3(i); S.I. 2017/281, reg. 4(j)
- F6** Sch. 1 para. 6(4A) inserted (31.1.2024 for specified purposes) by [Levelling-up and Regeneration Act 2023](#) (c. 55), s. 255(7), **Sch. 19 para. 1(6)(c)** (with s. 247); S.I. 2024/92, reg. 2(r)
- F7** Sch. 1 para. 6(6) inserted (3.2.2017 for specified purposes, 6.4.2017 in so far as not already in force) by [Housing and Planning Act 2016](#) (c. 22), s. 216(3), **Sch. 15 para. 3(3)**; S.I. 2017/75, reg. 3(i) (with reg. 5); S.I. 2017/281, reg. 4(j)

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Changes and effects yet to be applied to the whole Act associated Parts and Chapters:

- Act applied by [2023 asc 3 s. 43\(2\)](#)
- Act applied by [2023 asc 3 s. 50\(13\)](#)
- Act applied by [2023 asc 3 s. 137\(6\)](#)

Whole provisions yet to be inserted into this Act (including any effects on those provisions):

- s. 7(4) inserted by [2023 c. 55 Sch. 18 para. 3\(2\)\(b\)](#)
- s. 13A(1A)-(1I) substituted for s. 13A(2)-(6) by [2023 c. 55 s. 182\(2\)](#)
- s. 13BA inserted by [2023 c. 55 s. 183\(2\)](#)
- s. 14A(2A) inserted by [2023 c. 55 s. 190\(1\)\(b\)](#)
- s. 15(4)(ba) inserted by [2023 c. 55 s. 183\(3\)\(c\)](#)
- s. 15(4B)-(4F) inserted by [2023 c. 55 s. 183\(3\)\(d\)](#)
- s. 15A and cross-heading inserted by [2023 c. 55 s. 190\(1\)\(c\)](#)
- s. 26(1A)-(3) substituted for s. 26(1)(2) by [2023 c. 55 Sch. 18 para. 3\(3\)](#)
- Sch. 1 para. 4AA inserted by [2023 c. 55 Sch. 19 para. 3\(2\)](#)
- Sch. 1 para. 6(4)(ba) inserted by [2023 c. 55 Sch. 19 para. 3\(3\)\(c\)](#)
- Sch. 1 para. 6(4B)-(4D) inserted by [2023 c. 55 Sch. 19 para. 3\(3\)\(d\)](#)
- Sch. 1 para. 4A(1A)-(1J) substituted for Sch. 1 para. 4A(2)-(8) by [2023 c. 55 Sch. 19 para. 2\(2\)](#)
- Sch. 2A inserted by [2023 c. 55 s. 190\(1\)\(d\)](#)