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## SCHEDULES

### SCHEDULE 2

#### ESTABLISHMENT, INCORPORATION AND CONSTITUTION OF BUILDING SOCIETIES

##### Modifications etc. (not altering text)

- C1 Sch. 2 modified (3.1.1995) by 1994 c. 40, ss. 17(3), 82(2)
- C1 Sch. 2 applied (with modifications) (7.4.2010) by The Building Societies (Financial Assistance) Order 2010 (S.I. 2010/1188), arts. 1(2), 8

### PART III

#### MEETINGS, RESOLUTIONS AND POSTAL BALLOTS

##### Modifications etc. (not altering text)

- C1 Sch. 2 Pt. III (paras. 20–36) excluded (*temp.*) by S.I. 1986/2168, art. 3(1)(2)
- C1 Sch. 2 Pt. III (paras. 20–36) modified by S.I. 1987/426, art. 4

##### *Right to demand a poll*

- 25 (1) Any provision contained in the rules of a building society shall be void in so far as it would have the effect either—
- (a) of excluding the right to demand a poll at a meeting of the society on any question other than the election of a chairman of the meeting or the adjournment of the meeting, or
  - (b) of making ineffective a demand for a poll on any such question which is made by not less than ten members having the right to vote at the meeting.
- (2) [<sup>F1</sup>Any appointment of] a proxy to vote at a meeting of a building society shall be taken also to confer authority to demand or join in demanding a poll; and for the purposes of sub-paragraph (1) above a demand by a person as proxy of a member shall be the same as the demand by the member.

##### Textual Amendments

- F1 Words in Sch. 2 para. 25(2) substituted (20.3.2003) by The Building Societies Act 1986 (Electronic Communications) Order 2003 (S.I. 2003/404), arts. 1(1), 29(5)

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

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

- s. 5(11)-(14) inserted by [2007 c. 26 s. 1\(2\)](#)
- s. 5(13)(a) substituted by [S.I. 2013/496 Sch. 8 para. 4\(4\)](#)
- s. 7(6A)-(6C) inserted by [2007 c. 26 s. 1\(1\)\(a\)](#)
- s. 7(8A) inserted by [2007 c. 26 s. 1\(1\)\(c\)](#)
- s. 176ZB excluded by [S.I. 2017/400 reg. 14](#)
- s. 246ZA-246ZC excluded by [S.I. 2017/400 reg. 15](#)
- s. 246ZD excluded by [S.I. 2017/400 reg. 16](#)