

## SCHEDULES

### SCHEDULE 9

#### CONSTITUTION AND PROCEEDINGS ETC. OF THE SCOTTISH WATER AND SEWERAGE CUSTOMERS COUNCIL.

##### *Membership*

- 3 The members of the Customers Council shall be not fewer than eight, nor more than twelve, persons appointed under this paragraph by the Secretary of State from persons who appear to him to have knowledge or experience relevant to the discharge of the functions of the Council but who are not members or employees of any of the new water and sewerage authorities; so however that he shall seek to ensure that the appointees include persons appropriate to represent, both as respects domestic and as respects non-domestic services, the interests of, respectively—
- (a) customers and potential customers such as are mentioned in section 65(2)(a)(ii) of this Act; and
  - (b) other customers and potential customers.
- 4 For the purposes of paragraph 3 above, services are domestic if provided to dwellings (“dwelling” having the same meaning as in Part II of the Local Government Finance Act 1992) and are otherwise non-domestic.
- 5 The Secretary of State shall appoint one of the members of the Customers Council to be its chairman and another of them to be its deputy chairman.
- 6 A member of the Customers Council shall hold and vacate office in accordance with the terms of the instrument appointing him and shall, on ceasing to hold office, be eligible for re-appointment; but his membership shall terminate forthwith on his becoming a member or employee of any of the new water and sewerage authorities.