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SCHEDULES

SCHEDULE 4

POWERS IN RELATION TO, AND FOR, STATUTORY UNDERTAKERS

Modifications etc. (not altering text)

- C1** Sch. 4 applied (with modifications) by 1999 c. 29, s. 333ZB(3)(4) (as inserted (15.1.2012) by [Localism Act 2011 \(c. 20\)](#), **ss. 187(3)**, 240(2); S.I. 2012/57, art. 4(1)(w) (with arts. 6, 7, 9-11))
- C1** Sch. 4 applied (with modifications) (15.1.2012) by [Localism Act 2011 \(c. 20\)](#), **ss. 208(4)(5)**, 240(1)(l)
- C1** Schs. 2-4 applied (with modifications) (17.3.2017) by [The Liverpool City Region Combined Authority \(Functions and Amendment\) Order 2017 \(S.I. 2017/430\)](#), arts. 1(2), 9(3), **Sch. 3 Pt. 2**
- C1** Schs. 2-4 applied (with modifications) (2.11.2018) by [The Newcastle Upon Tyne, North Tyneside and Northumberland Combined Authority \(Establishment and Functions\) Order 2018 \(S.I. 2018/1133\)](#), arts. 1, 14(5), **Sch. 3** (with art. 28)
- C1** Schs. 2-4 applied (with modifications) (28.7.2020) by [The Barnsley, Doncaster, Rotherham and Sheffield Combined Authority \(Functions and Amendment\) Order 2020 \(S.I. 2020/806\)](#), arts. 1, 10(5), **Sch. 2 Pt. 2**
- C1** Schs. 2-4 applied (with modifications) (30.1.2021) by [The West Yorkshire Combined Authority \(Election of Mayor and Functions\) Order 2021 \(S.I. 2021/112\)](#), arts. 1(2), **13(5)**, **Sch. 2 Pts. 1, 2**
- C1** Sch. 4: transfer of functions (3.5.2023) by [The Secretaries of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, for Science, Innovation and Technology, for Business and Trade, and for Culture, Media and Sport and the Transfer of Functions \(National Security and Investment Act 2021 etc\) Order 2023 \(S.I. 2023/424\)](#), arts. 1(2), **9(1)** (with art. 17)
- C1** Sch. 4 applied (with modifications) (20.12.2023) by [The York and North Yorkshire Combined Authority Order 2023 \(S.I. 2023/1432\)](#), arts. 1(2), 9(5), **Sch. 2 Pt. 2**
- C1** Schs. 2-4 applied (with modifications) (28.2.2024) by [The East Midlands Combined County Authority Regulations 2024 \(S.I. 2024/232\)](#), regs. 1(2), 10(5), **Sch. 2 Pt. 2**

PART 4

RELIEVING UNDERTAKERS OF OBLIGATIONS

Orders to relieve obligations

- 28 (1) The appropriate Minister may by order provide for statutory undertakers to be relieved (whether absolutely or so far as specified in the order) of the need to meet an obligation relating to the carrying on of their undertaking if conditions 1 and 2 are met.
- (2) Condition 1 is that the statutory undertakers have made representations on the subject to the appropriate Minister.
- (3) Condition 2 is that the appropriate Minister is satisfied that meeting some or all of the obligation has been made impracticable by any of the acts and events mentioned in sub-paragraph (4).

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- (4) The acts and events are—
- (a) the acquisition by the HCA under this Part of this Act of any land—
 - (i) in which an interest was held for the purpose of carrying on the undertaking concerned, or
 - (ii) which was used for that purpose, and
 - (b) the extinguishment of a right, or the imposition of any requirement, by virtue of Part 1 of this Schedule.

Commencement Information

II Sch. 4 para. 28 in force at 1.12.2008 by [S.I. 2008/3068](#), [art. 2\(1\)\(g\)](#) (with arts. 6-13)

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Changes and effects yet to be applied to :

- [Sch. 2-4 applied \(with modifications\) by S.I. 2024/402 art. 36\(4\)Sch. 4](#)

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. 14\(6A\) inserted by 2023 c. 55 s. 138](#)
- [s. 107\(2A\) inserted by 2023 c. 36 s. 3\(2\)\(c\)](#)
- [s. 107\(4A\)\(4B\) inserted by 2023 c. 36 s. 3\(2\)\(f\)](#)
- [s. 107\(6A\) inserted by 2023 c. 36 s. 3\(2\)\(i\)](#)
- [s. 115\(6A\) inserted by 2023 c. 36 s. 8\(d\)](#)
- [s. 117\(1A\) inserted by 2023 c. 36 s. 4\(3\)](#)
- [s. 117\(4A\) inserted by 2023 c. 36 s. 4\(5\)](#)
- [s. 126A-126D inserted by 2023 c. 36 s. 10\(2\)](#)
- [s. 146\(2B\) inserted by 2023 c. 36 s. 12\(3\)\(e\)](#)
- [s. 153\(1\)\(ba\) inserted by 2023 c. 36 s. 12\(6\)\(a\)](#)
- [s. 153\(1A\) inserted by 2023 c. 36 s. 12\(6\)\(b\)](#)
- [s. 154\(2\)\(ab\) inserted by 2023 c. 36 Sch. 1 para. 18](#)
- [s. 161A inserted by 2023 c. 36 s. 18\(2\)](#)
- [s. 163A applied \(with modifications by S.I. 2023/1311 reg. 9](#)
- [s. 163A inserted by 2023 c. 36 s. 17\(3\)](#)
- [s. 163B inserted by 2023 c. 36 s. 18\(3\)](#)
- [s. 169CA inserted by 2023 c. 36 s. 19\(4\)](#)
- [s. 169CB-169CD and cross-heading inserted by 2023 c. 36 s. 20\(2\)](#)
- [s. 169ZA inserted by 2023 c. 36 Sch. 5 para. 14](#)
- [s. 199\(9\) inserted by 2023 c. 36 s. 28\(2\)\(c\)](#)
- [s. 199A-199B inserted by 2023 c. 36 s. 28\(3\)](#)
- [s. 200\(4A\) inserted by 2023 c. 36 s. 28\(4\)\(d\)](#)
- [s. 201A inserted by 2023 c. 36 s. 29\(2\)](#)
- [s. 203A inserted by 2023 c. 36 s. 30\(4\)](#)
- [s. 215\(1A\) inserted by 2023 c. 36 s. 29\(3\)](#)
- [s. 218\(2\)\(e\) inserted by 2023 c. 36 Sch. 5 para. 26\(b\)](#)
- [s. 218A-218D and cross-heading inserted by 2023 c. 36 s. 31\(2\)](#)
- [s. 220\(11B\) inserted by 2023 c. 36 s. 10\(3\)](#)
- [s. 220\(11D\)\(11E\) inserted by 2023 c. 36 s. 31\(3\)](#)
- [s. 225A-225H and cross-heading inserted by 2023 c. 36 s. 32](#)
- [s. 227\(7B\) inserted by 2023 c. 36 s. 10\(4\)](#)
- [s. 227\(7D\)\(7E\) inserted by 2023 c. 36 s. 31\(4\)](#)
- [s. 237\(5\)\(6\) inserted by 2023 c. 36 s. 31\(5\)](#)
- [s. 247\(1\)\(c\) and word inserted by 2023 c. 36 s. 31\(6\)](#)
- [s. 247\(1\)\(ab\)\(ac\) inserted by 2023 c. 36 s. 10\(5\)](#)
- [s. 249\(1\)\(c\) and word inserted by 2023 c. 36 Sch. 3 para. 7\(b\)](#)
- [s. 251\(1\)\(c\) and word inserted by 2023 c. 36 s. 31\(7\)](#)
- [s. 251\(1\)\(ab\)\(ac\) inserted by 2023 c. 36 s. 10\(6\)](#)
- [s. 252\(2A\) inserted by 2023 c. 36 Sch. 3 para. 9\(b\)](#)
- [s. 252A\(2\)\(c\)\(d\) inserted by 2023 c. 36 s. 10\(7\)\(b\)](#)
- [s. 252A\(2\)\(e\) inserted by 2023 c. 36 Sch. 3 para. 10\(b\)](#)
- [s. 252A\(2\)\(f\) and word inserted by 2023 c. 36 s. 31\(8\)](#)
- [s. 253\(1\)\(c\) and word inserted by 2023 c. 36 Sch. 3 para. 11\(b\)](#)

- s. 255(1)(c) and word inserted by 2023 c. 36 Sch. 3 para. 12(b)
- s. 259(3A) inserted by 2023 c. 36 Sch. 3 para. 15(d)
- s. 266(9) inserted by 2023 c. 36 Sch. 3 para. 17(b)
- s. 269(1)(ba)(bb) inserted by 2023 c. 36 Sch. 3 para. 18(c)
- s. 269(1A) inserted by 2023 c. 36 Sch. 3 para. 18(d)