



# Public Bodies Act 2011

## 2011 CHAPTER 24

### PART 1

#### GENERAL ORDER-MAKING POWERS

##### *Powers of Ministers*

#### **1 Power to abolish**

- (1) A Minister may by order abolish a body or office specified in Schedule 1.
- (2) An order under subsection (1) may include provision transferring functions from the body or office being abolished to an eligible person.
- (3) In this Act, “eligible person” means—
  - (a) a Minister, the Scottish Ministers, a Northern Ireland department or the Welsh Ministers,
  - (b) any other person exercising public functions,
  - (c) a company limited by guarantee,
  - (d) a community interest company,
  - (e) a co-operative society,
  - (f) a community benefit society,
  - (g) a charitable incorporated organisation, or
  - (h) a body of trustees or other unincorporated body of persons.

**Changes to legislation:**

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Public Bodies Act 2011, Section 1.