

## SCHEDULES

### SCHEDULE 3

#### REGULATION OF EXPENDITURE

#### PART 6

##### FINAL PROVISIONS

##### *Power to alter certain financial limits*

- 24 (1) The Minister may by regulations amend any of the following provisions so as to substitute a different amount for the amount for the time being mentioned in the provision—
- (a) paragraph 2(1) (limit on petition expenditure for person other than an accredited campaigner);
  - (b) paragraph 3(1) (limit on petition expenditure for accredited campaigner);
  - (c) paragraph 6(9) (amount at or below which notional petition expense is to be disregarded);
  - (d) paragraph 9(2) (amount at or above which petition expense of accredited campaigner must be supported by invoice or receipt).
- (2) Before making regulations under this paragraph the Minister must consult the Electoral Commission.
- (3) Regulations under this paragraph are subject to affirmative resolution procedure.
- (4) Sub-paragraphs (2) and (3) do not apply where the Minister considers that the substitution is expedient in consequence of changes in the value of money.