

SCHEDULE 2

AMENDMENTS CONSEQUENTIAL UPON CHANGES TO THE FRANCHISE

Primary legislation

The Representation of the People Act 1985

7. For section 8(3) of the Representation of the People Act 1985⁽¹⁾, there shall be substituted:
- “(3) A person is not capable of being appointed to vote, or voting, as proxy at a parliamentary election—
- (a) if he is subject to any legal incapacity (age apart) to vote at that election as an elector, or
 - (b) if he is neither a Commonwealth citizen nor a citizen of the Republic of Ireland.
- (3A) A person is not capable of being appointed to vote, or voting, as proxy at a local government election—
- (a) if he is subject to any legal incapacity (age apart) to vote at that election as an elector, or
 - (b) if he is neither a Commonwealth citizen nor a citizen of the Republic of Ireland nor a relevant citizen of the Union.”.

⁽¹⁾ 1985 c. 50.