WELSH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2017 No. 544

The Town and Country Planning (Referred Applications and Appeals Procedure) (Wales) Regulations 2017

PART 8

Quashed decisions

Procedure following quashing of decision

- **50.**—(1) Where a decision of the Welsh Ministers or an appointed person on an appeal is quashed in proceedings before any court, the Welsh Ministers—
 - (a) must send to the persons who submitted written representations or who took part in the hearing or inquiry, a written statement of the matters in respect of which further representations are invited for the purposes of their further consideration of the appeal;
 - (b) must afford to those persons the opportunity of making written representations to them in respect of those matters; and
 - (c) may, as they think fit—
 - (i) cause the hearing or inquiry to be re-opened;
 - (ii) in the case of a hearing, cause an inquiry to be held instead (whether by the same or a different appointed person);
 - (iii) in the case of an inquiry, cause a hearing to be held instead (whether by the same or a different appointed person);
 - (iv) cause a hearing or inquiry to be held (where none was held previously); or
 - (v) determine the matter on the basis of written representations.
- (2) If the Welsh Ministers re-open the hearing or inquiry regulation 29 and regulation 42 apply as if the references to a hearing or inquiry are to a re-opened hearing or inquiry.
- (3) Those persons making representations must ensure that such representations are received by the Welsh Ministers within the period specified in the Welsh Ministers' statement under paragraph (1)(a).