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#### **SCHEDULE 4**

# NOTICE OF LOCAL AUTHORITY MEETINGS, ACCESS TO DOCUMENTS AND ATTENDANCE AT MEETINGS

#### PART 1

## NOTICE OF LOCAL AUTHORITY MEETINGS AND ACCESS TO DOCUMENTS

Publication of public notices given by local authorities

- 17 (1) Section 232 of the 1972 Act (public notices) is amended as follows.
  - (2) In subsection (1)—
    - (a) omit the "and" at the end of paragraph (a);
    - (b) after paragraph (b) insert "; and
      - (c) where the local authority is a local authority in Wales, by publishing it electronically."
  - (3) Omit subsection (1ZA).
  - (4) After subsection (2) insert—
    - "(3) The Welsh Ministers may by regulations make further or different provision about the manner of giving a public notice required to be given by a local authority in Wales.
    - (4) Regulations under subsection (3) may also make provision about the manner of giving a public notice required to be given by—
      - (a) a National Park authority for a National Park in Wales;
      - (b) a fire and rescue authority constituted by a scheme under section 2 of the Fire and Rescue Services Act 2004, or a scheme to which section 4 of that Act applies, for an area in Wales.
    - (5) Regulations under subsection (3) may—
      - (a) make different provision for different purposes;
      - (b) include supplementary, incidental, consequential, transitional, transitory or saving provision (including provision amending, modifying, repealing or revoking any enactment (including this Act and the Local Government and Elections (Wales) Act 2021)).
    - (6) A statutory instrument containing regulations under subsection (3) must not be made unless a draft of the instrument has been laid before and approved by resolution of Senedd Cymru."

#### **Commencement Information**

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- II Sch. 4 para. 17(4) in force at 21.1.2021, see s. 175(1)(c)
- I2 Sch. 4 para. 17(1)-(3) in force at 1.5.2021 by S.I. 2021/354, art. 2(c)
  - In Schedule 7 to the Environment Act 1995 (c. 25) (National Park authorities), in paragraph 17(2)(d) (application of provisions of the 1972 Act about service and

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authentication of documents to National Park authorities) for "to 234" substitute ", 232 (other than subsection (1)(c)), 233 and 234".

## **Commencement Information**

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I3 Sch. 4 para. 18 in force at 1.5.2021 by S.I. 2021/354, art. 2(c)

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