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## SCHEDULE 7 S CONDITIONS OF MEMBERSHIP ETC.

### *Required oaths*

- 11 (1) Each of the members of the Scottish Tribunals must take the required oaths in accordance with this paragraph.
- (2) A Vice-President of the Upper Tribunal is to take them in the presence of the President of Tribunals.
- (3) A Chamber President in the First-tier Tribunal is to take them in the presence of the President of Tribunals.
- (4) A Deputy Chamber President in the First-tier Tribunal is to take them in the presence of either the President of Tribunals or a Chamber President in the First-tier Tribunal.
- (5) An ordinary or legal member of the Upper Tribunal by virtue of appointment or transfer-in as such is to take them in the presence of either the President of Tribunals or a Vice-President of the Upper Tribunal.
- (6) An ordinary or legal member of the First-tier Tribunal by virtue of appointment or transfer-in as such is to take them in the presence of either the President of Tribunals or a Chamber President in the First-tier Tribunal.
- (7) If a member of the Scottish Tribunals has previously taken the required oaths in the circumstances mentioned in sub-paragraph (8), the previous taking of the oaths counts as if it were the taking of them in accordance with this paragraph.
- (8) The circumstances are—
- (a) in the case of a member who is transferred-in as such, in connection with the office from which the person is transferred-in,
  - (b) in the case of a member whose position changes within the Scottish Tribunals, in connection with appointment or transfer-in to the previous position.
- (9) In this paragraph, “the required oaths” means the oath of allegiance and the judicial oath as set out in the Promissory Oaths Act 1868.

#### **Commencement Information**

**II** [Sch. 7 para. 11](#) in force at 1.4.2015 by [S.S.I. 2015/116](#), [art. 2](#)

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