

SCHEDULE 3
REPORTS, ACCOUNTS AND OTHER DOCUMENTS

PART 4

HOUSING (SCOTLAND) ACT 1987: STATEMENT UNDER SECTION 33B

Referral of application for accommodation to another local authority: extension of deadline for Ministerial statement

- 4 (1) The Housing (Scotland) Act 1987 is amended by this paragraph.
- (2) In section 33B (statement on exercise of power to modify section 33)—
- (a) in subsection (1), for “12” substitute “18”,
 - (b) after subsection (1) insert—
 - “(1A) The Scottish Ministers may by regulations modify subsection (1) so as to extend the period mentioned in subsection (1).
 - (1B) But the power may not be exercised to extend the period—
 - (a) by more than 6 months, or
 - (b) more than once.”,
 - (c) after subsection (3) insert—
 - “(4) Regulations under subsection (1A) are subject to the affirmative procedure.”.