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## SCHEDULE 2 SCOTTISH PUBS CODE ADJUDICATOR

#### PART 1

#### STATUS AND LIABILITY

## Legal personality

The adjudicator is, as such, to be regarded as a juristic person distinct from the person holding the office.

## Exclusion of Crown Status

- 2 (1) The adjudicator—
  - (a) is not a servant or agent of the Crown, and
  - (b) does not enjoy any status, immunity or privilege of the Crown.
  - (2) Individuals working as the adjudicator's staff are not, on that account, to be regarded as civil servants.

# Exemption from liability for damages

- 3 (1) The following are exempt from liability in damages for any act or omission in the exercise (or purported exercise) of their functions—
  - (a) the adjudicator,
  - (b) persons working as the adjudicator's staff.
  - (2) Sub-paragraph (1) does not exempt a person from liability for doing, or not doing, something that is shown to have been done, or as the case may be not done, in bad faith.
  - (3) Sub-paragraph (1) does not prevent an award of damages being made in respect of an act or omission on the ground that it was unlawful as a result of section 6(1) of the Human Rights Act 1998.