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SCHEDULES

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PROCEDURE ETC.

PART I

ORDERS AND DECISIONS UNDER SECTIONS 3, 4 AND 6

Notice of proposal

- 2 (1) The [F1lead enforcement authority] shall give to the person affected a notice informing him of the proposal and of the [F2lead enforcement authority's] reason for it; but paragraph 1(2) above shall not apply for the purposes of this sub-paragraph.
- (2) In the case of a proposal to make an order, the notice under sub-paragraph (1) above shall inform the person affected of the substance of the proposed order and, in the case of a proposal to make an order under section 3 of this Act, shall—
- (a) set out those matters falling within subsection (1) of that section which the [F3lead enforcement authority] intends should be specified as the grounds for the order, and
 - (b) specify any other matters of which the [F3lead enforcement authority] has taken account under subsection (2) of that section, and
 - (c) if the [F3lead enforcement authority] proposes to rely on section 4(3) of this Act to establish the unfitness of the person affected, state that fact.
- (3) The notice given under sub-paragraph (1) above shall invite the person affected, within such period of not less than twenty-one days as may be specified in the notice—
- (a) to submit to the [F4lead enforcement authority] his representations in writing as to why the order should not be made or, as the case may be, should be varied or revoked in accordance with the application, and
 - (b) to give notice to the [F4lead enforcement authority], if he thinks fit, that he wishes to make such representations orally,
- and where notice is given under paragraph (b) above the [F4lead enforcement authority] shall arrange for the oral representations to be heard.

Textual Amendments

- F1** Words in Sch. 2 para. 2(1) substituted (31.3.2014) by [The Public Bodies \(Abolition of the National Consumer Council and Transfer of the Office of Fair Trading's Functions in relation to Estate Agents etc\) Order 2014 \(S.I. 2014/631\)](#), art. 1(5), Sch. 2 para. 1(13)(a)(iv)(**aa**) (with Sch. 1 para. 28, 2 paras. 13-15)

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- F2** Words in Sch. 2 para. 2(1) substituted (31.3.2014) by [The Public Bodies \(Abolition of the National Consumer Council and Transfer of the Office of Fair Trading’s Functions in relation to Estate Agents etc\) Order 2014 \(S.I. 2014/631\)](#), art. 1(5), Sch. 2 para. 1(13)(a)(iv)(**bb**) (with Sch. 1 para. 28, 2 paras. 13-15)
- F3** Words in Sch. 2 para. 2(2) substituted (31.3.2014) by [The Public Bodies \(Abolition of the National Consumer Council and Transfer of the Office of Fair Trading’s Functions in relation to Estate Agents etc\) Order 2014 \(S.I. 2014/631\)](#), art. 1(5), Sch. 2 para. 1(13)(a)(v)(**aa**) (with Sch. 1 para. 28, 2 paras. 13-15)
- F4** Words in Sch. 2 para. 2(3) substituted (31.3.2014) by [The Public Bodies \(Abolition of the National Consumer Council and Transfer of the Office of Fair Trading’s Functions in relation to Estate Agents etc\) Order 2014 \(S.I. 2014/631\)](#), art. 1(5), Sch. 2 para. 1(13)(a)(v)(**aa**) (with Sch. 1 para. 28, 2 paras. 13-15)

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Changes and effects yet to be applied to the whole Act associated Parts and Chapters:

Whole provisions yet to be inserted into this Act (including any effects on those provisions):

- s. 21A inserted by [2007 c. 17 s. 54\(1\)](#)