

# Local Government (Wales) Measure 2011

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### PART 9

#### COLLABORATION AND AMALGAMATION

## **CHAPTER 2**

## **AMALGAMATION**

## 163 Electoral matters

- (1) The provision that may be made in an amalgamation order includes (but is not limited to) provision for or in respect of any of the following matters—
  - (a) the total number of members of any local authority ("councillors");
  - (b) the number and boundaries of electoral areas for the purposes of the election of councillors;
  - (c) the number of councillors to be returned by any electoral area;
  - (d) the name of any electoral area;
  - (e) the election of councillors for any electoral areas;
  - (f) the cancellation of elections of councillors for any electoral area;
  - (g) the election of community councillors for any community;
  - (h) the cancellation of community council elections;
  - (i) the election of a mayor of a local authority;
  - (j) the appointment by the Welsh Ministers of members of an existing local authority to be members of a shadow authority for a shadow period;
  - (k) the appointment for a shadow period of an executive of the shadow authority;
  - (l) the functions of a shadow authority, and the discharge of those functions, during a shadow period.