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## SCHEDULES

### SCHEDULE 1

#### THE AUTHORITY: SUPPLEMENTARY PROVISIONS

##### *Tenure of office*

- [<sup>F1</sup>5B (1) This paragraph applies where the Secretary of State decides to suspend a member under paragraph 5A.
- (2) The Secretary of State must give notice to the member of the decision and the suspension takes effect on receipt by the member of the notice.
- (3) A notice under subsection (2) is treated as being received by the member—
- (a) in a case where it is delivered in person or left at the member's proper address, at the time at which it is delivered or left;
  - (b) in a case where it is sent by post to the member at that address, on the third day after the day on which it was posted.
- (4) The initial period of suspension must not exceed 6 months.
- (5) The Secretary of State may review the member's suspension at any time.
- (6) The Secretary of State must review the member's suspension if requested in writing by the member to do so, but need not carry out a review less than 3 months after the beginning of the initial period of suspension.
- (7) Following a review the Secretary of State may—
- (a) revoke the suspension, or
  - (b) suspend the member for another period of not more than 6 months from the expiry of the current period.
- (8) The Secretary of State must revoke the suspension if at any time—
- (a) he decides that neither of the conditions mentioned in paragraph 5(5) is satisfied, or
  - (b) he decides that either of those conditions is satisfied but does not remove the member from office as chairman, deputy chairman or other member of the Authority.]

#### Textual Amendments

- F1** Sch. 1 paras. 5A, 5B inserted (19.1.2010) by [Health Act 2009 \(c. 21\)](#), s. 40(1), [Sch. 3 para. 3\(3\)](#) (with [Sch. 3 para. 19](#)); [S.I. 2010/30](#), art. 2(d)

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