

## SCHEDULES

### SCHEDULE 3

#### THE LEGAL SERVICES OMBUDSMAN

##### *Provision for discharge of functions*

- 1 (1) The Lord Chancellor may give general directions concerning the discharge of the functions of the Legal Services Ombudsman.
- (2) Any such directions shall be published by the Lord Chancellor in such manner as appears to him to be appropriate.
- (3) Subject to any such direction and to the provisions of this Act, the Ombudsman may make such provision as he considers appropriate for the discharge of his functions.
- (4) The Ombudsman may, in particular, make provision as to—
- (a) the procedure to be followed in relation to any investigation conducted by him or on his behalf;
  - (b) the form and conduct of any such investigation;
  - (c) the form, content and publication of reports under section 23.