

SCHEDULES

SCHEDULE 1

MINOR AND CONSEQUENTIAL AMENDMENTS

Housing Act 1996 (c. 52)

- 17 In section 204 (right of appeal to county court)—
- (a) after subsection (2) there is inserted—
 - “(2A) The court may give permission for an appeal to be brought after the end of the period allowed by subsection (2), but only if it is satisfied—
 - (a) where permission is sought before the end of that period, that there is a good reason for the applicant to be unable to bring the appeal in time; or
 - (b) where permission is sought after that time, that there was a good reason for the applicant’s failure to bring the appeal in time and for any delay in applying for permission.”; and
 - (b) in subsection (4), for “, they may continue to” there is substituted “, or had the power under section 195(8) to do so, they may”.