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## SCHEDULES

### SCHEDULE A1 **E+W**

#### [<sup>F1</sup>HOSPITAL AND CARE HOME RESIDENTS: DEPRIVATION OF LIBERTY]

##### Textual Amendments

- F1** Sch. A1 omitted (16.5.2019 for specified purposes) by virtue of [Mental Capacity \(Amendment\) Act 2019](#) (c. 18), s. 6(3), [Sch. 2 para. 2\(c\)](#)

### [<sup>F1</sup>PART 11 **E+W**

#### IMCAs

##### *Section 39A IMCA: restriction of functions*

- 161 (1) This paragraph applies if—
- (a) there is a section 39A IMCA, and
  - (b) a person is appointed under Part 10 to be the relevant person's representative (whether or not that person, or any person subsequently appointed, is currently the relevant person's representative).
- (2) The duties imposed on, and the powers exercisable by, the section 39A IMCA do not apply.
- (3) The duties imposed on, and the powers exercisable by, any other person do not apply, so far as they fall to be performed or exercised towards the section 39A IMCA.
- (4) But sub-paragraph (2) does not apply to any power of challenge exercisable by the section 39A IMCA.
- (5) And sub-paragraph (3) does not apply to any duty or power of any other person so far as it relates to any power of challenge exercisable by the section 39A IMCA.
- (6) Before exercising any power of challenge, the section 39A IMCA must take the views of the relevant person's representative into account.
- (7) A power of challenge is a power to make an application to the court to exercise its jurisdiction under section 21A in connection with the giving of the standard authorisation.]

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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. 58(4)(ca) inserted by [2023 c. 42 Sch. para. 10](#)
- Sch. 1 para. 4A inserted by [2023 c. 42 Sch. para. 3](#)
- Sch. 1 para. 10A and cross-heading inserted by [2023 c. 42 Sch. para. 6](#)
- Sch. 1 para. 13A inserted by [2023 c. 42 Sch. para. 7\(2\)](#)
- Sch. 1 para. 16(1A) inserted by [2023 c. 42 Sch. para. 8\(b\)](#)