

# Legal Services Act 2007

## **2007 CHAPTER 29**

#### PART 6

### LEGAL COMPLAINTS

Jurisdiction and operation of the ombudsman scheme

#### 134 Delegation of an ombudsman's functions

- (1) An ombudsman may delegate to a member of the OLC's staff appointed under paragraph 13 of Schedule 15—
  - (a) any function of the ombudsman in relation to the making, investigation or consideration of a complaint;
  - (b) any other function conferred on the ombudsman by or by virtue of this Part.
- (2) Nothing in subsection (1) applies to the following functions—
  - (a) the function of determining a complaint;
  - (b) the function of deciding that a complaint should be dismissed by virtue of rules under section 133(3)(a);
  - (c) the Chief Ombudsman's power to consent to the appointment of an assistant ombudsman under section 122;
  - (d) the duties imposed on the Chief Ombudsman by section 123 (Chief Ombudsman's report).

#### **Commencement Information**

II S. 134 in force at 6.10.2010 by S.I. 2010/2089, art. 2(a)

# **Changes to legislation:**

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Legal Services Act 2007, Section 134.