

SCHEDULES

SCHEDULE 3

FURTHER PROVISION ABOUT THE FUNCTIONS OF THE BIG LOTTERY FUND

PART 1

STRATEGIC PLANS

Strategic plans for Wales

- 2 (1) If the Welsh Ministers instruct it to do so, the Big Lottery Fund shall—
- (a) prepare and adopt a strategic plan for Wales,
 - (b) review and modify any such plan that it has adopted, or
 - (c) replace any such plan that it has adopted by preparing and adopting another.
- (2) In this paragraph “strategic plan for Wales” means a statement containing the Fund’s policies for the distribution of dormant account money for meeting Welsh expenditure.
- (3) A strategic plan for Wales must include—
- (a) a statement of any directions under section 22 given to the Fund by the Welsh Ministers;
 - (b) a statement of the Fund’s assessment of the needs in Wales that the Fund has power to deal with, in whole or in part, by distributing dormant account money;
 - (c) a statement of the Fund’s priorities in dealing with those needs by the distribution of dormant account money.
- (4) A strategic plan for Wales must be such as to demonstrate how the Fund is complying with any directions to which sub-paragraph (3)(a) applies.
- (5) Before adopting a strategic plan for Wales, the Fund shall—
- (a) consult such other bodies as it thinks fit for the purpose of identifying the needs mentioned in sub-paragraph (3)(b) and formulating the policies to be adopted for dealing with those needs;
 - (b) prepare a draft of the proposed plan;
 - (c) send a copy of the draft to the Welsh Ministers;
 - (d) after consultation with the Welsh Ministers, make such modifications to the draft as it considers necessary or expedient.
- (6) Where the Fund adopts a strategic plan for Wales—
- (a) the Fund shall send copies of the document containing the plan to the Welsh Ministers;

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- (b) the Welsh Ministers shall lay a copy of the document before the National Assembly for Wales.