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# SCHEDULES

#### SCHEDULE 21

#### REASONABLE ADJUSTMENTS: SUPPLEMENTARY

## Binding obligations, etc.

- 2 (1) This paragraph applies if—
  - (a) a binding obligation requires A to obtain the consent of another person to an alteration of premises which A occupies,
  - (b) where A is a controller of let premises, a binding obligation requires A to obtain the consent of another person to a variation of a term of the tenancy, or
  - (c) where A is a responsible person in relation to common parts, a binding obligation requires A to obtain the consent of another person to an alteration of the common parts.
  - (2) For the purpose of discharging a duty to make reasonable adjustments—
    - (a) it is always reasonable for A to have to take steps to obtain the consent, but
    - (b) it is never reasonable for A to have to make the alteration before the consent is obtained.
  - (3) In this Schedule, a binding obligation is a legally binding obligation in relation to premises, however arising; but the reference to a binding obligation in subparagraph (1)(a) or (c) does not include a reference to an obligation imposed by a tenancy.
  - (4) The steps referred to in sub-paragraph (2)(a) do not include applying to a court or tribunal.

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