

## SCHEDULES

### SCHEDULE 26

#### AMENDMENTS

##### *Local Government Act 1988*

- 2 In section 17 (local and other public authority contracts: exclusion of non-commercial considerations)—
- (a) omit subsection (9), and
  - (b) after that subsection insert—
    - “(10) This section does not prevent a public authority to which it applies from exercising any function regulated by this section with reference to a non-commercial matter to the extent that the authority considers it necessary or expedient to do so to enable or facilitate compliance with—
      - (a) the duty imposed on it by section 149 of the Equality Act 2010 (public sector equality duty), or
      - (b) any duty imposed on it by regulations under section 153 or 154 of that Act (powers to impose specific duties).”