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## SCHEDULES

PROSPECTIVE

### SCHEDULE 8

#### VOTING AND CANDIDACY RIGHTS OF EU CITIZENS

##### PART 2

#### AMENDMENTS IN RELATION TO CERTAIN LOCAL ELECTIONS IN ENGLAND AND WALES

##### *Police Reform and Social Responsibility Act 2011*

- 6 (1) The Police Reform and Social Responsibility Act 2011 is amended as follows.
- (2) In section 51(6C)(a) (election to fill vacancy in office of commissioner), for the words from “disqualified” to “Union” substitute “—
- (i) disqualified as a peer from voting as an elector at parliamentary elections, or
  - (ii) a qualifying EU citizen, or an EU citizen with retained rights, who has attained the age of 18”.
- (3) In section 52(1C)(a) (persons entitled to vote), for the words from “disqualified” to the end substitute “—
- (i) disqualified as a peer from voting as an elector at parliamentary elections, or
  - (ii) a qualifying EU citizen, or an EU citizen with retained rights, who has attained the age of 18,”.
- (4) In section 64(1C)(a) (disqualification from election as police and crime commissioner), for “relevant citizen of the Union” substitute “qualifying EU citizen or an EU citizen with retained rights”.
- (5) In section 68 (citizenship condition)—
- (a) in subsection (2)(c), for “citizen of the Union” substitute “qualifying EU citizen or an EU citizen with retained rights”;
  - (b) omit subsection (5).
- (6) In section 102(1) (interpretation)—
- (a) omit the definition of “relevant citizen of the Union”;
  - (b) at the appropriate place insert—  
““qualifying EU citizen” and “EU citizen with retained rights” have the same meaning as in the Representation of the People Act 1983 (see sections [203A](#) and [203B](#) of that Act);”.

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