#### **SCHEDULE**

### REASONABLE STEPS

## PART 1

## ASCERTAINING VIEWS BY MEANS OF CONSULTATION

# Relevant persons represented by prescribed organisations treated as having the same view as the organisation

- 2.—(1) Subject to sub-paragraph (2), where a board—
  - (a) has consulted a prescribed organisation in relation to levy proposals; and
- (b) that organisation has formed a view as to whether the proposals are necessary, the board may treat relevant persons represented by that organisation as having the same view about the proposals as the organisation.
- (2) Sub-paragraph (1) does not apply where a prescribed organisation consulted by a board has not taken reasonably practicable steps to ascertain the views of relevant persons that it represents prior to forming its view on the levy proposals.