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## SCHEDULE 1

### INCORPORATION OF WALES AUDIT OFFICE

#### PART 8

##### OTHER MATTERS

###### *Delegation of functions*

- 32 (1) The WAO may delegate any of its functions to—
- (a) any of its members, employees or committees, or
  - (b) a person who provides services to the WAO.
- (2) A committee may delegate functions (including functions delegated to it) to a sub-committee.
- (3) The delegation of a function does not prevent the WAO or the committee (as the case may be) from carrying out the function itself.
- (4) The delegation of a function does not affect the WAO's or the committee's responsibility for the function (as the case may be).
- (5) Functions under the following provisions may not be delegated—
- (a) section 20(1)(a) (estimating the income and expenses of the WAO for each financial year);
  - (b) section 25(1) (preparing an annual plan for each financial year with the Auditor General);
  - (c) paragraph 27 of Part 7 of this Schedule (making rules for the purpose of regulating the WAO's procedure);
  - (d) paragraph 34(2) of Part 8 of this Schedule (recommending a person to audit the accounts of the WAO, etc);
  - (e) paragraph 3 of Part 2 of Schedule 2 (jointly preparing a report or an interim report each financial year on the exercise of the functions of the Auditor General and the WAO);
  - (f) paragraph 5 of Part 3 of Schedule 2 (designating another person to temporarily exercise the functions of the Auditor General).

#### **Commencement Information**

- I1** Sch. 1 para. 32 in force at 4.7.2013 for specified purposes by S.I. 2013/1466, art. 2(u)(xviii)
- I2** Sch. 1 para. 32 in force at 1.4.2014 in so far as not already in force by S.I. 2013/1466, art. 3(1)

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