

# Public Audit (Wales) Act 2013

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### PART 1

#### AUDITOR GENERAL FOR WALES

# **CHAPTER 1**

# THE OFFICE OF AUDITOR GENERAL FOR WALES

# 3 Resignation or removal

- (1) A person appointed as Auditor General holds office until the end of the period for which the person was appointed (subject to subsections (2) and (3)).
- (2) Her Majesty may relieve a person from office as Auditor General before the end of the period for which the person was appointed—
  - (a) at the person's request, or
  - (b) on Her Majesty being satisfied that the person is incapable for medical reasons of performing the duties of the office and of requesting to be relieved of it.
- (3) Her Majesty may remove a person from office as Auditor General before the end of the period for which the person was appointed on the making of a recommendation, on the ground of the person's misbehaviour, that Her Majesty should do so.
- (4) A recommendation for the removal of a person from office as Auditor General may not be made unless—
  - (a) the National Assembly has resolved that the recommendation should be made, and
  - (b) the resolution of the Assembly is passed on a vote in which the number of Assembly members voting in favour is not less than two-thirds of the total number of Assembly seats.