## SCHEDULE 2

## Application of provisions of the 2000 Act with modifications

## Section 60(5)

- 2. Section 60(5) of the 2000 Act (Conduct of investigations) applies as if—
  - (a) for "An ethical standards officer who" there is substituted "Where the Public Services Ombudsman for Wales";
  - (b) for "section 59" there is substituted "section 69, the Public Services Ombudsman for Wales";
  - (c) for paragraph (a), there is substituted—
    - "(a) must disclose the nature of the interest to—
      - (i) where section 69(1)(a) applies—
        - (a) the person by whom the allegation is made; and
        - (b) the member or co-opted member (or former member or co-opted member) against whom the allegation is made;
      - (ii) where section 69(1)(b) applies, the member or co-opted member (or former member or co-opted member) concerned; and
      - (iii) the relevant authority concerned;";
  - (d) in paragraph (b), for the full stop, substitute "; and"; and
  - (e) after paragraph (b) insert—
    - "(c) may authorise any person to conduct such an investigation in relation to that matter (to the extent so authorised) under paragraph 13 of Schedule 1 to the Public Services Ombudsman (Wales) Act 2005."