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## SCHEDULE 1 THE SCOTTISH LEGAL COMPLAINTS COMMISSION

### *Procedure*

- 10 (1) Subject to sub-paragraph (2)—
- (a) any quorum of the Commission as contained in rules made under section 32(1) must consist of a greater number of non-lawyer members than lawyer members;
  - (b) the chairing member must, if present, chair meetings of the Commission or any committee of the Commission;
  - (c) if the chairing member is not available to be present at a meeting of the Commission or any committee of the Commission, the chairing member is to appoint another non-lawyer member to chair the meeting or committee;
  - (d) the chairing member has a casting vote; and any person appointed by that member under sub-sub-paragraph (c) has a casting vote for the purposes of that appointment;
  - (e) the validity of any proceedings of the Commission, or any of its committees, is not affected by a vacancy in membership nor by any defect in the appointment of a member.
- (2) Sub-paragraph (1) does not apply to a determination committee established under paragraph 11(1)(a).

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**Changes and effects yet to be applied to the whole Act associated Parts and Chapters:**

Whole provisions yet to be inserted into this Act (including any effects on those provisions):

- Sch. 1 para. 2(6)(ba) inserted by [2010 asp 16 s. 118\(4\)](#)