## COMMONHOLD AND LEASEHOLD REFORM ACT 2002

## **EXPLANATORY NOTES**

## **SCHEDULES**

Schedule 12: Leasehold Valuation Tribunals: Procedure (Section 174)

## Costs

417. Paragraph 10 is a new provision which enables a LVT to determine that a party shall pay costs incurred by another party where an application by that party has been dismissed on the grounds set out in paragraph 7 or where that party has acted unreasonably during the proceedings. The costs shall not exceed £500, or such higher amount as may be specified by regulations. A draft of any such regulations must be laid before, and approved by resolution of, each House (Section 178).