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SCHEDULES

SCHEDULE 4

JOINT NATURE CONSERVATION COMMITTEE

Membership

- 1 (1) The joint committee is to consist of 14 members—
- (a) a chairman appointed by the Secretary of State;
 - (b) 5 members appointed by the Secretary of State;
 - (c) the chairman or deputy chairman of each of the GB conservation bodies and one other member of each of those bodies appointed by the body in question;
 - (d) the chairman of the Council for Nature Conservation and the Countryside and one other member of the Council appointed by the relevant Northern Ireland department.
- (2) The joint committee may appoint a member to be deputy chairman.

Commencement Information

I1 Sch. 4 para. 1 in force at 1.10.2006 by S.I. 2006/2541, art. 2 (with Sch.)

- 2 The members appointed by the Secretary of State must not be members of the UK conservation bodies.

Commencement Information

I2 Sch. 4 para. 2 in force at 1.10.2006 by S.I. 2006/2541, art. 2 (with Sch.)

- 3 (1) The members appointed by the Secretary of State must be persons appearing to the Secretary of State to have experience in or scientific knowledge of nature conservation.
- (2) Before appointing any members under paragraph 1(1), the Secretary of State must consult the National Assembly for Wales, the Scottish Ministers and the relevant Northern Ireland department.
- (3) Before appointing members under paragraph 1(1)(b), the Secretary of State must consult—
- (a) the chairman, and
 - (b) such persons having scientific knowledge of nature conservation as the Secretary of State thinks appropriate.

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I3 Sch. 4 para. 3 in force at 1.10.2006 by S.I. 2006/2541, art. 2 (with Sch.)

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