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SCHEDULES

SCHEDULE 16

THE LAW SOCIETY, SOLICITORS, RECOGNISED BODIES AND FOREIGN LAWYERS

PART 1

THE SOLICITORS ACT 1974 (C. 47)

- 54 (1) Section 56 (orders as to remuneration for non-contentious business) is amended as follows.
- (2) In subsection (1)—
- (a) in paragraph (a) for “Secretary of State” substitute “ Lord Chancellor ”,
 - (b) after paragraph (d) insert—
“(da) a member of the Legal Services Board nominated by that Board;”, and
 - (c) in paragraph (e) for “Secretary of State” substitute “ Lord Chancellor ”.
- (3) In subsection (2) for “(the Secretary of State” to “think fit” substitute “ (the Lord Chancellor being one), may make general orders prescribing the general principles to be applied when determining ”.
- (4) In subsection (3)—
- (a) for “Secretary of State” substitute “ Lord Chancellor ”, and
 - (b) for “Council” (in both places) substitute “ Society ”.
- (5) In subsection (4) for “An order” to the end of paragraph (a) substitute— “ The principles prescribed by an order under this section may provide that solicitors should be remunerated— ”.
- (6) In subsection (5)—
- (a) for “An order” to “reference” substitute— “ The general principles prescribed by an order under this section may provide that the amount of such remuneration is to be determined by having regard ”, and
 - (b) in paragraph (d) after “solicitor” insert “ , or any employee of his who is an authorised person, ”.
- (7) After that subsection insert—
- “(5A) In subsection (5) “authorised person” means a person who is an authorised person in relation to an activity which is a reserved legal activity, within the meaning of the Legal Services Act 2007 (see section 18 of that Act).”
- (8) In subsection (6)(a) for “taxation” substitute “ assessment ”.
- (9) In subsection (7)—
- (a) for “taxation” substitute “ assessment ”, and

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(b) for “regulated by” substitute “ subject to ”.

Commencement Information

- II** Sch. 16 para. 54(1)(4)(b) in force for certain purposes at 7.3.2008 by [S.I. 2008/222](#), **art. 2(j)(i)**; Sch. 16 para. 54(2)(a)(c)(3)(4)(a)(5)(6)(a)(9)(b) in force at 30.6.2008 by [S.I. 2008/1436](#), **art. 2(d)(i)**; Sch. 16 para. 54(6)(b)(7) in force at 31.3.2009 by [S.I. 2009/503](#), **art. 2(b)(i)** (subject to [art. 4](#)); Sch. 16 para. 54(2)(b) in force at 1.7.2009 by [S.I. 2009/1365](#), **art. 2(a)(i)**; Sch. 16 para. 54(8)(9)(a) in force at 1.1.2010 by [S.I. 2009/3250](#), **art. 2(f)(ii)**

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