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SCHEDULES

SCHEDULE 16

THE LAW SOCIETY, SOLICITORS, RECOGNISED BODIES AND FOREIGN LAWYERS

PART 2

THE ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE ACT 1985 (C. 61)

- 96 In paragraph 9 of that Schedule (restriction on employment of person struck off roll or suspended)—
 - (a) the existing provision becomes sub-paragraph (1) and in that sub-paragraph after "recognised body" insert " (and any manager or employee of it)", and
 - (b) after that sub-paragraph insert—
 - "(2) No recognised body (or manager or employee of such a body) may, except in accordance with a written permission granted by the Society under this paragraph, permit a person to whom subparagraph (3) applies to—
 - (a) be a manager of the body, or
 - (b) have an interest in the body;

and for this purpose a person has an interest in the body if he has an interest in the body within the meaning of Part 5 of the Legal Services Act 2007 (see sections 72 and 109 of that Act).

- (3) This sub-paragraph applies to a person who to the knowledge of the recognised body (or, as the case may be, the manager or employee) is a person—
 - (a) who is disqualified from practising as a solicitor by reason of one of the facts mentioned in section 41(1)(a), (b) or (c) of the 1974 Act (name struck off the roll, suspension etc), or
 - (b) in respect of whom there is a direction in force under section 47(2)(g) of that Act (prohibition on restoration to roll).
- (4) Permission granted for the purposes of sub-paragraph (2) may be granted for such period and subject to such conditions as the Society thinks fit.
- (5) A person aggrieved by the refusal of the Society to grant permission under sub-paragraph (4), or by any conditions attached by the Society to the grant of any such permission may appeal to the High Court which may—
 - (a) confirm the refusal or the conditions, as the case may be, or

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- (b) grant a permission under this paragraph for such period and subject to such conditions as it thinks fit.
- (6) In relation to an appeal under sub-paragraph (5) the High Court may make such order as it thinks fit as to payment of costs.
- (7) The decision of the High Court on an appeal under subparagraph (5) is final."

Commencement Information

I1 Sch. 16 para. 96 in force at 31.3.2009 by S.I. 2009/503, art. 2(b)(ii)

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