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## SCHEDULES

## SCHEDULE 3

AMENDMENTS TO THE JUSTICE (NORTHERN IRELAND) ACT 2002

- 6 (1) Amend section 7 as follows.
  - (2) In subsection (2) for "First Minister and deputy First Minister, acting jointly" substitute "Lord Chief Justice".
  - (3) In subsection (3) for "First Minister and deputy First Minister" substitute "Lord Chief Justice".
  - (4) In subsection (4) for "them" substitute "the Lord Chief Justice".
  - (5) Omit subsection (5).
  - (6) After subsection (6) insert—
    - "(6A) If the Lord Chief Justice does not remove or suspend a person ("P") in accordance with a recommendation as mentioned in subsection (3) or (4), the Lord Chief Justice must notify the following of the Lord Chief Justice's reasons for not removing or suspending P—
      - (a) P;
      - (b) the tribunal;
      - (c) if the tribunal was convened by the Northern Ireland Judicial Appointments Ombudsman, the Ombudsman."
  - (7) In subsection (7)—
    - (a) for "(6)" substitute " (6A) ";
    - (b) for "section 12B" substitute "section 12C";
    - (c) omit "(inserted by section 6 of this Act)".

## **Commencement Information**

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