

## SCHEDULE 2

### Fitness to practise proceedings

**Modifications etc. (not altering text)**

- C1** Sch. 2 applied (with modifications) (2.12.2019) by [The Children and Social Work Act 2017 \(Transitional and Savings Provisions\)](#) ([Social Workers](#)) [Regulations 2019](#) (S.I. 2019/1140), regs. 1, **16**; S.I. 2019/1436, reg. 2(b)

## PART 2

### Investigation

#### Notifying the social worker and the complainant

- 4.—(1) The investigators must—
- (a) notify the social worker of the grounds for investigating whether their fitness to practise is impaired,
  - (b) require the social worker to provide details of—
    - (i) any person by whom they are, or have been, employed to provide services as a social worker or in relation to social work,
    - (ii) any person with whom they have, or had, an arrangement to provide services as a social worker or in relation to social work, and
    - (iii) any regulatory body with which they are registered, and
  - (c) invite the social worker to make written submissions.
- (2) Where the fitness to practise proceedings were instigated following a complaint against the social worker, the investigators may—
- (a) provide the complainant with a copy of any written submissions made by the social worker, and
  - (b) invite the complainant to make written submissions in response.

**Changes to legislation:**

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the The Social Workers Regulations 2018, Paragraph 4.