



# Welfare Funds (Scotland) Act 2015

## 2015 asp 5

*Further review by Scottish Public Services Ombudsman*

### **11 Notice of decision and publication of report**

- (1) After conducting a review in pursuance of an application under section 7(2), the Ombudsman—
  - (a) must notify the applicant for assistance and the local authority concerned of the Ombudsman's decision, and
  - (b) may publish a report of the review.
- (2) Apart from identifying the local authority concerned, a report of a review must not—
  - (a) mention the name of any person, or
  - (b) contain any particulars which, in the Ombudsman's opinion, are likely to identify any person and can be omitted without impairing the effectiveness of the report.