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## SCHEDULES

### SCHEDULE 4

#### SOCIAL SECURITY COMMISSIONERS

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

- C1** Sch. 4 applied (with modifications) by [Pension Schemes Act 1993 \(c. 48\), s. 170\(7\)](#) (as substituted (14.6.1999 for specified purposes) by [Social Security Contributions \(Transfer of Functions, etc.\) Act 1999 \(c. 2\), ss. 16\(2\), 28\(3\)](#) (with Sch. 8); S.I. 1999/1662, art 2, Sch. (with art. 4))

##### *Appointment*

- 1 (1) Her Majesty may from time to time appoint, from among persons who have a 10 year general qualification or advocates or solicitors in Scotland of at least 10 years' standing—
- (a) a Chief Social Security Commissioner; and
  - (b) such number of other Social Security Commissioners as Her Majesty thinks fit.
- (2) If the Lord Chancellor considers that, in order to facilitate the disposal of the business of Social Security Commissioners, he should make an appointment in pursuance of this sub-paragraph, he may appoint—
- (a) a person who has a 10 year general qualification; or
  - (b) an advocate or solicitor in Scotland of at least 10 years' standing; or
  - (c) a member of the bar of Northern Ireland or solicitor of the Supreme Court of Northern Ireland of at least 10 years' standing,
- to be a Social Security Commissioner (but to be known as a deputy Commissioner) for such period or on such occasions as the Lord Chancellor thinks fit.
- (3) In this paragraph “10 year general qualification” shall be construed in accordance with section 71 of the Courts and Legal Services Act 1990.

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