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# SCHEDULES

## SCHEDULE 2

#### THE SEM COMMITTEE

### Membership

1.—(1) The SEM Committee shall consist of—

- (a) not more than 3 persons ("Authority members") appointed by the Department after consultation with the Authority;
- (b) not more than 3 persons ("CER members") appointed by the Department with the approval of the Irish Minister; and
- (c) a person ("the independent member") appointed by the Department with the approval of the Irish Minister and after consultation with the Authority.
- (2) An Authority member must be a member of, or a member of the staff of, the Authority.
- (3) A CER member must be a member of CER.
- [<sup>F1</sup>(3A) A person appointed as a member of the SEM Committee shall not—
  - (a) carry out any activity or have any financial or other interest that might compromise or might reasonably be seen to compromise that person's impartiality; <sup>F2</sup>...
  - (b) seek or take any instructions from any person or body that might compromise or might reasonably be seen to compromise the independence of that person as a member of the SEM Committee[<sup>F3</sup>;or]

[ disclose information which is subject to a duty of confidentiality either while holding  $F^4(c)$  office or after holding office.]]

(4) The Department may, with the approval of the Irish Minister and after consultation with the Authority, appoint a person ("the deputy independent member") who—

- (a) may attend and take part in meetings of the SEM Committee; but
- (b) may not vote on any matter except in the absence of the independent member.

(5) [<sup>F5</sup>Sub-paragraph (3A) and paragraphs 2, 3 and 4] apply in relation to the deputy independent member as they apply in relation to the independent member.

#### **Textual Amendments**

- F1 Sch. 2 para. 1(3A) inserted (12.4.2013) by The Gas and Electricity (Internal Markets) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2013 (S.R. 2013/92), regs. 1, 7
- F2 Word in Sch. 2 para. 1(3A) omitted (31.12.2020) by virtue of The Electricity (Internal Markets) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2020 (S.R. 2020/307), regs. 1, 34(a)(i)
- **F3** Word in Sch. 2 para. 1(3A)(b) substituted (31.12.2020) by The Electricity (Internal Markets) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2020 (S.R. 2020/307), regs. 1, **34(a)(ii)**
- F4 Sch. 2 para. 1(3A)(c) added (31.12.2020) by The Electricity (Internal Markets) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2020 (S.R. 2020/307), regs. 1, **34(a)(ii)**

**F5** Words in Sch. 2 para. 1(5) substituted (12.4.2013) by The Gas and Electricity (Internal Markets) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2013 (S.R. 2013/92), regs. 1, 8

**Changes to legislation:** There are currently no known outstanding effects for the The Electricity (Single Wholesale Market) (Northern Ireland) Order 2007, Paragraph 1.