#### SCHEDULE 1

# SCOTTISH LOCAL GOVERNMENT ELECTIONS RULES RULES FOR CONDUCT OF A SCOTTISH LOCAL GOVERNMENT ELECTION WHERE THE POLL IS NOT TAKEN TOGETHER WITH THE POLL AT ANOTHER ELECTION

# PART II

# STAGES COMMON TO CONTESTED AND UNCONTESTED ELECTIONS

### Notice of election

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- **3.**—(1) The returning officer shall publish notice of the election in the form set out in Form 1, or a form to the like effect, stating—
  - (a) the place and times at which nomination papers are to be delivered;
  - (b) that forms of such nomination papers may be obtained at that place and at those times; and
  - (c) the date of the poll in the event of a contest.
  - (2) The notice of election shall state the day by which-
    - (a) applications to vote by post or by proxy; and
- (b) other applications and notices about postal or proxy voting, must reach the electoral registration officer in order that they may be effective for the election.