

SCHEDULE 2

PROVISIONS FOR APPOINTMENT OF PARISH MEMBERS OF THE BOARD

PART II

APPOINTMENT OF PARISH MEMBERS OF THE BOARD TO FILL A VACANCY

Contested elections: counting of votes, equality of votes and recording the result

24.—(1) Paragraphs 11 to 13 (counting of votes, equality of votes and recording the result) shall apply to an appointment of a parish member of the Board under this Part as it applies to an appointment of a parish member under Part I but with the references to the Countryside Agency being construed as references to the Board.

- (2) As soon as the result of the poll has been ascertained, the chief officer of the Board shall—
- (a) as respects an election to which paragraph 16(1) applies, record the candidate with the most number of votes to be elected; and
 - (b) as respects an election to which paragraph 16(2) applies, record the two candidates with the most number of votes to be elected.