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**2004 No.**

**The Local Authorities (Indemnities for  
Members and Officers) Order 2004**

**Cases in which an indemnity may be provided**

**5.** Subject to article 6 below, an indemnity may be provided in relation to any action of, or failure to act by, the member or officer in question, which—

- (a) is authorised by the authority; or
- (b) forms part of, or arises from, any powers conferred, or duties placed, upon that member or officer, as a consequence of any function being exercised by that member or officer (whether or not when exercising that function he does so in his capacity as a member or officer of the authority)—
  - (i) at the request of, or with the approval of the authority, or
  - (ii) for the purposes of the authority.