

## SCHEDULE 4

### Combination of polls – amendment of secondary legislation

#### **European Parliamentary Elections Regulations 2004**

- 1.—(1) The European Parliamentary Elections Regulations 2004<sup>(1)</sup> are amended as follows.
- (2) In regulation 2(1) (interpretation) after the definition of “the City” insert—  
““combined authority mayoral election” means an election of a mayor for a combined authority under Part 6 of the Local Democracy, Economic Development and Construction Act 2009;”
- (3) In regulation 11 (combination of polls) after paragraph (b) insert—  
“(c) the poll at a combined authority mayoral election in accordance with the Combined Authorities (Mayoral Elections) Order 2017;”
- (4) In rule 23(4) and (5) of Schedule 1 (European Parliamentary Election Rules) after paragraph (b) in each place insert “or (c) the poll at a combined authority mayoral election in accordance with the Combined Authorities (Mayoral Elections) Order 2017”.
- (5) In paragraph 17(9) of Schedule 2 (absent voting) at the end insert “or under the Combined Authorities (Mayoral Elections) Order 2017”.
- (6) In paragraph 40(1) of Schedule 2 (interpretation of Part 4 of that Schedule), in the definition of “relevant election or referendum”, after paragraph (ca) insert—  
“(cb) a combined authority mayoral election;”.
- (7) In paragraph 41 of Schedule 2 after sub-paragraph (b) insert—  
“(c) the poll at a combined authority mayoral election in accordance with the Combined Authority (Mayoral Elections) Order 2017.”.
- (8) In paragraph 2(1) of Schedule 3 (definitions for the purposes of modifications of the European Parliamentary elections rules set out in Schedule 1 to the European Parliamentary Elections Regulations 2004)—
  - (a) before the definition of “police and crime commissioner” insert—  
““combined authority mayoral election” means an election of a mayor for a combined authority under Part 6 of the Local Democracy, Economic Development and Construction Act 2009;”
  - (b) in the definition of “relevant election or referendum”, after paragraph (c) insert—  
“(ca) a combined authority mayoral election;”.

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(1) [S.I. 2004/293](#). Relevant amendments were made by [S.I. 2009/186](#).