



# Planning (Listed Buildings and Conservation Areas) Act 1990

## CHAPTER 9

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- 1 Subject to paragraph 2, every building which immediately before 1st...
- 2 (1) The Secretary of State may at any time direct,...
- 3 In the case of a building to which paragraph 1...

#### SCHEDULE 1A — Lapse of Interim Protection

- 1 This Schedule applies where interim protection ceases to have effect...
- 2 The fact that the interim protection has ceased to have...
- 3 Any proceedings on or arising out of an application for...
- 4 (1) Any listed building enforcement notice served by the local...
- 5 Any temporary stop notice served by the local planning authority...

#### SCHEDULE 1B — Decisions on Reviews by Person Appointed by Welsh Ministers

##### *Decisions on reviews by appointed persons*

- 1 (1) The Welsh Ministers may by regulations prescribe the classes...

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*Powers and duties of appointed person*

- 2 (1) An appointed person has the same powers and duties...

*Appointment of another person to make a decision on a review*

- 3 (1) At any time before an appointed person has made...

*Local inquiries, hearings and written representations*

- 4 (1) An appointed person may appoint an assessor to provide...

*Directions*

- 5 (1) The Welsh Ministers may direct that anything that would...

*Delegation*

- 6 (1) An appointed person may delegate to another person anything...

*Supplementary provision*

- 7 Where an appointed person is a member of the staff...

SCHEDULE 2 — Lapse of Building Preservation Notices

- 1 This Schedule applies where a building preservation notice ceases to...  
2 The fact that the notice has ceased to be in...  
3 Any proceedings on or arising out of an application for...  
4 (1) Any listed building enforcement notice served by the local...  
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*Preparation*

- 1 (1) A local listed building consent order must be prepared...

*Revision*

- 2 (1) The local planning authority may at any time prepare...

*Order to be adopted*

- 3 A local listed building consent order is of no effect...

*Annual report*

- 4 (1) While a local listed building consent order is in...

SCHEDULE 3 — Determination of Certain Appeals by Person Appointed by Secretary of State

*Determination of appeals by appointed person*

- 1 (1) The Secretary of State may by regulations prescribe the...

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*Powers and duties of appointed person*

- 2 (1) An appointed person shall have the same powers and...

*Determination of appeals by Secretary of State*

- 3 (1) The Secretary of State may, if he thinks fit, ...  
4 (1) The Secretary of State may by a further direction...

*Appointment of another person to determine appeal*

- 5 (1) At any time before the appointed person has determined...

*Local inquiries and hearings*

- 6 (1) Whether or not the parties to an appeal have...  
6A (1) If the Secretary of State is considering giving a...

*Supplementary provisions*

- 7 (1) The Tribunals and Inquiries Act 1992 shall apply to...

*Local inquiries: Wales*

- 8 (1) This paragraph applies in relation to a local inquiry...

SCHEDULE 4 — Further Provisions as to exercise of functions by different authorities

- 1 (1) Subsection (3) of section 1 of the principal Act...  
2 Subject to sections . . . 4A, 6, 7, 8...  
3 Where an application for listed building consent under section 10...  
4 (1) Subject to sections . . ., 6, 7, 8...  
5 For the purposes of sections 3 and 4, 7 to...  
6 The validity of any consent or determination granted or made...  
7 (1) The Secretary of State may from time to time...



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