



# National Lottery etc. Act 1993

## CHAPTER 39

### NATIONAL LOTTERY ETC. ACT 1993

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2 .....

*The Betting, Gaming, Lotteries and Amusements  
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3 (1) In Article 2(3) of the Betting, Gaming, Lotteries and...

##### SCHEDULE 2 —

*Tenure of office*

1 (1) Subject to the following provisions of this paragraph, a...

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*Remuneration etc.*

- 2 (1) The Director General shall be paid such remuneration and...

*Staff*

- 3 The Director General may appoint such staff as he may...  
4 Anything authorised or required by or under any enactment to...

*Finance*

- 5 There shall be paid out of money provided by Parliament—...

*Evidence*

- 6 A document purporting to be duly executed under the seal...

*The Parliamentary Commissioner*

- 7 In the Parliamentary Commissioner Act 1967, in Schedule 2  
(departments...

*The Council on Tribunals*

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*Parliamentary disqualification*

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- 1 (1) The Commission shall not be regarded as the servant...

*Membership*

- 2 (1) The Commission shall consist of at least five members,...

*Tenure of office*

- 3 (1) Members shall hold and vacate office in accordance with...

*Chairman*

- 4 (1) The Secretary of State shall appoint a member of...

*Remuneration and allowances*

- 5 (1) The Commission may pay such remuneration, and such travelling...

*Staff*

- 6 (1) There shall be a Chief Executive of the Commission, ...  
6A (1) The Secretary of State may appoint the Chief Executive...

*Proceedings*

- 7 (1) The Commission may regulate their own procedure and that...

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### *Delegation*

- 8 (1) Anything authorised or required by or under any enactment...

### *Duty to give reasons for decisions*

- 9 (1) It shall be the duty of the Commission to...

### *Finance*

- 10 There shall be paid out of money provided by Parliament...

### *Accounts*

- 11 (1) The Commission shall— (a) keep proper accounts and proper...

### *Application of seal and evidence*

- 12 The application of the seal of the Commission shall be...  
13 A document purporting to be duly executed under the seal...  
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- 6 (1) Where the Director General proposes to revoke a licence,...

#### *Suspension of licence*

- 7 (1) The Director General may suspend a licence as from...

#### *Decision by the Director General*

- 8 (1) The Secretary of State may make regulations as to...  
9 (1) If any written representations against the revocation of a...

#### *Appeals to the Secretary of State*

- 10 REVOCATION OF LICENCES

#### *Appeals*

- 11 (1) Where the Director General decides under paragraph 9 to...

#### Schedule 3A — Joint schemes: supplementary provisions

#### *Interpretation*

- 1 In this Schedule “ year ” means any period of...

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*Authorisation or approval by Secretary of State*

- 2 (1) Where the maximum amount of money which could be...

*Contents of authorisations and approvals*

- 3 An order under paragraph 2(1) or an approval under paragraph...

*Effect of increasing annual limit on schemes authorised by order*

- 4 Where— (a) a joint scheme is authorised by an order...

*Powers*

- 5 (1) The powers conferred by section 25A may, in particular,...

*Modification*

- 6 (1) A joint scheme may be modified by the bodies...

*Termination*

- 7 (1) If, in the case of a joint scheme authorised...

*Orders under s.29(1): participant ceasing to be distributing body*

- 8 (1) This paragraph applies in any case where an order...

*Authorisation to continue payments despite occurrence of certain events*

- 9 (1) This paragraph applies in any case where—

SCHEDULE 4 — AMENDMENT OF THE NATIONAL HERITAGE ACT 1980  
(C.17)

- 1 In section 1(2) (constitution of the Trustees of the National...  
2 In section 2 (payments into the National Heritage Memorial Fund)...  
3 AMENDMENT OF THE NATIONAL HERITAGE ACT 1980 (C.17)  
4 AMENDMENT OF THE NATIONAL HERITAGE ACT 1980 (C.17)  
5 In section 6(2) (investment of sums paid into the National...  
6 In section 17 (expenses and receipts) after “and” there shall...  
7 In paragraph 5(1) of Schedule 1 (expenses of Trustees to...

SCHEDULE 4A — THE BIG LOTTERY FUND  
Part 1 — CONSTITUTION

*Membership*

- 1 (1) The Big Lottery Fund shall consist of between 9...

*Tenure*

- 2 A person shall hold and vacate office as Chairman or...  
3 The Chairman or another member may resign his office by...  
4 (1) The Chairman or another member may be removed from...  
5 A person who ceases, otherwise than by virtue of paragraph...

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### *Staff*

- 6 The Fund may appoint staff (subject to any directions under...

### *Committees*

- 7 (1) The Fund shall establish— (a) a committee, chaired by...  
8 Nothing in paragraph 7 or section 25A(6) shall prevent the...  
9 Section 25A(7) shall apply in relation to any committee of...

### *Status*

- 10 The Fund shall not be regarded as the servant or...

### *Supervision*

- 11 In Schedule 2 to the Parliamentary Commissioner Act 1967 (c....

### *Disqualification*

- 12 In Part III of Schedule 1 to the House of...  
13 In Part III of Schedule 1 to the Northern Ireland...  
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- 14 The Fund may, subject to this Schedule, regulate its procedure...

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- 15 In Schedule 1 to the Public Records Act 1958 (definition...

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- 16 The validity of proceedings of the Fund or a committee...  
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### *Remuneration, &c.*

- 17 (1) The Fund may pay to the Chairman, another member...  
18 (1) The Fund may (subject to any directions under section...

### *Payments*

- 19 The Fund may make payments in respect of expenditure (which...

### *Investment*

- 20 (1) The Fund may deposit money in an interest-bearing account...

### *Accounts*

- 21 (1) The Fund shall— (a) keep proper accounting records relating...

## SCHEDULE 5 — THE NATIONAL LOTTERY CHARITIES BOARD

### *Membership*

- 1 THE NATIONAL LOTTERY CHARITIES BOARD



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*Committees*

2 THE NATIONAL LOTTERY CHARITIES BOARD

*Tenure of office*

3 THE NATIONAL LOTTERY CHARITIES BOARD

*Remuneration and allowances*

4 THE NATIONAL LOTTERY CHARITIES BOARD

*Staff*

5 THE NATIONAL LOTTERY CHARITIES BOARD

*Proceedings*

6 THE NATIONAL LOTTERY CHARITIES BOARD

*Application of seal and evidence*

7 THE NATIONAL LOTTERY CHARITIES BOARD

8 THE NATIONAL LOTTERY CHARITIES BOARD

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9 THE NATIONAL LOTTERY CHARITIES BOARD

*Status of the Board*

10 THE NATIONAL LOTTERY CHARITIES BOARD

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11 THE NATIONAL LOTTERY CHARITIES BOARD

*Exemption from register of charities*

12 THE NATIONAL LOTTERY CHARITIES BOARD

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1 THE MILLENNIUM COMMISSION

2 THE MILLENNIUM COMMISSION

*Tenure of office*

3 THE MILLENNIUM COMMISSION

4 THE MILLENNIUM COMMISSION

5 THE MILLENNIUM COMMISSION

*Allowances*

6 THE MILLENNIUM COMMISSION

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*Staff*

7 THE MILLENNIUM COMMISSION

*Proceedings*

8 THE MILLENNIUM COMMISSION

*Application of seal and evidence*

9 THE MILLENNIUM COMMISSION

10 THE MILLENNIUM COMMISSION

*Finance*

11 THE MILLENNIUM COMMISSION

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12 THE MILLENNIUM COMMISSION

13 THE MILLENNIUM COMMISSION

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1 The New Opportunities Fund

*Committees*

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3 The New Opportunities Fund

*Remuneration and allowances*

4 The New Opportunities Fund

*Staff*

5 The New Opportunities Fund

*Proceedings*

6 The New Opportunities Fund

*Application of seal and evidence*

7 The New Opportunities Fund

8 The New Opportunities Fund

*Status of New Opportunities Fund*

9 The New Opportunities Fund

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*Application to Scotland*

11 The New Opportunities Fund

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- 2 .....
- 3 .....
- 4 .....
- 5 .....
- 6 .....
- 7 .....
- 8 .....
- 9 .....

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- 1 REGISTRATION OF SCHEMES: AMENDMENT OF SCHEDULE 2 TO THE 1976 ACT
- 2 REGISTRATION OF SCHEMES: AMENDMENT OF SCHEDULE 2 TO THE 1976 ACT
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