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# SCHEDULES

## **SCHEDULE 4**

#### LEAVE FOR FAMILY REASONS ETC

## PART III

#### CONSEQUENTIAL AMENDMENTS

Employment Rights Act 1996 (c. 18)

8 After section 47B (protection from detriment: disclosures) insert—

# "47C Leave for family and domestic reasons.

- (1) An employee has the right not to be subjected to any detriment by any act, or any deliberate failure to act, by his employer done for a prescribed reason.
- (2) A prescribed reason is one which is prescribed by regulations made by the Secretary of State and which relates to—
  - (a) pregnancy, childbirth or maternity,
  - (b) ordinary, compulsory or additional maternity leave,
  - (c) parental leave, or
  - (d) time off under section 57A.
- (3) A reason prescribed under this section in relation to parental leave may relate to action which an employee takes, agrees to take or refuses to take under or in respect of a collective or workforce agreement.
- (4) Regulations under this section may make different provision for different cases or circumstances."

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