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45. *Section 4*, which introduces *Schedule 4*, amends Schedule 4A of the 1993 Act which provides a process by which the conclusions of an access charges review by the ORR are taken forward. Schedule 4 of the Act also establishes the process for the prior stage of conducting the review. This includes in particular how the Secretary of State and the Scottish Ministers make inputs at various stages of the review.