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## SCHEDULES

### SCHEDULE 16 E+W

#### POLICE REFORM: MINOR AND CONSEQUENTIAL AMENDMENTS

#### PART 3 E+W

##### OTHER ENACTMENTS

##### *Police Reform Act 2002*

- 291 In section 29 (interpretation of Part 2), in subsection (1)—
- (a) in the definition of “appropriate authority”—
    - (i) in paragraph (a)(i), for “a senior officer, the police authority” substitute “ the chief officer or an acting chief officer, the local policing body ”;
    - (ii) in paragraph (a)(ii), for “a senior officer” substitute “ the chief officer or an acting chief officer ”;
    - (iii) in paragraph (b)(i), for “a senior officer, the police authority” substitute “ the chief officer or an acting chief officer, the local policing body ”;
    - (iv) in paragraph (b)(ii), for “a senior officer” substitute “ the chief officer or an acting chief officer ”;
    - (v) after paragraph (b)(ii) insert— “ and, for the purposes of this definition, “acting chief officer” means a person exercising or performing functions of a chief constable in accordance with section 41 of the Police Reform and Social Responsibility Act 2011; a person exercising powers or duties of the Commissioner of Police of the Metropolis in accordance with section 44 or 45(4) of that Act; or a person exercising duties of the Commissioner of Police for the City of London in accordance with section 25 of the City of London Police Act 1839; ”;
  - (b) in the definition of “relevant force”, for paragraph (a) substitute—
    - “(a) if that authority is a local policing body, the police force which the body is responsible for maintaining; and”;
  - (c) omit the definition of “senior officer”.

#### Commencement Information

- I1** Sch. 16 para. 291(a)(b) in force at 16.1.2012 by S.I. 2011/3019, art. 3, Sch. 1 (with art. 8(4)) (as amended (14.11.2012) by S.I. 2012/2892, art. 8(3))
- I2** Sch. 16 para. 291(c) in force at 22.11.2012 by S.I. 2012/2892, art. 2(i)

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