



Public Bodies Act 2011

2011 CHAPTER 24

PART 1

GENERAL ORDER-MAKING POWERS

Powers of Ministers

3 Power to modify constitutional arrangements

- (1) A Minister may by order modify the constitutional arrangements of a body or office specified in Schedule 3.
- (2) In this Act, references to the constitutional arrangements of a body include matters relating to—
 - (a) the name of the body;
 - (b) the chair of the body (including qualifications and procedures for appointment and functions);
 - (c) members of the body (including the number of members, qualifications and procedures for appointment and functions);
 - (d) employees of the body exercising functions on its behalf (including qualifications and procedures for appointment and functions);
 - (e) the body's powers to employ staff;
 - (f) governing procedures and arrangements (including the role and membership of committees and sub-committees);
 - (g) reports and accounts;
 - (h) the extent to which the body is accountable to Ministers;
 - (i) the extent to which the body exercises functions on behalf of the Crown.
- (3) In this Act, references to the constitutional arrangements of an office include matters relating to—
 - (a) the name of the office;

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- (b) appointment of the office-holder (including qualifications and procedures for appointment);
- (c) the office-holder's powers to employ staff;
- (d) reports and accounts;
- (e) the extent to which the office-holder is accountable to Ministers;
- (f) the extent to which the office-holder exercises functions on behalf of the Crown.