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## SCHEDULES

### SCHEDULE 17

#### DEFERRED PROSECUTION AGREEMENTS

##### PART 1

##### GENERAL

##### *Designated prosecutors*

- 3 (1) The following are designated prosecutors—
- (a) the Director of Public Prosecutions;
  - (b) the Director of the Serious Fraud Office;
  - (c) any prosecutor designated under this paragraph by an order made by the Secretary of State.
- (2) A designated prosecutor must exercise personally the power to enter into a DPA and, accordingly, any enactment that enables a function of a designated prosecutor to be exercised by a person other than the prosecutor concerned does not apply.
- (3) But if the designated prosecutor is unavailable, the power to enter into a DPA may be exercised personally by a person authorised in writing by the designated prosecutor.

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##### **Commencement Information**

**II** Sch. 17 para. 3 in force at 24.2.2014 by [S.I. 2014/258](#), [art. 2\(b\)](#)

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