

## SCHEDULE 8

Article 69(6)

Use for Assembly election meetings of rooms in school premises and of meeting rooms

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### **Use of rooms in school premises**

1.—(1) Any arrangements for the use of a room in school premises shall be made with the local education authority maintaining the school or, in the case of a room in the premises of a foundation or voluntary aided school, with the governing body of the school.

(2) Any question—

- (a) as to the rooms in school premises which a candidate in any Assembly constituency or electoral region is entitled to use;
- (b) as to the times at which he is entitled to use them; or
- (c) as to the notice which is reasonable,

shall be determined by the Secretary of State.

### **Lists of rooms in school premises**

2.—(1) Every local education authority shall prepare, keep under review and from time to time, as it considers appropriate, revise for its area, lists of the rooms in school premises which candidates for return as Assembly members are entitled to use.

(2) In relation to an Assembly constituency, the list shall include the rooms in premises within any of the authority's area outside, as well as those in premises in, the constituency.

### **Lists of meeting rooms**

3.—(1) Each county and county borough council shall prepare, keep under review and from time to time, as it considers appropriate, revise for its area a list of the meeting rooms which candidates for return as Assembly members are entitled to use.

(2) The list shall indicate the person to whom applications for the use of such a room are to be made in each case.

(3) The list shall not include any room if the person maintaining it disputes the right of candidates at an Assembly election to use it.

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**Lists to be kept by registration officer etc**

4. The lists of rooms in school premises and of meeting rooms prepared for each Assembly constituency and electoral region shall be kept by the registration officer, and those lists and particulars of any change made on their revision shall (where necessary) be forwarded to him by the relevant local education authority or, as the case may be county or county borough council.

**Inspection etc. of lists**

5. In the event of notice of election being published in accordance with the Table in paragraph 1(1) of Schedule 5, any person stating himself to be, or to be authorised by,—

- (a) a constituency or individual candidate at that election or his election agent; or
- (b) a party list candidate at that election or the registered nominating officer of the registered political party on whose list he is a candidate or that party's election agent in relation to that list of candidates,

shall be entitled at all reasonable hours to inspect those lists or a copy of them.