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Rule 41

General Principles

(1) ...

(2) Delete “and of subsidiary bodies”

Add a new paragraph:

2 bis Formal meetings of subsidiary bodies shall be held in public, unless the body concerned decides otherwise. Informal meetings of subsidiary bodies shall be held in private, unless the body concerned decides otherwise.

(3) ...

