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SCHEDULE  
FURTHER MODIFICATIONS OF THE 1995 ACT

57 In section 307(1) (interpretation), insert at the appropriate place the following definitions—

““preliminary hearing” shall be construed in accordance with section 66(6)(b) of this Act and, where in any case a further preliminary hearing is held or to be held under this Act, includes the diet consisting of that further preliminary hearing;”

““preliminary issue” shall be construed in accordance with section 79(2)(b) of this Act;”

““preliminary plea” shall be construed in accordance with section 79(2)(a) of this Act;”.

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**Commencement Information**

**II** Sch. para. 57 in force at 1.2.2005 by [S.S.I. 2004/405](#), [art. 2\(1\)](#), [sch. 1](#) (with [arts. 3-5](#))

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