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SCHEDULE 9 HOUSING ASSISTANCE REGULATIONS

PROSPECTIVE

PART 1

ELIGIBILITY

CHAPTER 2

FURTHER CRITERIA

Participation in education

- 3 The regulations may make an individual's eligibility depend on—
- (a) whether or not the individual, or anyone who lives with the individual, is in education, and
 - (b) the length of time the individual, or someone who lives with the individual, spends over a given period in education.

Residence and presence

- 4 The regulations may make an individual's eligibility depend on the individual being resident and present in a particular place.

Age

- 5 The regulations may make an individual's eligibility depend on the age of either or both—
- (a) the individual, and
 - (b) anyone who lives with the individual.

Financial circumstances

- 6 The regulations may make an individual's eligibility depend on the financial circumstances of either or both—
- (a) the individual, and
 - (b) anyone who lives with the individual.

Receipt of, or eligibility for, other types of State assistance

- 7 The regulations may make an individual's eligibility depend on either or both the individual and anyone who lives with the individual—
- (a) being, or not being, in receipt of another type of assistance (whether under this Act or another enactment),
 - (b) being, or not being, eligible or entitled to receive such assistance.

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Application within specified period

- 8 The regulations may provide that an individual ceases to be eligible in respect of a given period unless, by a deadline specified in the regulations—
- (a) the individual has applied for housing assistance in respect of the period, or
 - (b) the Scottish Ministers have become required to make a determination of the individual's entitlement to housing assistance in respect of the period by regulations under section 52.

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