STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

2011 No. 169

The Renewables Obligation (Amendment) Order (Northern Ireland) 2011

Fossil derived bioliquid

6. After Article 4 of the 2009 Order (biomass and fuels which are to be treated as biomass) insert—

"Fossil derived bioliquid

- **4A.**—(1) For the purpose of this Order, fossil derived bioliquid is to be treated as being in part composed of (or in part derived from) fossil fuel.
- (2) Where fossil derived bioliquid (not being waste) is used, whether on its own or not, to fuel a generating station, the proportion of fossil derived bioliquid which is to be treated as being composed of (or derived from) fossil fuel—
 - (a) is to be determined by the Authority, and
 - (b) is the energy content of the fossil fuel from which the fossil derived bioliquid is directly or indirectly derived expressed as a percentage of the energy content of the fossil derived bioliquid as a whole.
- (3) It is for the operator of the generating station to demonstrate to the Authority's satisfaction what proportion of the fossil derived bioliquid is to be treated as being composed of (or derived from) fossil fuel.
- (4) When determining that proportion the Authority is entitled to have regard to any material (whether or not produced to it by the operator of the generating station) if, in its opinion, that material indicates what proportion of the fossil derived bioliquid is to be treated as being composed of (or derived from) fossil fuel.".