

SCHEDULE 1

STANDARDS OF GOOD AGRICULTURAL AND ENVIRONMENTAL CONDITION

Irrigation Authorisations

2.—(1) If a farmer is abstracting or impounding more than 10m³ but less than 20m³ of water for irrigation purposes in any 24 hour period from underground strata or waterways the activity must be authorised under regulation 5 of the Water Abstraction and Impoundment (Licensing) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2006(1) and adhere to the requirements of the authorisation.

(2) If a farmer is abstracting or impounding 20m³ or more of water from underground strata and waterways for irrigation purposes in any 24 hour period the activity must be authorised by licence under regulation 10 of the Water Abstraction and Impoundment (Licensing) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2006 and adhere to the requirements of the licence.

(1) [S.R. 2006 No.482](#)