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THE COMMON AGRICULTURAL POLICY (DIRECT PAYMENTS ETC.) (SCOTLAND) REGULATIONS 2015

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1. The criteria are— (a) in respect of agricultural areas other...

PART 2 Minimum activity for the purposes of Article 4(1)(c)(iii) of the Direct Payments Regulation

2. (1) A farmer must—(a) stock the land for a...

PART 3 Meaning of dairy ring fence area

In Part 2, "dairy ring fence area" means—the islands...

SCHEDULE 2 Ecological focus areas: further criteria

PART 1 Crop species that may be used in a mixture of crop species for the purposes of Article 45(9) of the Direct Payments Delegated Regulation in relation to areas under green cover

Rye (Secale cereale) Vetch (Vicia sativa) Phacelia (Phacelia) Barley (Hordeum...

PART 2 Nitrogen-fixing crops for the purposes of Article 45(10) of the Direct Payments Delegated Regulation

Alfalfa (Medicago stiva) Beans (Vicia) Birdsfoot trefoil (Lotus corniculatus) Chickpeas...

PART 3 Additional conditions for the purposes of Article 45(10) of the Direct Payments Delegated Regulation

- 1. Nitrogen-fixing crops must not be harvested before 1st August in...
- 2. Areas with nitrogen-fixing crops must be surrounded by a buffer...
- 3. (1) Areas with nitrogen fixing crops must be established by...
- 4. In this Part, "areas with nitrogen fixing crops" means areas...

SCHEDULE 3 Voluntary coupled support

PART 1 Voluntary coupled support – bovine animals

- 1. Interpretation
- 2. Application for a Scheme payment
- 3. Eligible bovine animal
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PART 2 Voluntary coupled support – ovine animals

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- 7. Eligible ovine animal
- 8. Scheme payments

SCHEDULE 4 Ineligible breeds – bovine animals Armoricaine; Australian Lowline; Ayrshire; Ayrshire Cross; Belted Dutch; Belted Dutch... Explanatory Note

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