SCHEDULE Article 2(2)(a)

Descriptions of types of operation for the purposes of article 2(2)(a)

- 1. Cultivation of land, including ploughing, rotavating, harrowing and re-seeding.
- 2. Grazing of livestock and changes to grazing management.
- 3. Feeding of livestock and changes to livestock feeding practices.
- **4.** Mowing or other methods of cutting vegetation, including changes in a mowing or cutting regime.
 - **5.** Application of manure, other fertilisers (including seaweed) or lime.
 - 6. Application of pesticides, including herbicides.
 - 7. Burning vegetation.
 - **8.** Introduction or release of any animal or plant.
 - 9. Killing or removal of any wild animal.
 - 10. Destruction, displacement, removal or cutting of any plant or plant remains.
 - 11. Tree or woodland management, and changes to tree or woodland management.
 - 12. Modification of the structure of water courses.
- **13.** Water utilisation (including irrigation, storage and abstraction from existing water bodies and through boreholes).
 - **14.** Infilling of ditches, drains, ponds, pools or marshes.
 - 15. Reclamation of land from sea, estuary or marsh.
- **16.** Construction, removal or destruction of roads, tracks, paths, walls, fences, hardstands, banks, ditches or other earthworks.
- 17. The following operations where they are carried out in connection with any of the operations listed in paragraph 16:—
 - (a) modification of natural or man-made features;
 - (b) clearance of boulders, large stones, loose rock or scree;
 - (c) battering, buttressing or grading of rock faces; or
 - (d) cutting or infilling of pits or quarries.
 - **18.** Erection of permanent or temporary structures.
 - 19. Engineering works, including drilling.
 - **20.** Use of vehicles, including aircraft or any ship, boat or other water-going vessel.

In this Schedule—

- (a) "animal" includes any mammal, reptile, amphibian, bird, fish or invertebrate, and a reference to an animal includes a reference to any egg, larva, pupa or other immature stage of an animal;
- (b) "plant" includes any flowering plant, fern, alga, fungus, lichen or moss, and a reference to a plant includes a reference to bulbs, corms, seeds and spores of the plant; and
- (c) "woodland management" includes afforestation, planting, clear and selective felling, thinning, coppicing, modification of the stand or underwood and changes in species composition.

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