

SCHEDULE 2

INTERPRETATION OF REFERENCES TO AVAILABILITY OF SEAT BELTS

3. The requirements of this paragraph are satisfied in relation to a particular person (“the person in question”) and a particular seat (“the relevant seat”) provided with a particular seat belt (“the relevant belt”) if—

- (a) another person is wearing the relevant belt;
- (b) a child is occupying the relevant seat and wearing a child restraint which is an appropriate child restraint for that child;
- (c) another person, being a person holding a medical certificate, is occupying the relevant seat;
- (d) a disabled person (not being the person in question) is occupying the relevant seat and wearing a disabled person’s belt;
- (e) by reason of his disability, it would not be practicable for the person in question to wear the relevant belt;
- (f) the person in question is prevented from occupying the relevant seat by the presence of a carry cot which is restrained by straps and in which there is a child aged under 1 year;
- (g) the person in question is prevented from occupying the relevant seat by the presence of a child restraint which could not readily be removed without the aid of tools; or
- (h) the relevant seat is specially designed so that—
 - (i) its configuration can be adjusted in order to increase the space in the vehicle available for goods or personal effects, and
 - (ii) when it is so adjusted the seat cannot be used as such,

and the configuration is adjusted in the manner described in sub-paragraph (i) and it would not be reasonably practicable for the goods and personal effects being carried in the vehicle to be so carried were the configuration not so adjusted.