## SCHEDULE 1

Regulation 5(1)

## REQUIREMENTS FOR THE GRANT OF APPROVAL

- 1. Having regard to their primary use, situation, construction and state of repair, the premises must, in the opinion of the authority, be a seemly and dignified venue for the solemnization of marriages.
- **2.** The premises must be regularly available to the public for use for the solemnization of marriages.
- **3.** The premises must have the benefit of such fire precautions as may reasonably be required by the authority, having consulted with the fire authority, and such other reasonable provision for the health and safety of persons employed in or visiting the premises as the authority considers appropriate.
- **4.** The premises must have no recent or continuing connection with any religious practice or religious persuasion which would be incompatible with the use of the premises for the solemnization of marriages in pursuance of section 26(1)(bb) of the Act.
- **5.** The room or rooms in which ceremonies of marriage will be solemnized if approval is granted must be identifiable by description as a distinct part of the premises.