SCHEDULE 5

MINOR AND CONSEQUENTIAL AMENDMENTS

Banking Act

- **1.** In the Table in subsection (1) of section 84 of the Banking Act (disclosure for facilitating discharge of functions by other supervisory authorities)—
 - (a) the entry relating to the Friendly Societies Commission shall be numbered 5A; and
 - (b) in entry 15, the words "or section 84 of the Companies Act 1989" and the words "or section" shall be omitted.
- **2.** After subsection (2A) of section 106 of the Banking Act (interpretation) there shall be inserted the following subsections—
 - "(2B) Any reference in this Act to the First Council Directive or the Second Council Directive is a reference to that Directive as amended by the Prudential Supervision Directive (within the meaning of the Financial Institutions (Prudential Supervision) Regulations 1996).
 - (2C) Any reference in this Act—
 - (a) to an undertaking being closely linked with any person, or being closely linked with any person by control; or
 - (b) to an undertaking's close links with any person,

shall be construed in accordance with regulation 2 of those Regulations."