### **SCHEDULE 1**

Regulation 1

# FLUID CATEGORIES

## Fluid category 1

Wholesome water supplied by a water undertaker [ $^{F1}$ or [ $^{F2}$ water supply licensee]] and complying with the requirements of regulations made under section 67 of the Water Industry Act 1991 <sup>M1</sup>.

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## Fluid category 2

Water in fluid category 1 whose aesthetic quality is impaired owing to-

- (a) a change in its temperature, or
- (b) the presence of substances or organisms causing a change in its taste, odour or appearance,

including water in a hot water distribution system.

#### Fluid category 3

Fluid which represents a slight health hazard because of the concentration of substances of low toxicity, including any fluid which contains-

- (a) ethylene glycol, copper sulphate solution or similar chemical additives, or
- (b) sodium hypochlorite (chloros and common disinfectants).

## Fluid category 4

Fluid which represents a significant health hazard because of the concentration of toxic substances, including any fluid which contains–

- (a) chemical, carcinogenic substances or pesticides (including insecticides and herbicides), or
- (b) environmental organisms of potential health significance.

# Fluid category 5

Fluid representing a serious health hazard because of the concentration of pathogenic organisms, radioactive or very toxic substances, including any fluid which contains–

- (a) faecal material or other human waste;
- (b) butchery or other animal waste; or
- (c) pathogens from any other source.

**Changes to legislation:** There are currently no known outstanding effects for the The Water Supply (Water Fittings) Regulations 1999, SCHEDULE 1.