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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**1999 No. 2083**

**CONSUMER PROTECTION**

**The Unfair Terms in Consumer Contracts Regulations 1999**

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**THE UNFAIR TERMS IN CONSUMER  
CONTRACTS REGULATIONS 1999**

1. Citation and commencement
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SCHEDULE 1 — QUALIFYING BODIES  
PART ONE

1. The Data Protection Registrar.
2. The Director General of Electricity Supply.
3. The Director General of Gas Supply.
4. The Director General of Electricity Supply for Northern Ireland.
5. The Director General of Gas for Northern Ireland.
6. The Director General of Telecommunications.

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7. The Director General of Water Services.
  8. The Rail Regulator.
  9. Every weights and measures authority in Great Britain.
  10. The Department of Economic Development in Northern Ireland.
- PART TWO
11. Consumers' Association.

SCHEDULE 2 — INDICATIVE AND NON-EXHAUSTIVE LIST OF TERMS  
WHICH MAY BE REGARDED AS UNFAIR

1. Terms which have the object or effect of—
2. Scope of paragraphs 1(g), (j) and (l)

Explanatory Note