

## SCHEDULE 2

### ANNEX II OF THE PPE DIRECTIVE

#### **BASIC HEALTH AND SAFETY REQUIREMENTS**

##### **PPE bearing one or more identification or recognition marks directly or indirectly relating to health and safety**

**2.12.** The identification or recognition marks directly or indirectly relating to health and safety affixed to these types or classes of PPE must preferably take the form of harmonised pictograms or ideograms and must remain perfectly legible throughout the foreseeable useful life of the PPE. In addition, these marks must be complete, precise and comprehensible so as to prevent any misinterpretation; in particular, when such marks incorporate words or sentences, the latter must appear in the official language(s) of the Member State where the equipment is to be used.

If PPE (or a PPE component) is too small to allow all or part of the necessary marking to be affixed, the relevant information must be mentioned on the packing and in the manufacturer's notes.