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**The Greenhouse Gas Emissions
Trading Scheme Regulations 2003**

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**THE GREENHOUSE GAS EMISSIONS
TRADING SCHEME REGULATIONS 2003**

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1. The following rules apply for the interpretation of Part 1...
2. An activity shall not be taken to be an activity...
3. (1) This paragraph applies for the purpose of determining whether...

SCHEDULE 2 — APPEALS (OTHER THAN APPEALS TO WHICH SCHEDULE 4 APPLIES)

1. (1) A person who wishes to appeal to the appeal...
2. (1) Subject to sub-paragraph (2), notice of appeal in accordance...
3. (1) In the case of an appeal under regulation 26,...
4. (1) Before determining an appeal under regulation 26, the appeal...
5. (1) Where an appeal under regulation 26 is to be...
6. (1) The appeal body shall give notice to the appellant...
7. Where a determination of the appeal body on an appeal...

SCHEDULE 3 — DELEGATION OF APPELLATE FUNCTIONS

1. In this Schedule— “appointed person” means a person appointed under...
2. An appointment must be in writing and—
3. Subject to the provisions of this Schedule, an appointed person...
4. (1) If either of the parties to the appeal, matter...
5. (1) Where under paragraph 2(c) the appointment of the appointed...
6. (1) Anything done or omitted to be done by an...

SCHEDULE 4 — APPEALS UNDER REGULATION 26: NORTHERN IRELAND

1. (1) A person who wishes to appeal to the Planning...
2. (1) Subject to sub-paragraph (2), notice of appeal in accordance...
3. (1) The regulator shall, within 14 days of receipt of...
4. (1) The appeals commission shall determine the appeal and paragraphs...

SCHEDULE 5 — CONSEQUENTIAL AMENDMENTS

The Pollution Prevention and Control (England and Wales) Regulations 2000

1. In regulation 12 (conditions of permits: specific requirements) of the...

The Pollution Prevention and Control (Scotland) Regulations 2000

2. In regulation 9 (conditions of permits: specific requirements) of the...

The Offshore Combustion Installations (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Regulations 2001

3. In regulation 4 (grant of permit; contents of permit; publication...

The Pollution Prevention and Control Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2003

4. (1) The Northern Ireland Regulations are amended as follows—

Explanatory Note