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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**2008 No. 2164**

**ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION**

**The Batteries and Accumulators (Placing  
on the Market) Regulations 2008**

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**THE BATTERIES AND ACCUMULATORS  
(PLACING ON THE MARKET) REGULATIONS 2008**

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SCHEDULE 1 — Crossed out wheeled bin symbol

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Explanatory Note