SCHEDULE 2

TRANSITIONAL PROVISIONS AND SAVINGS

Existing shareholders' right of pre-emption (ss. 561 to 577)

- **54.**—(1) It is immaterial whether the directors' statement required before a resolution can be proposed under section 571 of the Companies Act 2006 (disapplication of pre-emption rights by special resolution) is made, or is sent, submitted or circulated as required by subsection (7) of that section before, on or after 1st October 2009.
- (2) Section 572 of that Act (criminal liability for false statement) applies to a directors' statement that is sent, submitted or circulated to a member on or after 1st October 2009.
- (3) Section 95(6) of the 1985 Act or Article 105(6) of the 1986 Order applies to a directors' statement that is circulated or supplied to a member before that date.