

## SCHEDULE 1

### Essential Health and Safety Requirements

#### *POTENTIAL IGNITION SOURCES*

##### **Hazards arising from stray electric and leakage currents**

**18.** Stray electric and leakage currents in conductive equipment parts which could result in, for example, the occurrence of dangerous corrosion, overheating of surfaces or sparks capable of provoking an ignition must be prevented.

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##### **Commencement Information**

**II** Sch. 1 para. 18 in force at 8.12.2016, see [reg. 1\(1\)](#)

**Changes to legislation:**

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the The Equipment and Protective Systems Intended for Use in Potentially Explosive Atmospheres Regulations 2016, Paragraph 18.