SCHEDULE 15

Large combustion plants: Industrial Emissions Directive

Interpretation

2.—(1) In this Schedule—

"combustion plant" has the meaning given in Article 3(25) of the Industrial Emissions Directive;

"large combustion plant" means a combustion plant with a total rated thermal input of 50 or more megawatts to which Chapter III of the Industrial Emissions Directive applies.

- (2) When interpreting the Industrial Emissions Directive for the purposes of this Schedule—
 - (a) except where defined in this paragraph, an expression that is defined in Part 1 of these Regulations has the meaning given in that Part;
 - (b) the competent authority is—
 - (i) for the purposes of exercising a judgement as to whether there is an overriding need to maintain energy supplies under Articles 30(6) and 37 of the Industrial Emissions Directive, the appropriate authority;
 - (ii) otherwise, the regulator;
 - (c) "permit" means environmental permit.