## SCHEDULE 1

General conditions under which farmed animals shall be kept

27.—(1) No other substance, with the exception of those given for therapeutic or prophylactic purposes or for the purpose of zootechnical treatment shall be administered to animals unless it has been demonstrated by scientific studies of animal welfare or established experience that the effect of that substance is not detrimental to the health or welfare of the animals.

(2) "zootechnical treatment" has a meaning given in Article 1(2)(c) of Council Directive 96/22/EEC<sup>MI</sup> concerning the prohibition on the use in stockfarming of certain substances having a hormonal or thyrostatic action and beta-agonists.

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**Changes to legislation:** There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Welfare of Farmed Animals Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2012, Paragraph 27.