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## SCHEDULES

### SCHEDULE 1

#### TIMES WHEN PROCEEDINGS ARE ACTIVE FOR PURPOSES OF SECTION 2

##### *Criminal proceedings*

- 5 Criminal proceedings are concluded—
- (a) by acquittal or, as the case may be, by sentence;
  - (b) by any other verdict, finding, order or decision which puts an end to the proceedings;
  - (c) by discontinuance or by operation of law;
  - [<sup>F1</sup>(d) where the initial steps of the proceedings are as mentioned in paragraph 4(f)—
    - (i) by refusal of the application;
    - (ii) if the application is granted and within the period of 2 months mentioned in section 6(3) of the Double Jeopardy (Scotland) Act 2011 (asp 16) a new prosecution is brought, by acquittal or, as the case may be, by sentence in the new prosecution.]

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#### **Textual Amendments**

- F1** Sch. 1 para. 5(d) inserted (S.) (28.11.2011) by [Double Jeopardy \(Scotland\) Act 2011 \(asp 16\)](#), s. 17(3), [Sch. para. 4](#); S.S.I. 2011/365, [art. 3](#)

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