

SCHEDULES

SCHEDULE 14

REGULATORS: USE OF POWERS UNDER THE 1998 ACT

Gas Act 1986 (c. 44)

3 In section 30A (penalties), for subsection (2) substitute—

“(2) Before imposing a penalty on a regulated person under subsection (1), the Authority shall consider whether it would be more appropriate to proceed under the Competition Act 1998.

(2A) The Authority shall not impose a penalty on a regulated person under subsection (1) if it considers that it would be more appropriate to proceed under the Competition Act 1998.”