

## SCHEDULES

### SCHEDULE 1

#### THE ADOPTION AND CHILDREN ACT REGISTER

- 2 (1) Section 125 (Adoption and Children Act Register) is amended as follows.
- (2) In subsection (1) for “Her Majesty may by Order in Council make provision for the Secretary of State to” substitute “The Secretary of State may”.
- (3) After subsection (1) insert—
- “(1A) Regulations may provide that the register may contain—
- (a) prescribed information about children who a Welsh, Scottish or Northern Irish adoption agency is satisfied are suitable for adoption,
- (b) prescribed information about prospective adopters who a Welsh, Scottish or Northern Irish adoption agency is satisfied are suitable to adopt a child,
- (c) prescribed information about persons included in the register in pursuance of paragraph (a) or (b) in respect of things occurring after their inclusion.”
- (4) In subsection (2) for “an Order under this section” substitute “regulations”.
- (5) In subsection (4) for “An Order under this section” substitute “Regulations”.