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## SCHEDULES

#### **SCHEDULE 4**

### PROVIDERS OF INFORMATION SOCIETY SERVICES

### PART 1

### OFFERING TO SUPPLY A PSYCHOACTIVE SUBSTANCE

# Exceptions for mere conduits

- 3 (1) A service provider does not commit an offence under section 5(2) by providing access to a communication network or by transmitting, in a communication network, information provided by a recipient of the service, if the service provider does not—
  - (a) initiate the transmission,
  - (b) select the recipient of the transmission, or
  - (c) select or modify the information contained in the transmission.
  - (2) For the purposes of sub-paragraph (1)—
    - (a) providing access to a communication network, and
    - (b) transmitting information in a communication network,
    - include the automatic, intermediate and transient storage of the information transmitted so far as the storage is solely for the purpose of carrying out the transmission in the network.
  - (3) Sub-paragraph (2) does not apply if the information is stored for longer than is reasonably necessary for the transmission.