

SCHEDULE 9

NORTHERN IRELAND WHOLESale PROVISION

PART I

exceptional hardship allocation

1. The Minister may at any time add to an exceptional hardship provision made under paragraph 17 of Schedule 2 to the 1984 Regulations. Where any such additional provision is made the Minister shall by advertisement published in the Gazette announce the amount of quota in that provision.

2. The Minister may allocate quota in any additional exceptional hardship provision to a producer who has previously made an exceptional hardship claim and who has been allocated an amount of quota, in furtherance of that claim, being less than the amount of quota determined by the Tribunal in respect of that claim.

3. For the purposes of paragraph 2 above, “exceptional hardship claim” means a claim which has been determined by the Tribunal in accordance with paragraph 17 of Schedule 2 to the 1984 Regulations.