

SCHEDULE 1

LIMIT VALUES, MARGINS OF TOLERANCE, INFORMATION AND ALERT THRESHOLDS

PART I

*Sulphur Dioxide***Limit values for sulphur dioxide****1.1**

	<i>Averaging period</i>	<i>Limit value</i>	<i>Margin of tolerance(1)</i>	<i>Date by which limit value is to be met</i>
1. Hourly limit value for the protection of human health	1 hour	350 $\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$, not to be exceeded more than 24 times a calendar year	60 $\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$, reducing to 30 $\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$ on 1st January 2004 and to 0 $\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$ on 1st January 2005	1st January 2005
2. Daily limit value for the protection of human health	24 hours	125 $\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$, not to be exceeded more than 3 times a calendar year	None	1st January 2005
3. Limit value for the protection of ecosystems	Calendar year and winter (1st October to 31st March)	20 $\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	None	19th July 2001

(1) The figures for margins of tolerance for each of the relevant pollutants given in this Schedule are calculated from those given in Annexes I to IV of Directive [99/30/EC](#).