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## SCHEDULE 5

### CONSEQUENTIAL MODIFICATIONS TO PRIMARY LEGISLATION

#### State Pension Credit Act 2002

**14.**—(1) Section 17 of the State Pension Credit Act 2002<sup>(1)</sup> (other interpretation provisions) is amended as follows.

(2) In subsection (1), for the definition of “couple” substitute—

““couple” means—

- (a) two people who are married to, or civil partners of, each other and are members of the same household; or
- (b) two people who are not married to, or civil partners of, each other but are living together as a married couple otherwise than in prescribed circumstances;”.

(3) Omit subsection (1A).

#### Commencement Information

**II** Sch. 5 para. 14 in force at 16.12.2014, see [art. 1\(2\)](#)

<sup>(1)</sup> 2002 c.16; the definition of “couple” in section 17(1) were inserted by the Civil Partnership Act 2004, Schedule 24, paragraphs 142(1) and (2), and amended by [S.I. 2014/560](#), in relation to England and Wales. Subsection (1A) was inserted by paragraph 143 of Schedule 24 to the Civil Partnership Act 2004.

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**Changes and effects yet to be applied to the whole Instrument associated Parts and Chapters:**

Whole provisions yet to be inserted into this Instrument (including any effects on those provisions):

- art. 6(1A) inserted by [S.I. 2019/1514 reg. 10\(3\)\(b\)](#)