SCHEDULE 2

Regulation 36(4)

OPERATIONAL OBLIGATIONS OF [FINOTIFIED][FIAPPROVED] BODIES

Textual Amendments

- F1 Words in Sch. 2 heading substituted (E.W.S.) (31.12.2020) by The Product Safety and Metrology etc. (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019 (S.I. 2019/696), reg. 1, Sch. 26 para. 42(b) (with Sch. 26 para. 5) (as amended by S.I. 2020/676, regs. 1(1), 2); 2020 c. 1, Sch. 5 para. 1(1)
- 1. Conformity assessment must be carried out in a proportionate manner, avoiding unnecessary burdens for economic operators.
 - 2. Conformity assessment bodies must perform their activities taking due account of—
 - (a) the size of an undertaking;
 - (b) the sector in which it operates and its structure;
 - (c) the degree of complexity of the of the regulated non-automatic weighing instrument technology in question; and
 - (d) the mass or serial nature of the production process,

but respecting the degree of rigour and the level of protection required for compliance of the regulated non-automatic weighing instrument with these Regulations.

- 3. Where [F2an approved] body finds that the essential requirements have not been met by a manufacturer, it—
 - (a) must require that manufacturer to take appropriate corrective measures; and
 - (b) must not issue a certificate of conformity.
- **4.** Where in the course of the monitoring of conformity following the issue of a certificate, [F3 an approved] body finds that a regulated non-automatic weighing instrument no longer complies, it must require the manufacturer to take appropriate corrective measures and must suspend or withdraw the certificate if necessary.
- 5. Where corrective measured are not taken or do not have the required effect, the [F4approved] body must restrict, suspend or withdraw any certificates, as appropriate.
- **6.** Where a person is aggrieved at a decision taken by [F5 an approved] body in relation to the conformity assessment of a regulated non-automatic weighing instrument, the [F4 approved] body must have appropriate arrangements for the review of that decision by a person who was not involved in the taking of that decision.
 - 7. [F4Approved] bodies must inform the [F6Secretary of State] of the following—
 - (a) any refusal, restriction, suspension or withdrawal of a certificate;
 - (b) any circumstances affecting the scope of or conditions for [F7approval];
 - (c) any request for information which they have received from market surveillance authorities regarding conformity assessment; and
 - (d) on request, conformity assessment activities performed within the scope of their notification and any other activity performed, including cross-border activities and subcontracting.
- **8.** [F4Approved] bodies must provide other bodies [F4approved] under [F8these Regulations] carrying out similar conformity assessment activities covering the same regulated non-automatic

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weighing instruments with relevant information on issues relating to negative and, on request positive conformity assessment results.

[F99. Notified bodies must—

- (a) when requested by the Secretary of State, nominate a representative to attend a group convened by the Commission pursuant to Article 35 of the Directive; and
- (b) ensure attendance of that representative at meetings of the group.]

Textual Amendments

F9 Sch. 2 para. 9 omitted (E.W.S.) (31.12.2020) by virtue of The Product Safety and Metrology etc. (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019 (S.I. 2019/696), reg. 1, Sch. 26 para. 42(f) (with Sch. 26 para. 5) (as amended by S.I. 2020/676, regs. 1(1), 2); 2020 c. 1, Sch. 5 para. 1(1)

Changes to legislation:
There are currently no known outstanding effects for the The Non-automatic Weighing Instruments Regulations 2016, SCHEDULE 2.