#### **SCHEDULE 4**

Regulation (EU) No 251/2014 of the European Parliament and of the Council: new provisions

#### PART 8

New Annexes 2A and 2B

#### **Commencement Information**

II Sch. 4 Pt. 8 in force at 31.12.2020, see reg. 1(7)

#### "ANNEX 2A

#### TYPES OF GEOGRAPHICAL INDICATION TO WHICH ARTICLE 19A APPLIES

#### PART A

#### **INTERPRETATION**

- 1. In the table in Part C:
  - (a) 'the paragraph 1 trade mark application' means the application to register a trade mark referred to in Article 19a(1);
  - (b) 'the relevant EUIA-based date' means the date determined in accordance with Part B:
  - (c) 'the relevant trade mark application' means the application to register a trade mark referred to in Article 19a(2) or (3)(a).

#### PART B

#### THE RELEVANT EUIA-BASED DATE

- **2.** In the table in Part C, in a case where the relevant EUIA-based date applies, the relevant EUIA-based date means:
  - (a) the date provided for in paragraph 3, or
  - (b) where paragraph 3 does not apply, the date provided for in the relevant point of paragraph 4, as relevant to the geographical indication.
- **3.** In a case where the EUIA referred to in paragraph (b) in column 2 of the row of the Types Table relating to a geographical indication contained priority provisions that applied to the geographical indication, the relevant EUIA-based date is the priority date provided for in the EUIA that applied to that geographical indication.
- **4.** In a case of a type 2A, 2B, 3A or 3B geographical indication to which paragraph 3 does not apply, the relevant EUIA-based date is:
  - (a) in a case where the geographical indication was protected in the European Union immediately before IP completion day pursuant to an amendment made to the EUIA (without the need for further action to be taken under the EUIA), the date on which the amendment entered into force;

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- (b) in a case where the geographical indication was protected in the European Union immediately before IP completion day pursuant to a provision in the EUIA that was provisionally applied before IP completion day (without the need for further action to be taken under the EUIA), the date on which the provision was provisionally applied;
- (c) in a case where the geographical indication was protected in the European Union immediately before IP completion day pursuant to an amendment made to the EUIA that was provisionally applied before IP completion day (without the need for further action to be taken under the EUIA), the date on which the amendment was provisionally applied;
- (d) in a case where the geographical indication was protected in the European Union immediately before IP completion day following the submission and processing of a request, or application, for protection or assessment (however described) under a provision in the EUIA providing for such requests, or applications, the date on which the request, or application, for protection or assessment was submitted under the EUIA;
- (e) in any other case, including a case where the geographical indication was protected in the European Union immediately before IP completion day pursuant to provisions in the EUIA that applied from the date that the EUIA entered into force (without the need for further action to be taken under the EUIA), the date on which the relevant EUIA entered into force.

#### **5.** Any reference in this Part to:

- (a) 'the priority date' means the date provided for in priority provisions in an EUIA as the date that must be taken into account when determining whether an application for a trade mark may be granted, including:
  - (i) a calendar date specified in the EUIA;
  - (ii) a date relating to the happening of a specified event;
- (b) 'priority provisions' means provisions in an EUIA that governed the relationship between trade marks and geographical indications and that provided (however expressed):
  - (i) that, in the circumstances specified in the EUIA, an application for a trade mark must be refused if the application for the trade mark was filed after a date provided for in the EUIA,
  - (ii) that, in the circumstances specified in the EUIA, the registration of a trade mark must be invalidated if the application that resulted in the registration of that trade mark was filed after a date provided for in the EUIA, or
  - (iii) for both the refusal of applications for trade marks, and the invalidation of the registration of trade marks, as provided for in points (i) and (ii);
- (c) 'without the need for further action to be taken under the EUIA', in relation to a geographical indication protected in the European Union immediately before IP completion day pursuant to an EUIA, means that the provisions in the EUIA providing for the geographical indication to be protected in the European Union did not require:
  - (i) a request or application (however described) to be submitted by the contracting third country under the EUIA in relation to the protection of the geographical indication;
  - (ii) an assessment to be carried out under the EUIA in relation to the geographical indication.

# PART C TYPES OF GEOGRAPHICAL INDICATION (THE TYPES TABLE)

| Column 1 Row<br>No. | Column 2 The name, or a description, of the geographical indication  | Column 3 Type<br>A provisions   | Column 4 Type<br>B provisions   | Column 5 The column 5 date   |
|---------------------|--|---|---|--|
| 1.                  | The following geographical indications:  (a) Nürnberger Glühwein; (b) Samoborski bermet; (c) Thüringer Glühwein; (d) Vermut di Torino/Vermouth di Torino; (e) Vino Naranja del Condado de Huelva.            | Not applicable.   | Not applicable.   | 1. In the case of the following geographical indications, 17th December 1991:  (a) Nürnberger Glühwein;  (b) Vermut di Torino/Vermouth di Torino.  2. In the case of Thüringer Glühwein, 2nd November 1996.  3. In the case of Samoborski bermet, 1st July 2013.  4. In the case of Vino Naranja del Condado de Huelva, 20th March 2014. |
| 2.                  | indication that: (a) relates to a geographical area in a third country, (b) was protected in the European Union immediately before IP completion day pursuant to an EUIA to which the European Union and the | indication that is on Great Britain's GIs Register before the day on which the paragraph 1 trade mark application is accepted or refused and is entered on that register pursuant to Article  [F219c(1) or] 21(11). | is not on Great Britain's GIs Register when the relevant trade mark application is accepted but must be protected in Great Britain pursuant to—  (a) an | EUIA-based date<br>that applies to<br>the geographical<br>indication in<br>relation to the<br>EUIA referred to<br>in point (b) of  |

[F1(c) must be is protected in Great Great Britain pursuant to GIs (i) an international on agreement that enters into Great force, or (ii) bridging (a) arrangements between United Kingdom which the United third Kingdom and the and the country made, during relevant period.]

not on that enters into Britain's force, or Register (b) bridging before the day arrangements which the between the to paragraph 1 trade United Kingdom which the United mark application and the Kingdom and the is accepted or country made, third country are refused but must on or after the contracting parties be protected in day on which Britain the relevant trade mark application pursuant toan is accepted.] international the agreement

> the contracting parties that enters into force, or bridging (b) arrangements between the United Kingdom and the third country made, before the day on which paragraph 1 trade mark application is accepted or refused.]

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indication that: geographical area GIs Union immediately before completion EUIA to which an the European to Union and the geographical third parties.

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geographical The geographical 1. A geographical A indication that is indication: (a) relates to a on Great Britain's (a) that is not that applies to Register on Great Britain's the geographical in a third country, before the day GIs Register when indication the the relevant trade relation to the which (b) was protected paragraph 1 trade mark application EUIA referred to in the European mark application is accepted, and is accepted or (b) for which column 2. refused and is an application IP entered on that to protect day register following geographical pursuant to an the approval of indication application submitted to the protect the Secretary of State under Article country indication 11 during the were contracting submitted to the relevant period Secretary of State

relevant EUIA-based date in point (b) of under Article and that 11 during the application: relevant period. (i) not 2. A geographical submitted before indication: the relevant trade (a) that is not mark application on Great Britain's is accepted, or Register (ii) is submitted GIs before day before the relevant the which the trade mark on paragraph 1 trade application is mark application accepted but is accepted or for which a notice relating to refused, (b) for which the application application to protect an the geographical protect to geographical indication is not is published by the indication submitted to the Secretary of State Secretary of State under the second under Article paragraph 11 during the Article 16 before relevant period, the relevant trade and mark application which is accepted. (c) for Article an 16 approval notice relating to the application published before the day on which the paragraph trade mark application is accepted refused.

#### ANNEX 2B

#### **APPEALS**

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Column 1 Decision

indication.

### Column 2 Persons who may appeal against the decision

etary of The persons are: submitted under Article 11 or duly substantiated statement of the Secretary of State to: 13a to protect a geographical objection in relation to the (i) remove the entry for the application under Article 15;

## Column 3 FTT powers

Power to: State to approve an application (a) a person who lodges a (a) quash the decision and direct

geographical indication from

(b) a person marketing a Great Britain's GIs Register, product that is, or may be, and affected by the protection of the (ii) remove the copy of geographical indication.

- the product specification for the geographical indication attached to Great Britain's GIs Register, or
- (b) remit the matter to the Secretary of State for reconsideration and fresh decision.

Decision of the Secretary of The persons are: submitted under Article 11 or the application; indication.

- indication.

Power to:

State to reject an application (a) the person who submitted (a) quash the decision and direct the Secretary of State to protect 13a to protect a geographical (b) a person marketing a the geographical indication by: product that is, or may be, (i) making an entry for affected by the decision not the geographical indication in to protect the geographical Great Britain's GI Register, recording the data specified in Article 21(2) in the register, and (ii) attaching a copy of the product specification for the geographical indication to Great Britain's GI Register, or (b) remit the matter to the Secretary of State for reconsideration and fresh decision.

Decision of the Secretary of The persons are: State to approve an application (a) a person who lodges a (a) quash the decision and direct submitted under Article 24 to duly substantiated statement of the Secretary of State to: amend a product specification objection in relation to the (i) restore the data in the entry for a geographical indication.

- amend a product specification appropriate); by virtue of Article 24(2)):
- the product specification.

Power to:

- application under Article 15 (as for the geographical indication it applies to an application to in Great Britain's GI Register (if
- (ii) remove the copy of the (b) a person marketing a amended product specification product that is, or may be, for the geographical indication affected by the amendment of attached to Great Britain's GI Register and replace a copy of it with the product specification for the geographical indication that was attached to the register immediately before the Secretary of State decided to approve the application, or (b) remit the matter
  - the Secretary of State for reconsideration and fresh decision.

Decision of the Secretary of The persons are: State to reject an application (a) the person who submitted (a) quash the decision and submitted under Article 24 to the application; amend a product specification (b) a person marketing a Secretary of State to: for a geographical indication.

- product that is, or may (i) make such change to the data be, affected by the decision in the entry for the geographical not to amend the product indication in Great Britain's GI specification.

Decision of the Secretary The persons are:

- on the Secretary of State's duly substantiated statement of the Secretary of State to: own initiative, to cancel the objection in relation to the (i) restore the entry for protection of a geographical proposed decision to cancel the the geographical indication in geographical indication under Great Britain's GIs Register, Article 15 (as it applies to the and 25);
  - geographical indication.

Decision of the Secretary of The persons are: geographical indication.

indication.

- State to approve a request (a) a person who lodges a (a) quash the decision and direct submitted under Article 25 duly substantiated statement of the Secretary of State to: to cancel the protection of a objection under Article 15 in (i) restore the entry for relation to the request (as it the geographical indication in applies to a request to cancel Great Britain's GIs Register, the protection of a geographical and indication by virtue of the (ii) reattach to Great Britain's

Power to:

- (as appropriate) direct the
- Register as the amendment to the product specification may entail;
- (ii) replace the copy of the product specification attached to Great Britain's GIs Register with a copy of the amended product specification, or
- (b) remit the matter to the Secretary of State for reconsideration and fresh decision.

Power to:

- of State under Article 25, (a) a person who lodges a (a) quash the decision and direct

  - cancellation of a geographical (ii) reattach to Great Britain's indication by virtue of the GIs Register a copy of second paragraph of Article the product specification for the geographical indication (b) a person marketing a that was attached to that product that is, or may be, register immediately before the affected by the cancellation Secretary of State decided to of the protection of the cancel the protection of the geographical indication, or
    - (b) remit the matter to the Secretary of State for reconsideration and fresh decision.

Power to:

- second paragraph of Article GIs Register a copy of the product specification for (b) a person marketing a the geographical indication product that is, or may be, that was attached to that affected by the cancellation register immediately before the

geographical indication.

of the protection of the Secretary of State decided to cancel the protection of the geographical indication, or (b) remit the matter to the Secretary of State for reconsideration and fresh decision.

Decision of the Secretary of The persons are: State to reject a request (a) the person who submitted (a) quash the decision and direct submitted under Article 25 the request; to cancel the protection of a (b) a person marketing a (i) remove the entry for the geographical indication.

to cancel the protection of the and geographical indication.

Power to:

- the Secretary of State to:
- product that is, or may be, geographical indication from affected by the decision not Great Britain's GIs Register,
  - (ii) remove the copy of the product specification for the geographical indication attached to Great Britain's GIs Register, or
  - (b) remit the matter to the Secretary of State for reconsideration and fresh decision."
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Changes to legislation:
There are currently no known outstanding effects for the The Agricultural Products, Food and Drink (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2020, PART 8.