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- 3 (1) The 1990 Act is amended as follows.

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Environmental Protection Act 1990

- 4 (1) The Environmental Protection Act 1990 is amended as follows....

Radioactive Substances Act 1993

- 5 (1) The Radioactive Substances Act 1993 is amended as follows....

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- 6 In section 42 of the Environment Act 1995, after subsection...

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- 7 (1) The 1999 Act is amended as follows.

Water Environment and Water Services (Scotland) Act 2003

- 8 In section 11(6)(fa) of the Water Environment and Water Services...

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- 9 Section 10(3) of the Gaelic Language (Scotland) Act 2005 is...

Regulatory Reform (Scotland) Act 2014

- 10 In schedule 1 to the Regulatory Reform (Scotland) Act 2014,...

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