STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

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The Agriculture, Animals and Aquaculture (Health, Identification, Welfare, Trade etc.) (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2020

PART 3

Agriculture (Common Agricultural Policy)

Amendment to the Common Agricultural Policy Direct Payments and Support Schemes (Cross Compliance) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2014

- **4.** In the Common Agricultural Policy Direct Payments and Support Schemes (Cross Compliance) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2014(1), in regulation 5, after paragraph (4) insert—
 - "(4A) Paragraph (4)(b) applies only for matters relating to direct payments in a claim year prior to 2020.".

Amendment to the Common Agricultural Policy (Control and Enforcement) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2015

- **5.** In the Common Agricultural Policy (Control and Enforcement) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2015(2), for regulation 7(3) substitute—
 - "(3) An authorised person entering any land or premises by virtue of this regulation may be accompanied by—
 - (a) any representative of the European Commission, except for matters relating to direct payments for any claim year following 31st December 2019; and
 - (b) such other persons as the authorised person considers necessary for any purpose mentioned in paragraph (1).".

⁽¹⁾ S.R. 2014 No. 291

⁽²⁾ S.R. 2015 No. 192 as amended by S.R. 2020 No. 22.