#### SCHEDULE 1

## PRINCIPLES FOR ENVIRONMENTAL RISK ASSESSMENT

# **PART D**

# CONCLUSIONS ON THE SPECIFIC AREAS OF RISK OF THE ENVIRONMENTAL RISK ASSESSMENT

#### CHAPTER D.2

### GENETICALLY MODIFIED HIGHER PLANTS

### Areas of risk

- **18.**—(1) Persistence and invasiveness of the genetically modified higher plants, including plant to plant gene transfer.
  - (2) Plant to micro-organisms gene transfer.
  - (3) Interactions of the genetically modified higher plants with target organisms.
  - (4) Interactions of the genetically modified higher plants with non-target organisms.
  - (5) Impacts of the specific cultivation, management and harvesting techniques.
  - (6) Effects on biogeochemical processes.
  - (7) Effects on human and animal health.]

Changes to legislation:
There are currently no known outstanding effects for the The Genetically Modified Organisms (Deliberate Release) (Scotland) Regulations 2002, CHAPTER D.2.