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SCOTTISH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**2020 No. 18**

**The Direct Payments to Farmers (Legislative Continuity)  
(Scotland) (Miscellaneous Amendments) Regulations 2020**

**Amendments to the Common Agricultural Policy (Cross-Compliance) (Scotland)  
Regulations 2014**

2.—(1) The Common Agricultural Policy (Cross-Compliance) (Scotland) Regulations 2014<sup>(1)</sup> are amended as follows.

(2) In regulation 2 (interpretation)—

(a) in paragraph (1), after the definition of “beneficiary” insert—

““claim year” has the meaning given in section 1(7) of the Direct Payments to Farmers (Legislative Continuity) Act 2020<sup>(2)</sup>,”

(b) after paragraph (2), insert—

“(2A) References in these Regulations to the Horizontal Delegated Regulation, the Horizontal Implementing Regulation and the Horizontal Regulation are, to the extent that they relate to direct payments for claim year 2020, references to those Regulations as they exist in domestic law.”.

(3) In regulation 5 (powers of authorised persons), at the beginning of paragraph (5)(b) insert “except for matters relating to direct payments for claim year 2020,”.

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(1) [S.S.I. 2014/325](#), as amended by [S.S.I. 2015/58](#), [S.S.I. 2015/194](#), [S.S.I. 2015/215](#) and [S.S.I. 2018/122](#). [S.S.I. 2019/60](#) made prospective amendments which have not yet come into force.

(2) [2020 c.2](#).