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SCHEDULES

SCHEDULE 2

PASSENGER NAME RECORD DATA

PART 1

AMENDMENTS TO THE PNR REGULATIONS

- 11 (1) Regulation 12 (transfers of PNR data to third country competent authorities) is amended as follows.
 - (2) In the heading—
 - (a) after "PNR" insert "data";
 - (b) for "non-UK" substitute "third country".
 - (3) For paragraph (1) substitute—
 - "(1) Paragraphs (1A) to (2A) apply to PNR information that is not EU PNR information.
 - (1A) The PIU must not transfer that PNR information to a third country competent authority except where it does so on a case by case basis where paragraph (2) or (2A) applies."
 - (4) In paragraph (2)—
 - (a) for "The first condition is that" substitute "This paragraph applies where";
 - (b) in sub-paragraph (b) for the words from "the prevention" to "crime" substitute "a purpose described in regulation 6(3)";
 - (c) for "the data" substitute "the information";
 - (d) in sub-paragraph (c) for "non-UK", in both places it occurs, substitute "third country".
 - (5) In paragraph (2A)—
 - (a) for "The second condition is that" substitute "This paragraph applies where";
 - (b) omit sub-paragraph (a);
 - (c) for the words from "the prevention" to the end substitute "a purpose described in regulation 6(3)".
 - (6) After paragraph (2A) insert—
 - "(2B) The PIU must not transfer EU PNR information to a third country competent authority except where it does so on a case by case basis where—
 - (a) paragraph (2C) applies and the PIU is satisfied that it is necessary to transfer the EU PNR information for a purpose described in regulation 6(3), or
 - (b) paragraph (2D) applies.

- (2C) This paragraph applies where—
 - (a) there is an agreement in force between the third country and the EU that provides for a level of protection of personal data that is equivalent to the level of protection required under the Agreement, or
 - (b) the European Commission has decided that the third country ensures an adequate level of protection of personal data, and that decision has not been repealed or suspended, or amended in a way that demonstrates that the Commission no longer considers there to be an adequate level of protection of personal data.
- (2D) This paragraph applies where—
 - (a) the PIU considers that it is necessary to transfer the EU PNR information—
 - (i) for the prevention or investigation of an immediate and serious threat to public security, or
 - (ii) to protect the vital interests of persons, and
 - (b) the third country competent authority provides a written confirmation to the PIU that the EU PNR information will be subject to a level of protection that is equivalent to the level of protection under these Regulations and the data protection legislation.
- (2E) Where the PIU transfers EU PNR information that it received from an EU PIU to a third country competent authority under this regulation, the PIU must notify that EU PIU as soon as possible.
- (2F) Where, under this regulation, the PIU transfers to a third country competent authority EU PNR data that originated in a member State, and was provided by an air carrier, the PIU must notify the EU PIU for that member State as soon as possible."
- (7) In paragraph (3)(a) for the words from "the purposes" to "case" substitute "a purpose described in regulation 6(3)".
- (8) In paragraph (4)—
 - (a) for "PNR data" substitute "PNR information";
 - (b) for "non-UK" substitute "third country".