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AGRICULTURE, WALES

The Organic Farming (Wales) Regulations 1999

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THE ORGANIC FARMING (WALES) REGULATIONS 1999

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SCHEDULE 1 — CALCULATION OF AID PART I — PAYMENT IN RESPECT OF AN ORGANIC PARCEL

- 1. AAPS eligible land and permanent crops: (a) in the first...
- 2. Enclosed land: (a) in the first year £175 per hectare...
- 3. Unenclosed land and grazed woodland: (a) in the first year...
 - PART II PAYMENT IN RESPECT OF THE ORGANIC UNIT AS A WHOLE

SCHEDULE 2 — STANDARDS TO BE OBSERVED

- 1. The beneficiary shall not plough, reseed or improve, by use...
- 2. The beneficiary shall avoid localised heavy stocking in the nesting...
- 3. The beneficiary shall not carry out field operations, such as...
- 4. The beneficiary shall not cultivate or apply fertillisers to the...
- 5. The beneficiary shall retain traditional farm boundary features, for example,...
- 6. Ditch maintenance shall be carried out in rotation, but not...
- 7. The beneficiary shall maintain streams, ponds and wetland areas.
- 8. The beneficiary shall retain any copses, farm woodlands or groups...
- 9. The beneficiary shall ensure that in farming the land he...
- 10. The beneficiary shall abide by the terms of the Codes...

Explanatory Note