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**The Plant Protection Products
(Sustainable Use) Regulations 2012**

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**THE PLANT PROTECTION PRODUCTS
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SCHEDULE A1 — Modification of the Directive

1. For the purposes of these Regulations, the Directive is to...
2. A reference in the Directive to “Member States”—
3. Article 3 is to be read as if in paragraph...
4. Article 4 is to be read as if—
5. Article 5 is to be read as if paragraph 3...
6. Article 6 is to be read as if—
7. Article 7 is to be read as if paragraph 3...
8. Article 8 is to be read as if—
9. Article 9 is to be read as if—
10. Article 11(2)(a) is to be read as if—
11. Article 12 is to be read as if for point...
12. Article 13 is to be read as if—
13. Article 14 is to be read as if—
14. Article 15 is to be read as if—
15. Annex 1 is to be read as if, in paragraph...
- 15A (1) Annex 4 is to be read as follows.
16. For the purposes of paragraph 4(d), Article 2 of Directive...

SCHEDULE 1 — Exemption for micro-distributors

1. The exemption
2. Micro-distributor
3. Number of employees of a distributor
4. Employees
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SCHEDULE 2 — Aerial spraying permits

1. An application for an aerial spraying permit must be made...
2. The appropriate United Kingdom competent authority must publish the deadlines...
3. An application for an aerial spraying permit must be accompanied...
4. If an applicant for an aerial spraying permit—
5. If the application for an aerial spraying permit—
6. Where an application for an aerial spraying permit is not...
7. An aerial spraying permit must not be issued unless the...
8. The appropriate United Kingdom competent authority must specify in each...
9. A United Kingdom competent authority may withdraw or amend an...
10. The appropriate United Kingdom competent authority may withdraw or amend...
11. If the permit holder requests that the permit be amended...

12. If the appropriate United Kingdom competent authority withdraws or amends...

SCHEDULE 3 — Powers of authorised persons

1. Powers of entry
2. Search warrants
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4. General powers
5. Protection of authorised persons
6. Seizure and disposal of products and requirements to recover
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SCHEDULE 4 — Service of documents

1. The provisions of this Schedule apply to the service of...
2. A notice or requirement may be served on, or given...
3. In the case of a body corporate, a notice or...
4. In the case of a partnership, a notice or requirement...
5. If a person to be served with, or given, a...
6. For the purposes of this Schedule, “proper address” means—
7. In this Schedule, “partnership” includes a Scottish partnership.

SCHEDULE 5 — Amendments

Explanatory Note

Changes to legislation:

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