

## SCHEDULE 1

### Consequential Amendments to Subordinate Legislation

#### **Social Security Benefit (Dependency) Regulations 1977**

**6.** In paragraph 2C of Schedule 2 to the Social Security Benefit (Dependency) Regulations 1977<sup>(1)</sup> (interpretation), for the definition of “couple” substitute—

““couple” means—

- (a) two people who are married to, or civil partners of, each other and are members of the same household; or
- (b) two people who are not married to, or civil partners of, each other but are living together as a married couple;”.

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(1) [S.I. 1977/343](#); paragraph 2C was inserted by [S.I. 1984/1699](#), and the definition of “couple” was inserted by [S.I. 2005/2877](#). There are other amending instruments but none is relevant.