

## SCHEDULE 2

### Amendments

#### **The Merchant Shipping (Radiocommunications) (Amendment) Regulations 2021**

4.—(1) The Merchant Shipping (Radiocommunications) (Amendment) Regulations 2021<sup>(1)</sup> are amended as follows.

(2) In regulation 3 (interpretation), after the definition of “Radio Regulations” insert—

““remote operation centre” means any location from which a remotely operated vessel is operated except that vessel;

“remotely operated unmanned vessel” means a vessel that—

- (a) is operated from a remote operation centre, and
- (b) is not carrying any person at the time that it is operated;”.

(3) In regulation 4(2) (vessels to which the Regulations do not apply), after sub-paragraph (g) insert—

“(ga) remotely operated unmanned vessels;”.

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(1) [S.I. 2021/1316](#), to which there are amendments not relevant to these Regulations.