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SCHEDULE 1 Amendments of the Civil Partnership Act 2004

In section 113 (civil partnerships: competency of interdict)—

- (a) in subsection (2), for paragraph (b) there shall be substituted—
 - "(b) subject to subsection (3), prohibits a civil partner from entering or remaining in—
 - (i) a family home,
 - (ii) any other residence occupied by the applicant civil partner,
 - (iii) any place of work of the applicant civil partner,
 - (iv) any school attended by a child in the permanent or temporary care of the applicant civil partner"; and
- (b) after that subsection, there shall be added—
 - "(3) Subsection (4) applies if in relation to a family home the nonapplicant civil partner—
 - (a) is an entitled partner, or
 - (b) has occupancy rights.
 - (4) Except where subsection (5) applies, the court may not grant a relevant interdict prohibiting the non-applicant civil partner from entering or remaining in the family home.

(5) This subsection applies if—

- (a) the interdict is ancillary to an exclusion order, or
- (b) by virtue of section 101(4), the court refuses leave to exercise occupancy rights.
- (6) In this section and in sections 114 to 116, "applicant civil partner" means the civil partner who has applied for the interdict; and "non-applicant civil partner" is to be construed accordingly.".