

SCHEDULE 6

SPECIFIED RISK MATERIAL, MECHANICALLY RECOVERED MEAT AND SLAUGHTERING TECHNIQUES

Removal of specified risk material at a cutting plant authorised under paragraph 13(1)

15. The occupier of a cutting plant authorised under paragraph 13(1) commits an offence unless he removes from the carcase as soon as reasonably practicable after its arrival at the plant and in any event before the meat is dispatched from the plant—

- (a) all specified risk material to which the authorisation relates; and
- (b) where the carcase is derived from a bovine animal 30 months of age or less at slaughter, those parts of the vertebral column that are specified risk material.