

## SCHEDULE

### AMENDMENTS TO THE PIPE-LINES ACT 1962

#### *Diversion of pipe-lines: repeal of section 3*

- 2.—(1) Section 3 (diversion of pipe-lines) is hereby repealed.
- (2) After section 1(1), there shall be inserted the following—
  - “(1A) For the purposes of this section—
    - (a) the construction of a diversion to a pipe-line shall be treated as the construction of a separate pipe-line, and
    - (b) if the diversion is to a pipe-line which is the subject of a pipe-line construction authorisation but the length of that pipe-line which is being diverted has not been constructed, the construction of the diversion shall be treated as the construction of a cross-country pipe-line whatever the length of the diversion.”
- (3) In section 5(1), the words “or diversion” shall be omitted.
- (4) In section 43, the words “or diversion” shall be omitted.
- (5) In section 47(3), the words “or diversion” shall be omitted wherever they appear.
- (6) In section 66(1), the definition of “pipe-line diversion authorisation” shall be omitted.