

## SCHEDULE

### Transitional provisions

1.—(1) This paragraph makes transitional provision in relation to any reference in subordinate legislation to—

- (a) English Nature;
- (b) the Nature Conservancy Council for England;
- (c) the Countryside Agency;
- (d) the Countryside Commission; or
- (e) the Development Commission.

(2) For the purpose of anything to be done by any person on or after 1st October 2006, any such reference is to be treated as being a reference to Natural England, unless the context otherwise requires.

(3) Any reference to two or more of the bodies mentioned in sub-paragraph (1) in any list of persons to be consulted is to be treated as being a single reference to Natural England.