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Amendment of Part X (Offences)

8. In regulation 34—

(a) insert after paragraph (2)—

“(2A) An operator of a scheme who contravenes of regulation 3(5B) is guilty of an offence.

(2B) A person who contravenes a requirement of regulation 21A or who is in breach of either of the conditions specified in paragraph 1(a) or (b) of Schedule 2A is guilty of an offence.”; and

(b) for paragraph (3) substitute—

“(3) A person who furnishes any information to the appropriate Agency in connection with its functions under these Regulations or furnishes information to which regulation 17A applies to an operator of a scheme, shall be guilty of an offence if, in furnishing the information; he—

(a) knows the information to be false or misleading in a material particular; or

(b) furnishes such information recklessly and it is false or misleading in a material particular.

(3A) A person who fails without reasonable excuse to comply with any requirement imposed in a notice under regulation 25(3) shall be guilty of an offence.”.