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## SCHEDULES

### SCHEDULE 1

#### PROVISIONS SUPPLEMENTING SECTION 1

##### Extent Information

- E1** In its application to Northern Ireland, this Schedule has effect subject to the modifications set out in Sch. 8; see s. 70(6)

##### Modifications etc. (not altering text)

- C1** S. 1, Sch. 1 applied (N.I.) (6.4.2005) by The Special Educational Needs and Disability (Northern Ireland) Order (S.I. 2005/1117 (N.I. 6)), {art. 2(3)}

#### *Long-term effects*

- 2 [F1(1) The effect of an impairment is a long-term effect if—
- (a) it has lasted at least 12 months;
  - (b) the period for which it lasts is likely to be at least 12 months; or
  - (c) it is likely to last for the rest of the life of the person affected.
- (2) Where an impairment ceases to have a substantial adverse effect on a person's ability to carry out normal day-to-day activities, it is to be treated as continuing to have that effect if that effect is likely to recur.
- (3) For the purposes of sub-paragraph (2), the likelihood of an effect recurring shall be disregarded in prescribed circumstances.
- (4) Regulations may prescribe circumstances in which, for the purposes of this Act—
- (a) an effect which would not otherwise be a long-term effect is to be treated as such an effect; or
  - (b) an effect which would otherwise be a long-term effect is to be treated as not being such an effect.]

##### Extent Information

- E1** Following the repeal of this Act for E.W.S. by the Equality Act 2010, this provision now extends to N.I. only.

##### Textual Amendments

- F1** Act repealed (E.W.S.) (1.10.2010 (except for the repeal of ss. 49A-49D) and 5.4.2011 in so far as not already in force) by Equality Act 2010 (c. 15), 216(3), Sch. 27 Pt. 1 (as substituted (1.10.2010) by S.I. 2010/2279, Sch. 2) (with ss. 6(4), 205, and with amendments and savings in the said S.I. 2010/2279, art. 16); S.I. 2010/2317, art. 2(15)(f) (with arts. 4-25, Schs. 1-16); S.I. 2011/1066, art. 2(h)

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#### **Commencement Information**

- II** Sch. 1 para. 2 wholly in force at 30.5.1996; Sch. 1 para. 2 not in force at Royal Assent see s. 70(3); Sch. 1 para. 2 in force (E.W.S.) at 17.5.1996 by S.I. 1996/1336, **art. 3(m)**; Sch. 1 para. 2 in force (N.I.) at 30.5.1996 by S.R. 1996/219, **art. 3(1)**

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