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## SCHEDULES

### [<sup>F1</sup>]<sup>F2</sup>SCHEDULE 2B

#### CATEGORIES OF WASTE

##### Textual Amendments

- F1** Sch. 2B inserted (1.1.2005 for S. and 15.5.2006 for E.W.) by 1995 c. 25, ss. 120(1), 125(3), Sch. 22 para.95 (with ss. 7(6), 115, 117); S.S.I. 2004/541, art. 2; S.I. 2006/934, art. 2
- F2** Sch. 2B omitted (E.W.) (29.3.2011) by virtue of The Waste (England and Wales) Regulations 2011 (S.I. 2011/988), reg. 1(2), Sch. 4 para. 3(9) (with regs. 2, 47(2))

- 1 Production or consumption residues not otherwise specified below.
- 2 Off-specification products.
- 3 Products whose date for appropriate use has expired.
- 4 Materials spilled, lost or having undergone other mishap, including any materials, equipment, etc, contaminated as a result of the mishap.
- 5 Materials contaminated or soiled as a result of planned actions (e.g. residues from cleaning operations, packing materials, containers, etc.).
- 6 Unusable parts (e.g. reject batteries, exhausted catalysts, etc.).
- 7 Substances which no longer perform satisfactorily (e.g. contaminated solvents, exhausted tempering salts, etc.).
- 8 Residues of industrial processes (e.g. slags, still bottoms, etc.).
- 9 Residues from pollution abatement processes (e.g. scrubber sludges, baghouse dusts, spent filters, etc.).
- 10 Machining or finishing residues (e.g. lathe turnings, mill scales, etc.).
- 11 Residues from raw materials extraction and processing (e.g. mining residues, oil field slops, etc.).
- 12 Adulterated materials (e.g. oils contaminated with PCBs, etc.).
- 13 Any materials, substances or products whose use has been banned by law.
- 14 Products for which the holder has no further use (e.g. agricultural, household, office, commercial and shop discards, etc.).
- 15 Contaminated materials, substances or products resulting from remedial action with respect to land.
- 16 Any materials, substances or products which are not contained in the above categories.]]

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**Changes and effects yet to be applied to the whole Act associated Parts and Chapters:**

Whole provisions yet to be inserted into this Act (including any effects on those provisions):

- s. 33ZB(10A) inserted by [2021 c. 30 s. 69\(3\)\(b\)](#)
- s. 34ZB(8A) inserted by [2021 c. 30 s. 69\(5\)\(b\)](#)
- s. 106A inserted by [2023 c. 6 s. 41\(2\)](#)
- s. 161(2AA)(2AB) inserted by [2016 anaw 3 s. 69\(4\)](#)