## Appendix C Proposed revised Likelihood Assessment Guidelines

Likelihood	Guidelines	Score
Almost certain	<ul> <li>Is expected to occur in most circumstances (more than 90%), or</li> <li>More than 90% likely to occur in the next 12 months</li> </ul>	5
Likely	<ul> <li>Will probably occur at some time, or in most circumstances (66% - 90%), or</li> <li>67% to 90% likely to occur in the next 12 months</li> </ul>	4
Possible	<ul> <li>Fairly likely to occur at some time, or in some circumstances (36% - 65%), or</li> <li>36% to 65% likely to occur in the next 12 months</li> </ul>	3
Unlikely	<ul> <li>Is unlikely to occur, but could, at some time (11% - 35%), or</li> <li>11% to 35% likely to occur in the next 12 months</li> </ul>	2
Rare	<ul> <li>May only occur in exceptional circumstances (up to 10%), or</li> <li>Up to 10% likely to occur in the next 12 months</li> </ul>	1