
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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WATER RESOURCES

The Bathing Water Regulations 2013

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THE BATHING WATER REGULATIONS 2013

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