## STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

## 1996 No. 217

## EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES WATER AND SEWERAGE

The Protection of Water Against Agricultural Nitrate Pollution Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1996

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The Department of the Environment and the Department of Agriculture, being departments designated(1) for the purposes of section 2(2) of the European Communities Act 1972(2) in relation to measures relating to the prevention, reduction and elimination of pollution of water, acting jointly in exercise of the powers conferred on them by that section and of every other power enabling them in that behalf, hereby make the following Regulations: