## STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

## 2017 No. 81

## **ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION**

The Water Environment (Water Framework Directive) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2017

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The Department of Agriculture, Environment and Rural Affairs being a department designated(1) in relation to the environment for the purposes of section 2(2) of the European Communities Act 1972(2), makes the following Regulations in exercise of the powers conferred by section 2(2) of that Act.

<sup>(1)</sup> S.I. 2008/301; to which there are amendments not relevant to these Regulations

<sup>(2) 1972</sup> c.68