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SCHEDULES

SCHEDULE 8

REGULATION OF THE WATER ENVIRONMENT

PART 1

PURPOSES FOR WHICH PROVISION MAY BE MADE

Preliminary

- 5 Enabling the Minister to give directions which regulators are to comply with, or guidance which regulators are to have regard to, in exercising functions under the regulations, including—
- (a) directions providing for any functions exercisable by one regulator to be instead exercisable by another;
 - (b) directions given for the purpose of the implementation of any [^{F1}[^{F2}assimilated] obligations] or under any international agreement to which the United Kingdom is a party;
 - (c) directions relating to the exercise of any function in a particular case or class of case (except functions in relation to the investigation or prosecution, in a particular case, of an offence under the regulations).

Textual Amendments

- F1** Words in Sch. 8 para. 5(b) substituted (31.12.2020) by The Floods and Water (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019 (S.I. 2019/558), regs. 1(1), 5; 2020 c. 1, Sch. 5 para. 1(1)
- F2** Word in Sch. 8 para. 5(b) substituted (1.1.2024) by The Retained EU Law (Revocation and Reform) Act 2023 (Consequential Amendment) Regulations 2023 (S.I. 2023/1424), reg. 1(2), **Sch. para. 83**

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Changes and effects yet to be applied to :

- specified provision(s) amendment to earlier commencing S.I. 2017/1288, art. 3(c)(d) by [S.I. 2019/706 art. 2](#)
- specified provision(s) amendment to earlier commencing S.I. 2017/462, arts. 4, 5 by [S.I. 2017/926 art. 2](#)