## STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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The Non-automatic Weighing Instruments Regulations 2000

# PART II

# APPROVAL AND CERTIFICATION OF NON-AUTOMATIC WEIGHING INSTRUMENTS

#### **Enforcement**

## Unsuitable use of instrument used for trade

- 27. If it appears to an authorised person that an instrument is used for trade—
  - (a) for a purpose for which it is unsuitable; or
  - (b) in circumstances where it is subject to any extraordinary environmental or operating conditions which—
    - (i) may prevent it operating consistently or accurately; or
    - (ii) are likely prematurely to degrade its metrological characteristics,

the authorised person may affix a disqualification sticker to the instrument; and any such sticker shall be affixed in such a position that it is clearly visible when the instrument is in its regular operating position.