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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**2016 No. 423**

**COMPANIES**

**The Companies (Address of  
Registered Office) Regulations 2016**

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**THE COMPANIES (ADDRESS OF  
REGISTERED OFFICE) REGULATIONS 2016**

1. Citation, commencement and interpretation
  2. Application to change a company registered office
  3. An application to the registrar must— (a) state the applicant’s...
  4. (1) An application under these Regulations may be withdrawn by...
  5. Upon receiving an application, the registrar must either—
  6. (1) The notice given under regulation 5(b) must—
  7. Determination of an application
  8. The registrar must dismiss an application if—
  9. For the purposes of determining the application, the registrar may—...
  10. Notice of the registrar’s decision
  11. Effect of change of address
  12. Administration of the default address
  13. The registrar will not be required to open any documents...
  14. (1) The registrar must provide for the collection by the...
  15. Where the company has changed the address of its registered...
  16. Appeal to the court
  17. Where an appeal is brought before the court by the...
  18. Change of address of registered office under section 87 of the Act
  19. Application to Limited Liability Partnerships
  20. In regulation 66, in section 1087 as applied with modifications...
  21. In regulation 67, after section 1097 as applied with modifications...
  22. Review
- Signature

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SCHEDULE — EVIDENCE, OR DESCRIPTIONS OF EVIDENCE, THE  
REGISTRAR MAY RELY ON WITHOUT FURTHER ENQUIRY

1. Documentation evidencing proprietary rights of the company or a group...
2. A written agreement entitling the company or a group undertaking...
3. A utility bill addressed to the company or a group...

Explanatory Note

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