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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**2019 No. 558**

**The Floods and Water (Amendment  
etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019**

**PART 3**

Amendment of secondary legislation

**The Water Environment (Water Framework Directive) (Northumbria River Basin District) Regulations 2003**

**10.**—(1) The Water Environment (Water Framework Directive) (Northumbria River Basin District) Regulations 2003<sup>(1)</sup> are amended as follows.

(2) In regulation 4, for paragraph (2) substitute—

“(2) In this regulation—

- (a) “environmental objectives” means the objectives set under regulation 12, in accordance with regulation 13, of the principal Regulations (as applied by regulation 5 of these Regulations);
- (b) “programme of measures” means the programme of measures established under regulation 12, in accordance with regulation 20, of the principal Regulations (as applied by regulation 5 of these Regulations);
- (c) references to the Directive, the EQS Directive and the Groundwater Directive are to be read in accordance with Schedule 5 (modification of directives) to the principal Regulations<sup>(2)</sup>.”.

(3) In regulation 5—

(a) in paragraph (1A)—

- (i) in sub-paragraph (a), for “Schedules 1 and 3” substitute “Schedules 1, 3 and 5”;
- (ii) omit sub-paragraph (b);

(b) after paragraph (6) insert—

“(7) Schedule 5 (modification of directives) has effect as if, in each of paragraphs 2(a), 18(a) and 26(a), for “England or Wales” there were substituted “the Northumbria River Basin District”.”.

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(1) S.I. 2003/3245, amended by S.I. 2016/139, 2017/407.

(2) Regulation 20 of these Regulations inserts Schedule 5 into the principal Regulations.