STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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The Procurement Regulations 2024

Part 4

Amendment of the Procurement Act 2023

Preliminary market engagement in relation to private utilities

- **48.**—(1) The PA 2023 is amended as follows.
- (2) In section 17 (preliminary market engagement), after subsection (2), insert—
 - "(3) This section does not apply to a private utility, other than to a private utility which is a devolved Welsh authority that is not carrying out procurement under a reserved procurement arrangement or a transferred Northern Ireland procurement arrangement.".