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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**2000 No. 3184**

**WATER, ENGLAND AND WALES**

**The Water Supply (Water Quality) Regulations 2000**

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*Coming into force in accordance with  
regulation 1(2) to (5)*

**ARRANGEMENT OF REGULATIONS**

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General

1. Citation, commencement and application
2. Interpretation

**PART II**

Water Supply Zones

3. Water supply zones

**PART III**

Wholesomeness

4. Wholesomeness

**PART IV**

Monitoring of Water Supplies

5. Interpretation and application
6. Monitoring: general provisions
7. Sampling points
8. Authorisation of supply points
9. Numbers of samples
10. Sampling: further provisions

**PART V**

Monitoring—Additional Provisions

11. Interpretation

12. Sampling for particular substances and parameters
13. Sampling at treatment works
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15. Sampling: new sources
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##### Investigations, Authorisation of Departures and Remedial Action

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19. Action by Secretary of State
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26. Treatment of raw water
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28. Procedure following risk assessment, and prohibition of supply
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