### STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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# The Voluntary Adoption Agencies and the Adoption Agencies (Miscellaneous Amendments) Regulations 2003

## PART II

### REGISTERED PROVIDERS, RESPONSIBLE INDIVIDUALS AND MANAGERS

#### Fitness of manager and branch manager

7.—(1) The registered provider shall not allow a person to manage the agency or any branch of the agency unless he is fit to do so.

- (2) A person is not fit to manage an agency or (as the case may be) branch unless-
  - (a) he is of integrity and good character;
  - (b) having regard to the size of the agency or branch and the agency's statement of purpose—
    - (i) he has the qualifications, skills and experience necessary for managing the agency or branch; and
    - (ii) he is physically and mentally fit to manage the agency or branch; and
  - (c) full and satisfactory information is available in relation to him in respect of each of the matters listed in Schedule 2.