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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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The Merchant Shipping (Vessel Traffic Monitoring  
and Reporting Requirements) Regulations 2004

PART 1

GENERAL

**Competent authority**

3. For the purposes of these Regulations—
  - (a) as regards the United Kingdom, the competent authority shall be the MCA;
  - (b) as regards an EEA State other than the United Kingdom, the competent authority shall be the authority designated as such by the EEA State in question in accordance with article 22 of the Directive.