STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2006 No. 662

The Gangmasters (Appeals) Regulations 2006

The overriding objective

- **2.**—(1) The overriding objective of these Regulations is to enable the appointed person to deal with appeals justly.
 - (2) Dealing with an appeal justly includes, so far as practicable—
 - (a) ensuring that the parties are on an equal footing;
 - (b) dealing with the appeal in ways which are proportionate to the complexity or importance of the issues; and
 - (c) ensuring it is dealt with expeditiously and fairly.
 - (3) The appointed person shall seek to give effect to the overriding objective when he—
 - (a) exercises powers given to him by these Regulations; and
 - (b) interprets any provision.
 - (4) The parties shall assist the appointed person to further the overriding objective.