STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2007 No. 320

The Construction (Design and Management) Regulations 2007

PART 2

GENERAL MANAGEMENT DUTIES APPLYING TO CONSTRUCTION PROJECTS

Competence

4.—(1) No person on whom these Regulations place a duty shall—

- (a) appoint or engage a CDM co-ordinator, designer, principal contractor or contractor unless he has taken reasonable steps to ensure that the person to be appointed or engaged is competent;
- (b) accept such an appointment or engagement unless he is competent;
- (c) arrange for or instruct a worker to carry out or manage design or construction work unless the worker is—

(i) competent, or

(ii) under the supervision of a competent person.

(2) Any reference in this regulation to a person being competent shall extend only to his being competent to—

- (a) perform any requirement; and
- (b) avoid contravening any prohibition,

imposed on him by or under any of the relevant statutory provisions.