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## **Competent Authority**

- **3.**—(1) The competent authority referred to in Article 8(1) of Regulation 648/2004 is the Secretary of State.
- (2) The Secretary of State is responsible for discharging the following functions in the United Kingdom—
  - (a) those assigned to member States by Articles 8 and 15(1) of Regulation 648/2004; and
  - (b) those reserved to member States by the second sub-paragraph of Article 9(3) of that Regulation.