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**THE NETWORK AND INFORMATION
SYSTEMS REGULATIONS 2018**

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Explanatory Note

Changes to legislation:

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the The Network and Information Systems Regulations 2018.