#### STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

## 2021 No. 1404

# The Burundi (Sanctions) Regulations 2021 (expired—not approved)

# [X1PART 1

#### General

### [X1Purposes

- **4.** The purposes of the regulations contained in this instrument are to encourage the Government of Burundi to—
  - (a) respect democratic principles and institutions, the rule of law and good governance in Burundi;
  - (b) refrain from policies or activities which repress civil society in Burundi;
  - (c) comply with international human rights law and to respect human rights, including in particular, to respect—
    - (i) the right to life of persons in Burundi;
    - (ii) the right of persons not to be subjected to torture or cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment or punishment in Burundi, in the context of rape, other forms of sexual violence and gender-based violence;
    - (iii) the right to liberty and security of persons in Burundi, including freedom from arbitrary arrest, detention or enforced disappearance;
    - (iv) the rights of journalists, human rights defenders and other persons in Burundi to freedom of expression and peaceful assembly.]

#### **Editorial Information**

X1 This statutory instrument was made under a procedure whereby it ceases to have effect at the end of the period of 28 days beginning with the day on which it was made unless, during that period, the instrument is approved by a resolution of each House of Parliament. It was not approved by Parliament within that period and so has ceased to have effect.

Changes to legislation:
There are currently no known outstanding effects for the The Burundi (Sanctions) Regulations 2021 (expired—not approved), Section 4.