STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

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The Pollution Prevention and Control (Industrial Emissions) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2013

PART 7

THE DEPARTMENT'S POWERS

Plans relating to emissions

42.—(1) Subject to paragraph (3), the Department may make plans for—

- (a) the setting of limits on the total amount, or the total amount in any period, of emissions from all, or any description of, sources within Northern Ireland; or
- (b) the allocation of quotas relating to such emissions.

(2) Where the Department allocates a quota in a plan made under paragraph (1) it may also make a scheme for the trading or other transfer of the quota so allocated.

- (3) This regulation shall not apply to an emission plan.
- (4) In this regulation—

"emission" means the direct or indirect release of any substance from individual or diffuse sources into the air, water or land; and

"emission plan" has the meaning given in the Large Combustion Plants (National Emission Reduction Plan) Regulations 2007(1).