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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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The Environmental Permitting  
(England and Wales) Regulations 2007

PART 5

Public Registers

**Directions of the appropriate authority in relation to confidentiality**

**56.**—(1) The appropriate authority may direct the regulator that specified information, or a specified description of information, must be included on the public register even though it is confidential information.

(2) But, the appropriate authority must not give a direction under paragraph (1) unless it considers that the public interest in including such information on the register outweighs the public interest in maintaining its confidentiality.