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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**2008 No. 972**

**The Blood Tests (Evidence of Paternity)  
(Amendment) Regulations 2008**

**Amendments to the Blood Tests (Evidence of Paternity) Regulations 1971**

**11.** For regulation 8A(1) substitute—

“(1) Subject to paragraph (2), a body shall not be eligible for accreditation for the purposes of section 20 of the Act unless it is accredited to ISO/IEC17025(1) by—

- (a) a Full Member of the International Laboratory Accreditation Cooperation (“ILAC”); or
- (b) a body that is a signatory to an ILAC Recognised Regional Cooperation Body.”.

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(1) General Requirements for the Competence of Testing and Calibration Laboratories, obtainable from any of the sales outlets operated by the British Standards Institute.