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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**2014 No. 3337**

**The Single Source Contract Regulations 2014**

**PART 9**

**SSRO: opinions and determinations**

**Matters to which the SSRO must have regard in making determinations**

**54.** In making any determination under the Act or these Regulations, the SSRO must have regard (in addition to any other matter to which these Regulations require it to have regard) to—

- (a) any regulations or statutory guidance made under Part 2 of the Act which were in force at any time material to the matters under consideration;
- (b) the extent to which any relevant statutory guidance has been followed (and any justification advanced for not following it);
- (c) the extent to which any person has fulfilled its responsibilities under Part 2 of the Act and these Regulations;
- (d) any relevant previous decisions of the SSRO; and
- (e) representations made by the parties to the contract (or the persons who would be parties to the proposed contract), and (where not such a party or person) by the Secretary of State.