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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**2016 No. 1007**

**The Water Act 2014 (Commencement No. 7  
and Transitional Provisions) Order 2016**

**Transitional provision in respect of wholesale authorisations**

**3.—**(1) Until paragraph 1 of Schedule 2 to the 2014 Act comes into force to the extent that it substitutes section 66B(1) of the 1991 Act, the Authority must not grant a water supply licence with a wholesale authorisation under section 17A(1) of the 1991 Act<sup>(1)</sup>.

(2) The restriction in paragraph (1) does not apply if a water supply licence with a wholesale authorisation is granted to—

- (a) a person who has a water supply licence with a retail authorisation; or
- (b) a person who has applied for a water supply licence with a retail authorisation.

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(1) Section 17A was inserted by paragraph 2 of Schedule 4 to the Water Act 2003 (c.37), and substituted by section 1(1) of the 2014 Act.