STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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NORTHERN IRELAND

The Local Elections (Northern Ireland) (Amendment) Order 2024

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THE LOCAL ELECTIONS (NORTHERN IRELAND) (AMENDMENT) ORDER 2024

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