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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**2008 No. 2698 (L. 15)**

**TRIBUNALS AND INQUIRIES**

**The Tribunal Procedure (Upper Tribunal) Rules 2008**

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**THE TRIBUNAL PROCEDURE (UPPER TRIBUNAL) RULES 2008**

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