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SI 2018 NO. 1361

NOTICE is hereby given that the Chemical Weapons (Sanctions) (Overseas Territories) Order 2018 SI 2018 No. 1361, was made on 12th December, 2018, was laid before Parliament on 19th December, 2018 and comes into force on 9th January, 2019.

The full text of the Instrument can be viewed via the following link:

http://www.legislation.gov.uk/uksi/2018/1361/pdfs/uksi_20181361_en.pdf

The Explanatory Note of the Chemical Weapons (Sanctions) (Overseas Territories) Order 2018 is as follows:

“EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Order)

This Order gives effect in specified Overseas Territories to the sanctions regime created by the European Union in Council Decision (CFSP) 2018/1544 of 15th October 2018 concerning restrictive measures against the proliferation and use of chemical weapons and in Council Regulation (EU) 2018/1542 of 15th October 2018 concerning restrictive measures against the proliferation and use of chemical weapons.

The sanctions imposed include an asset-freeze on persons designated by the Council of the European Union as persons who are responsible for, involved in or promote the proliferation and use of chemical weapons, as well as persons associated with such persons.

For the purpose of this sanctions regime chemical weapons means chemical weapons as defined in Article II of the Convention on the Prohibition of the Development, Production, Stockpiling and Use of Chemical Weapons and on their Destruction, signed at Paris on 13th January 1993. The Convention can be found at <https://www.opcw.org/chemical-weapons-convention>.

The Order makes provision for the Governor of the relevant Overseas Territory to license certain activities in line with exemptions and derogations under the sanctions regime.”