## STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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## The Refugee or Person in Need of International Protection (Qualification) Regulations 2006

## Actors of persecution or serious harm

**3.** In deciding whether a person is a refugee or a person eligible for humanitarian protection, persecution or serious harm can be committed by:

- (a) the State;
- (b) any party or organisation controlling the State or a substantial part of the territory of the State;
- (c) any non-State actor if it can be demonstrated that the actors mentioned in paragraphs (a) and (b), including any international organisation, are unable or unwilling to provide protection against persecution or serious harm.