STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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ENERGY CONSERVATION

The Energy Information (Amendment) Regulations 2018

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The Secretary of State is a Minister designated(**1**) for the purposes of section 2(2) of the European Communities Act 1972(**2**) in relation to the environmental aspects of product design and makes these Regulations under the powers conferred by that section.

Citation and commencement

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Energy Information (Amendment) Regulations 2018 and come into force on 29th March 2018.

Amendments to the Energy Information Regulations 2011

2. The Energy Information Regulations 2011(**3**) are amended in accordance with regulations 3 to 13.

Amendment of regulation 2 (interpretation)

3.—(1) In regulation 2(1)—

(a) before the definition of "authorised person", insert—

> ""Article" means, except in Schedules 1 and 2, an Article in the EU Energy Labelling Regulation;";

(b) for the definition of "the Directive", substitute—

> ""the EU Energy Labelling Regulation" means Regulation (EU) 2017/1369 of the European Parliament and of the Council setting a framework for energy labelling and repealing Directive 2010/30/EU(**4**);".

(**1**) S.I. 2010/1552.
(**2**) 1972 c.68. Section 2(2) was amended by section 27(1)(a) of the Legislative and Regulatory Reform Act 2006 (c.51) and section 3 of, and Part 1 of the Schedule to, the European Union (Amendment) Act 2008 (c.7).
(**3**) S.I. 2011/1524, amended by S.I. 2011/2677, 2012/2897, 2012/3005, 2013/1232, 2014/1290, 2015/469 and 2016/838.
(**4**) OJ No L 198, 28.7.2017, p.1.

(2) In regulation 2(2), for "Directive", in both places in which that word occurs, substitute "EU Energy Labelling Regulation".

Amendment of regulation 3 (scope)

4.—(1) For regulation 3(1), substitute—

"(1) These Regulations apply to energy-related products.".

(2) In regulation 3(2)—

(a) in sub-paragraph (a), after "products", insert "unless they are imported from a third country";

(b) omit sub-paragraph (c).

Amendment of regulation 4 (enforcement)

5.—(1) For regulation 4(1), substitute—

"(1) The local weights and measures authority, and in relation to Northern Ireland the Department for the Economy, enforce—

(a) Article 5 (obligations of dealers);

(b) Article 6 (other obligations of suppliers and dealers) insofar as it relates to obligations placed on dealers;

(c) Article 9(1) and (4) (procedure at national level for dealing with products presenting a risk) insofar as it relates to obligations placed on dealers;

(d) Article 11(13) (procedure for the introduction and rescaling of labels) insofar as it relates to obligations placed on dealers; and

(e) RAMS.".

(2) For regulation 4(2), substitute—

"(2) The Secretary of State enforces—

(a) Article 3 (general obligations of suppliers);

(b) Article 4(1), (2), (4) and (6) (obligations of suppliers in relation to the product database);

(c) Article 6 (other obligations of suppliers and dealers) insofar as it relates to obligations placed on suppliers;

(d) Article 9(1) and (4) (procedure at national level for dealing with products presenting a risk) insofar as it relates to obligations placed on suppliers;

(e) Article 11(13) (procedure for the introduction and rescaling of labels) insofar as it relates to obligations placed on suppliers;

(f) Article 12(5) and (6) (product database);

(g) Article 20(3) (repeal and transitional measures); and

(h) RAMS.".

Amendment of regulation 5 (authorised persons)

6. In regulation 5, for "conferred by these Regulations or RAMS", substitute "conferred by these Regulations, the EU Energy Labelling Regulation or RAMS".