STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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CUSTOMS

The Export Control (Amendment) (No. 2) Order 2017

Made - - - -	*20th February 2017*
Laid before Parliament	*23rd February 2017*
Coming into force - -	*17th March 2017*

The Secretary of State is a Minister designated for the purposes of section 2(2) of the European Communities Act 1972(**1**), in relation to matters relating to trade in certain goods, including technical assistance, which could be used for capital punishment, torture or other cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment or punishment(**2**).

The Secretary of State makes this Order in exercise of the powers conferred by section 2(2) of the European Communities Act 1972 and by sections 3, 4, 5 and 7 of the Export Control Act 2002(**3**).

Citation and commencement

1. This Order may be cited as the Export Control (Amendment) (No. 2) Order 2017 and comes into force on 17th March 2017.

Amendments to the Export Control Order 2008

2.—(1) The Export Control Order 2008(**4**) is amended as follows.

(2) In article 26(6)(a), omit "(except that a licence granted under the torture Regulation may not be a general licence)".

(3) In article 36(7), for "Article 8(2)" substitute "Article 8(8)".

(4) After article 36, insert—

"**Further offences relating to the prohibitions etc. in the torture Regulation**

36A.—(1) In this article—

(a) references to "Articles" are references to articles in the torture Regulation; and

(**1**) 1972 c.68; section 2(2) was amended by section 27(1) of the Legislative and Regulatory Reform Act 2006 (c.51) and Part 1 of the Schedule to the European Union (Amendment) Act 2008 (c.7).
(**2**) S.I. 2006/1461, to which there are amendments not relevant to this Order.
(**3**) 2002 c.28
(**4**) S.I. 2008/3231, to which there are amendments not relevant to this Order.