STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2015 No. 1917

HEALTH AND SAFETY

The Railways and Other Guided Transport Systems (Safety) (Amendment) Regulations 2015

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The Secretary of State makes the following Regulations in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 15(1) and (2) and paragraph 15(1) of Schedule 3 to the Health and Safety at Work etc. Act 1974(**1**).

Citation and commencement

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Railways and Other Guided Transport Systems (Safety) (Amendment) Regulations 2015 and come into force on 11th December 2015.

Amendments to the Railways and Other Guided Transport Systems (Safety) Regulations 2006

2.—(1) The Railways and Other Guided Transport Systems (Safety) Regulations 2006(**2**) are amended as follows.

(2) In regulation 2 (interpretation and application), in paragraph (1) for the definition of "the Directive" substitute—

> ""the Directive" means Directive 2004/49/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council on safety on the Community's railways and amending Council Directive 95/18/EC on the licensing of railway undertakings and Directive 2001/14/EC on the allocation of railway infrastructure capacity and the levying of charges for the use of railway infrastructure and safety certification(**3**) as amended by—

(**1**) 1974 c.37; section 15(1) was substituted by the Employment Protection Act 1975 (c.71), Schedule 15, paragraph 6 and further amended by S.I. 2002/794, article 5(2) and Schedule 2; section 15(2) was amended by the Energy Act 2013 (c.32), Schedule 12, Part 1, paragraphs 1, 5(1) and (3);the general purposes of Part I referred to in section 15(1) were extended by section 117 of the Railways Act 1993 c.43.

(**2**) S.I. 2006/599 as amended by S.I. 2011/1860, S.I. 2013/950 and S.I. 2015/1682 (in these footnotes "the 2006 Regulations"); there are other amending instruments but none is relevant.

(**3**) O.J. No. L164 of 30.4.2004, p.44.