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PUBLIC HEALTH

The Pollution of Waters by Dangerous Substances (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1992

Made . . . . . *16th September 1992*

Coming into operation . . *28th October 1992*

The Department of the Environment, being a department designated(**a**) for the purposes of section 2(2) of the European Communities Act 1972(**b**) in relation to measures relating to the prevention, reduction and elimination of pollution of water, and of every other power enabling it in that behalf, hereby makes the following regulations:

Citation and commencement

1. These regulations may be cited as the Pollution of Waters by Dangerous Substances (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1992 and shall come into operation on 28th October 1992.

Amendment

2. For regulation 7 of the Pollution of Waters by Dangerous Substances Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1990(**c**) substitute the following regulation—

"**7.** In relation to emission standards the Department shall comply with the provisions of Annex II to the following Directives—

(*a*) Council Directive 82/176/EEC (mercury and its compounds)(**d**);

(*b*) Council Directive 83/513/EEC (cadmium and its compounds)(**e**);

(*c*) Council Directive 84/156/EEC (mercury and its compounds)(**f**);

(*d*) Council Directive 84/491/EEC (hexachlorocyclohexane)(**g**); and

(*e*) Council Directive 86/280/EEC (carbon tetrachloride, DDT, pentachlorophenol, aldrin, dieldrin, endrin, isodrin, hexachlorobenzene, hexachlorobutadiene, chloroform, 1,2-dichloroethane, trichloroethylene, perchloroethylene and trichlorobenzene)(**h**)."

(**a**) S.I. 1989/2393
(**b**) 1972 c. 68
(**c**) S.R. 1990 No. 38
(**d**) O.J. No. L81, 27.3.82, p. 29
(**e**) O.J. No. L291, 24.10.83, p. 1
(**f**) O.J. No. L74, 17.3.84, p. 49
(**g**) O.J. No. L274, 17.10.84, p. 11
(**h**) O.J. No. L181, 4.7.86, p. 16, as amended by Council Directive 88/347/EEC (O.J. No. L158, 25.6.88, p. 35) and Council Directive 90/415/EEC (O.J. No. L219, 14.8.90, p. 49)