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1) The Measuring Instruments Regulations 2016

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Message

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No abre el plazo - Nezahtuje odklady - Fristerne indledes ikke - Kein Fristbeginn - Viivituste perioodi ei avata - Καμμία έναρξη προθεσμίας - Does not open the delays - N'ouvre pas de délais - Non fa decorrere la mora - Neietekmē atlikšanu - Atidėjimai nepradedami - Nem nyitja meg a késések - Ma' jiftaħ il-perijodi ta' dawmien - Geen termijnbegin - Nie otwiera opóźnień - Nao inicia o prazo - Neotvorí oneskorenia - Ne uvaja zamud - Määräaika ei ala tästä - Inleder ingen frist - Не се предвижда период на прекъсване - Nu deschide perioadele de stagnare - Nu deschide perioadele de stagnare.

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1. Structured Information Line

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2. Member State

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4. Notification Number

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5. Title

1) The Measuring Instruments Regulations 2016

6. Products Concerned

1) The Measuring Instruments Regulations 2016 applies to the following measuring instruments-

- (a) water meters;
- (b) gas meters;
- (c) active electrical energy meters;
- (d) thermal energy meters;
- (e) non-water liquid measuring systems;
- (f) automatic weighing instruments of the following kinds-
 - (i) automatic catchweighers;
 - (ii) automatic gravimetric filling instruments;
 - (iii) discontinuous totalisers;
 - (iv) beltweighers; and
 - (v) automatic rail weighbridges;
- (g) taximeters;
- (h) material measures of the following kinds-
 - (i) measures of length; and
 - (ii) capacity serving measures;
- (i) dimensional measuring instruments of the following kinds-
 - (i) length measuring instruments;
 - (ii) area measuring instruments; and
 - (iii) multidimensional measuring instruments; and
- (j) exhaust gas analysers

7. Notification Under Another Act

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8. Main Content

The Measuring Instruments Regulations 2016 implement the Measuring Instruments Directive (2014/32/EU) aligned under the New Legislative Framework (NLF) text of EU Decision 768/2008/EC and Regulation 765/2008/EC on accreditation and market surveillance.

The Regulation revokes and replaces The Measuring Instruments Regulations 2006 (15 individual instrument regulations (as amended)). It introduces new obligations on manufacturers, importers and distributors. It also makes detailed provisions concerning the bodies which are entitled to carry out conformity assessment and the market surveillance regime. The scope and essential requirements are unchanged.

In addition to the safeguard provisions of the Directive the new legislation also includes national inservice control provisions.

9. Brief Statement of Grounds



The legislation not only transposes the provisions of the MID but includes in-service national control provisions for individual instruments once they have been placed on the market and put into use both in relation to metrological performance and continued suitability. Disqualification and re-qualification provisions provide for the control of non-conforming instruments by appropriate persons.

10. Reference Documents - Basic Texts

No Basic Text exists

11. Invocation of the Emergency Procedure

No

12. Grounds for the Emergency

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13. Confidentiality

No

14. Fiscal measures

No

15. Impact assessment

Yes

16. TBT and SPS aspects

TBT aspect

Yes

SPS aspect

No - The draft is not a sanitary or phytosanitary measure

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