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National Standards for Sustainable Drainage

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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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4. Notification Number

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5. Title

National Standards for Sustainable Drainage

6. Products Concerned

Standards for the design, construction, maintenance and operation of sustainable drainage systems (SuDS) in England in accordance with paragraph 5 of Schedule 3 (National Standards) of the Flood and Water Management Act 2010.

7. Notification Under Another Act

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8. Main Content

The document contains standards for new sustainable drainage systems (SuDS) in England.

The standards set requirements for runoff destination, managing off-site flood risk, peak flow, volume, managing flood risk within the development, preserving water quality, ensuring structural integrity, designing for economic sustainability, construction, maintenance, operation and affordability.

9. Brief Statement of Grounds

Schedule 3 of the Flood and Water Management Act 2010 provides for increased uptake of sustainable drainage systems in new developments. These new drainage systems will aim to manage rainwater to reduce damage from flooding, protect water quality and the environment, as well as being safe and durable.

To achieve this the law requires drainage systems to be approved by local government as compliant with National Standards. National Standards ensure that the aims of sustainable drainage are being achieved. This is also important because when the drainage systems are constructed, the local government will adopt most drainage systems and be responsible for their maintenance.

These standards for the design, construction, maintenance and operation of sustainable drainage systems in England fulfil the requirements for National Standards at paragraph 5, Schedule 3 of the Act and will ensure that the aims of reducing the damage from flooding are achieved.

10. Reference Documents - Basic Texts

References of the Basic Texts: Flood and Water Management Act 2010

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

No - The draft has no significant impact on international trade

SPS aspect

No - The draft has no significant impact on international trade

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