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The Hallmarking Act 1973 (Exemption)(Amendment No.2) Order 2007

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1. Structured Information Line

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2. Member State

UK

3. Department Responsible

Department of Trade and Industry: Office of Science and Innovation

3. Originating Department

Department of Trade and Industry: Consumer and Competition Policy Directorate

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6. Products Concerned

Articles of mixtures of precious metal (gold and silver and platinum) and mixtures of precious metal and other materials

7. Notification Under Another Act

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8. Main Content

This measure replaces the current exemption from hallmarking for the above articles where they contain small amounts of precious metal to a simpler system based on the weight of metal in a product. It replaces a system based on ascertaining the relative percentage weight of a specific precious metal in relation to the whole weight of the article.

9. Brief Statement of Grounds

The former is system is considered to be unworkable and was to be repealed in any case. This amendment is also to ensure that the system is appropriate in the light of recent changes to the UK regime in respect of permitting more mixed metal goods to be hallmarked.

10. Reference Documents - Basic Texts

c) 1998/0194/UK

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

The impact assessment is attached.

16. TBT and SPS aspects

TBT Aspect



SPS Aspect

No

The draft is not a sanitary or phytosanitary measure in the sense of Annex A of the SPS Agreement.

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