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BD2/11 Technical Approval of Highway Structures

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No abre el plazo - Nezahajuje 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 késéseket - Ma' jiftaħx il-perijodi ta' dawmien - Geen termijnbegin - Nie otwiera opóźnień - Nao inicia o prazo - Neotvorí oneskorenia - Ne uvaja zamud - Мääräaika 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

2011/0421/UK - B00

5. Title

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6. Products Concerned

This standard specifies the procedures for technical approval for highway structures. Highway structures include bridges, subways, underpasses, culverts, gantries, masts, earth retaining structures and temporary highway structures.

7. Notification Under Another Act

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8. Main Content

This standard specifies the procedures for technical approval for the design, modification or assessment of highway structures. Highway structures include bridges, subways, underpasses, culverts, gantries, masts, earth retaining structures and temporary highway structures.

9. Brief Statement of Grounds

The fundamental objective of the technical approval procedure is to give increased assurance for the design, construction, assessment, refurbishment or demolition of highway structures particularly with respect to safety. This will help to ensure that the proposals are safe to implement, that structures are serviceable in use, economic to build and maintain, comply with the objectives of sustainability, have due regard for the environment and that they satisfactorily perform their intended functions. The technical approval procedures also ensure, as far as reasonably practicable, that highway users, the public and any others who may be affected are protected from adverse effects resulting from any work carried out to any highway structure.

10. Reference Documents - Basic Texts

References of the Basic Texts: BS EN 1990:2002 + A1:2005 Eurocode 0: Basis of structural design BS EN 1991-2:2003 Eurocode 1: Actions on structures. Traffic loads on bridges BD 94/07 Design of Minor Structures
HD 22/08 Managing Geotechnical Risk
Construction (Design and Management) Regulations 2007
Council Directive 89/106/EEC on construction products

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

Impact Assessment not available.

16. TBT and SPS aspects

TBT aspect

No - The draft has no significant impact on international trade

SPS aspect

No - The draft is not a sanitary or phytosanitary measure

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