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The Transfrontier Shipment of Waste Regulations 2007

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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

United Kingdom

3. Department Responsible

Department of Trade and Industry: Office of Science and Innovation

3. Originating Department

Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs

4. Notification Number

2007/0181/UK - T20T

5. Title

The Transfrontier Shipment of Waste Regulations 2007

6. Products Concerned

Waste shipped in accordance with Regulation (EC) No 1013/2006

7. Notification Under Another Act

None.

8. Main Content

The Transfrontier Shipment of Waste Regulations include the following:

- (a) Regulation 6 sets out the competent authorities for the purposes of Community Regulation (EC) No 1013/2006;
- (b) Regulation 8 and Schedule 1 set out transitional arrangements that apply to shipments of waste to Latvia, Poland, Slovakia, Bulgaria and Romania.
- (c) Regulations 10 -14 relate to the provision, consultation on and implementation of a waste management plan containing policies on the bringing into, or dispatch from the United Kingdom of waste for disposal.
- (d) Regulation 16 creates an offence for shipping waste in breach of the requirements of the Community Regulation to manage shipments in an environmentally sound manner and without endangering human health.
- (e) Regulations 18 to 34 set out requirements for shipments of waste to and from the United Kingdom and waste transiting through the United Kingdom from other countries.
- (f) Regulations 35 to 44 set out duties on carriers, notifiers, persons who arrange shipments of waste subject to the general information requirements, operators of facilities, consignees and laboratories in respect of the shipment, recovery or disposal of waste in the United Kingdom.
- (g) Regulations 45 and 46 make provision for the UK competent authorities to make charges for the carrying out of their functions under the Community Regulation.
- (h) Regulation 47 and Schedule 4 set out the procedures for the application for approval of a financial guarantee or equivalent insurance.
- (i) Regulation 49 provides that the Regulations are to be enforced by the competent authorities and Schedule 5 set out their powers. Regulation 51 gives powers to Her Majesty's Revenue and Customs officers to detain waste.

The UK will fulfil its obligation under Article 12 of Directive 98/34/EC when these Regulations are officially published.

9. Brief Statement of Grounds

The aim is to replace the Transfrontier Shipment of Waste Regulations 1994 (SI No 1994/1137 with new Regulations to give full effect to the provisions of the revised EC Waste Shipments Regulation (Regulation (EC) No 1013/2006). The Regulations set out offences and penalties and designate the competent authorities responsible for enforcing the Waste Shipment Regulations in the UK.

10. Reference Documents - Basic Texts e) No basic texts.
11. Invocation of the Emergency Procedure No
12. Grounds for the Emergency Not applicable.
13. Confidentiality No
14. Fiscal measures No
15. Impact assessment The impact assessment is attached.
16. TBT and SPS aspects TBT Aspect No The draft is not a technical regulation nor a conformity assessment procedure in the sense of Annex 1 of the TBT Agreement.
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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