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## BUILDING REGULATIONS (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1994

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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: STANDARDS, QUALITY AND  
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**3. Originating Department**

DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT FOR NORTHERN IRELAND

**4. Notification Number**

93/0362/UK

**5. Title**

BUILDING REGULATIONS (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1994

**6. Products Concerned**



ALL CONSTRUCTION USED IN THE CONSTRUCTION OF A BUILDING OTHER THAN THOSE IN THE ELECTRICAL POWER AND LIGHTING SYSTEMS.

#### **7. Notification Under Another Act**

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#### **8. Main Content**

A. DRAFT BUILDING REGULATIONS (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1994.  
THE REVISION OF THE BUILDING REGULATIONS (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1990 AND THE INCORPORATION OF THE 1991 AND 1993 AMENDMENTS.

ALL PARTS OF THE REGULATIONS HAVE BEEN CHANGED OTHER THAN-  
PART F: CONSERVATION OF FUEL AND POWER: AND  
PART N: DRAINAGE

REPLACEMENT TECHNICAL BOOKLETS HAVE BEEN PREPARED FOR -  
PART C: PREPARATION OF SITE AND RESISTANCE TO MOISTURE.  
PART D: STRUCTURE.

NEW TECHNICAL BOOKLETS ARE PROPOSED FOR -  
PART E: FIRE SAFETY.  
PART G: SOUND INSULATION (TO COVER CONVERSIONS TO DWELLINGS).  
PART H: STAIRS, RAMPS AND GUARDING.  
PART P: SANITARY APPLIANCES AND UNVENTILATED HOT WATER STORAGE SYSTEMS.  
PART R: FACILITIES FOR DISABLED PEOPLE.  
PART V: SAFETY GLAZING.  
B. THE UNITED KINGDOM WOULD LIKE TO BE INFORMED BY OTHER MEMBER STATES OF THEIR OWN STANDARDS OR REGULATIONS, OFFERING AN EQUIVALENT LEVEL OF SAFETY AND SECURITY.

#### **9. Brief Statement of Grounds**

THE DRAFT BUILDING REGULATIONS HAVE BEEN PREPARED TO -  
A. CONSOLIDATE THE AMENDMENTS OF THE REGULATIONS:  
B. HARMONISE NORTHERN IRELAND REQUIREMENTS WITH THE REQUIREMENTS ALREADY OPERATIVE IN ENGLAND AND WALES: AND  
C. FULFIL THE REQUIREMENTS OF EC DIRECTIVES.

#### **10. Reference Documents - Basic Texts**

DRAFT DOCUMENT:

1. DRAFT BUILDING REGULATIONS 1994.
2. DRAFT TECHNICAL BOOKLETS SUPPORTING PARTS C, D, E, G, H, P, R AND V.
3. OTHER DOCUMENTATION WAS NOTIFIED WITH NOTIFICATIONS 89/0163/UK, AND 90/0341/UK AND 92/0020/UK.

#### **11. Invocation of the Emergency Procedure**

NO

#### **12. Grounds for the Emergency**

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