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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**HEALTH AND SAFETY**

**The Chemicals (Hazard Information and  
Packaging for Supply) Regulations 1994**

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**THE CHEMICALS (HAZARD INFORMATION AND  
PACKAGING FOR SUPPLY) REGULATIONS 1994**

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  7. Advertisements for substances dangerous for supply
  8. Packaging of substances and preparations dangerous for supply
  9. Labelling of substances and preparations dangerous for supply
  10. Particular labelling requirements for certain preparations
  11. Methods of marking or labelling packages
  12. Child resistant fastenings and tactile warning devices
  13. Retention of classification data for substances and preparations dangerous for supply
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SCHEDULE 1 — CLASSIFICATION OF SUBSTANCES AND PREPARATIONS  
DANGEROUS FOR SUPPLY

PART I — CATEGORIES OF DANGER

PART II — CLASSIFICATION OF SUBSTANCES AND PREPARATIONS  
DANGEROUS FOR SUPPLY IN AEROSOL DISPENSERS AS  
FLAMMABLE

1. A substance or preparation which is packed in an aerosol...
2. Where an aerosol dispenser contains a substance or preparation which...  
PART III — METHODS FOR THE DETERMINATION OF FLASH POINT
  1. For the purpose of classifying a substance or preparation dangerous...
  2. The use of any method or apparatus referred to in...
  3. The equilibrium methods referred to in paragraph 1(a) are those...
  4. The non-equilibrium methods referred to in paragraph 1(b) use the...
  5. To determine the flash point of viscous liquids (paints, gums...

SCHEDULE 2 — INDICATIONS OF DANGER AND SYMBOLS FOR  
SUBSTANCES AND PREPARATIONS DANGEROUS FOR  
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SCHEDULE 3 — CLASSIFICATION PROVISIONS FOR PREPARATIONS  
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1. Application
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3. Classification of preparations by physico-chemical properties
4. Classification of preparations by health effects
5. Classification by the conventional method
6. Classification by the conventional method as very toxic
7. Classification by the conventional method as toxic
8. Classification by the conventional method as harmful
9. Classification by the conventional method as corrosive
10. The following preparations shall also be regarded as corrosive—
11. Classification by the conventional method as irritant
12. The following preparations shall be regarded as skin irritants—
13. The following preparations shall be regarded as eye irritants—
14. The following preparations shall be regarded as irritants for the...
15. Classification by the conventional method as carcinogenic
16. Classification by the conventional method as mutagenic
17. Classification by the conventional method as toxic for reproduction
18. Lower limits of concentration  
PART II — CONCENTRATION LIMITS TO BE USED IN APPLYING  
THE CONVENTIONAL METHOD OF ASSESSING HEALTH  
EFFECTS IN ACCORDANCE WITH PART I OF THIS  
SCHEDULE WHERE NO SUCH LIMITS ARE GIVEN IN THE  
APPROVED SUPPLY LIST
  1. Acute lethal effects
    - 1.1 *Other than gaseous preparations*
    - 1.2 *Gaseous preparations*
  2. Non-lethal irreversible effects after a single exposure
    - 2.1 *Other than gaseous preparations*
    - 2.2 *Gaseous preparations*

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3. Severe effects after repeated or prolonged exposure
- 3.1 ***Other than gaseous preparations***
- 3.2 ***Gaseous preparations***
4. Corrosive and irritant effects including serious damage to eye
- 4.1 ***Other than gaseous preparations***
- 4.2 ***Gaseous preparations***
5. Sensitizing effects
- 5.1 ***Other than gaseous preparations***
- 5.2 ***Gaseous preparations***
6. Carcinogenic/mutagenic/toxic effects for reproduction
- 6.1 ***Other than gaseous preparations***
- 6.2 ***Gaseous preparations***

SCHEDULE 4 — CLASSIFICATION PROVISIONS FOR PREPARATIONS  
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1. Interpretation
2. Classification as very toxic, toxic or harmful

SCHEDULE 5 — HEADINGS UNDER WHICH PARTICULARS ARE TO BE  
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1. Labelling particulars for substances dangerous for supply
2. Labelling particulars for preparations dangerous for supply
3. Derogation for naming the ingredients of certain preparations containing harmful substances.
4. Indications of danger and symbols for substances and preparations dangerous for supply
5. Designation of pesticides to which Schedule 4 applies

PART II — PARTICULAR PROVISIONS CONCERNING CERTAIN  
PREPARATIONS

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*Special provisions for preparations dangerous for supply*

1. Preparations to be supplied to the general public
2. Preparations intended for use by spraying
3. Preparations containing a substance affected by the risk phrase R33 (danger of cumulative effects)
4. Preparations containing a substance affected by the risk phrase R64 (may cause harm to breast-fed babies)

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*Special provisions for preparations whether or not dangerous for supply*

1. Paints and varnishes containing lead
2. Cyanoacrylate based adhesives
3. Preparations containing isocyanates
4. Certain preparations containing epoxy constituents

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5. Preparations intended to be sold to the general public that contain active chlorine
6. Preparations containing cadmium (alloys) intended to be used for brazing or soldering

SCHEDULE 7 — PROVISIONS RELATING TO CHILD RESISTANT CLOSURES AND TACTILE WARNING DEVICES

SCHEDULE 8 — MODIFICATIONS TO CERTAIN ENACTMENTS RELATING TO THE FLASH POINT OF FLAMMABLE LIQUIDS

PART I — MODIFICATION TO THE PETROLEUM (CONSOLIDATION) ACT 1928

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Explanatory Note