
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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The Restriction of the Use of Certain Hazardous Substances
in Electrical and Electronic Equipment Regulations 2012

PART 2

Prohibitions and Obligations on Economic Operators

Distributors

Duty to act with due care and prohibition on making EEE available on the market

29.—(1) When making EEE available on the market, a distributor must act with due care in relation to the requirements applicable, in particular by verifying that—

- (a) the EEE bears the CE marking;
- (b) the EEE is accompanied by the required documents in a language which can be easily understood by consumers and other end-users in the Member State in which the EEE is to be made available on the market;
- (c) the manufacturer has complied with regulation 18 (information identifying EEE and manufacturer);
- (d) the importer has complied with regulation 24 (information identifying importers).

(2) A distributor must not make EEE available on the market if the distributor has reason to believe that the EEE does not comply with the requirements of regulation 3.