### STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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# CUSTOMS ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

The International Waste Shipments (Amendment of Regulation (EC) No 1013/2006 and 1418/2007) Regulations 2021

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The Secretary of State makes these Regulations in exercise of the powers conferred by: the first paragraph of Article 37(2); and Articles 58(1)(a) and 59a(3)(a), of Regulation (EC) No 1013/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council on shipments of waste ("Regulation (EC) No 1013/2006")(1).

#### Citation, commencement and extent

- 1.—(1) These Regulations may be cited as the International Waste Shipments (Amendment of Regulation (EC) No 1013/2006 and 1418/2007) Regulations 2021.
  - (2) These Regulations come into force on 29th July 2021.
  - (3) These Regulations extend to England and Wales, Scotland and Northern Ireland.

# Amendment to Annex 7 to Regulation (EC) No 1013/2006

**2.** In table note (4) in Annex 7 to Regulation (EC) No 1013/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council on shipments of waste omit ", B3010".

### Amendments to the Table in the Annex to Regulation (EC) No 1418/2007

**3.** The Table in the Annex to Commission Regulation (EC) No 1418/2007 concerning the export for recovery of certain waste listed in Annex III or IIIA to Regulation (EC) No 1013/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council to certain countries to which the OECD Decision on the

<sup>(1)</sup> EUR 2006/1013, amended by S.I. 2019/473, 2019/590, 2020/1455. Articles 37(2) and 58(1)(a) were amended by S.I. 2019/473 so that the powers contained in them, and as a consequence the power contained in Article 59a(3)(a), is now vested in the Secretary of State.

control of transboundary movements of wastes does not apply(2) is amended in accordance with the Schedule.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs

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Affairs

30th June 2021

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**Explanatory Note** 

# Afghanistan

1. At the beginning of the Table, insert—

"Afghanistan			
a	b	c	d
	B3011".		

### Albania

**2.** Under the heading "Albania" and the sub-heading "Single waste entries", for the row which contains "B3010 all other waste" substitute—

"B3011".		

### Algeria

**3.** Under the heading "Algeria" and the sub-heading "Single waste entries", omit the row which contains "from B3010".

## Angola

4. After the final row under the heading "Andorra", insert—

"Angola			
a	b	c	d
	B3011".		

# Anguilla

**5.** Under the heading "Anguilla", in column "a", after "All waste listed in Annex III and mixtures of wastes listed in Annex IIIA of Regulation (EC) No 1013/2006", insert ", except B3011".

# **Argentina**

- **6.** Under the heading "Argentina"—
  - (a) and the sub-heading "Single waste entries", omit the row which contains "from B3010";
  - (b) and the sub-heading "Mixtures of wastes", omit the three rows which contain "Mix B3010".

### Azerbaijan

7. Under the heading "Azerbaijan" and the sub-heading "Single waste entries", omit the row which contains "B3010".

### **Bahamas**

8. After the final row under the heading "Azerbaijan", insert—

"Bahamas			
a	b	c	d
	B3011".		

## Bangladesh

- **9.** Under the heading "Bangladesh"—
  - (a) and the sub-heading "Single waste entries", in column "a", for "B2030—B3010" substitute "B2030—B2130";
  - (b) and the sub-heading "Mixtures of wastes", omit the three rows which contain "Mix B3010".

### Belarus

- **10.** Under the heading "Belarus"—
  - (a) and the sub-heading "Single waste entries"—
    - (i) in column "c", for "B1250—B3035" substitute "B1250—B2130";
    - (ii) after the row amended by sub-paragraph (i), insert—

		"B3011
	B3020—B3035";	

(b) and the sub-heading "Mixtures of wastes", omit the three rows which contain "Mix B3010".

### Bermuda

11. Under the heading "Bermuda", in column "a", after "All waste listed in Annex III and mixtures of wastes listed in Annex IIIA of Regulation (EC) No 1013/2006", insert ", except B3011".

## Bolivia

**12.** Under the heading "Bolivia", in column "d", after "All waste listed in Annex III and mixtures of wastes listed in Annex IIIA of Regulation (EC) No 1013/2006", insert ", except B3011".

### **Bosnia and Herzegovina**

13. Under the heading "Bosnia and Herzegovina", omit the row which contains "B3010".

#### **Brazil**

- 14. Under the heading "Brazil"—
  - (a) and the sub-heading "Single waste entries"—
    - (i) in column "c", for "B2040—B3050" substitute "B2040—B2130";
    - (ii) after the row amended by sub-paragraph (i), insert—

"B3011		
	B3020—B3050";	

(b) and the sub-heading "Mixtures of wastes", omit the three rows which contain "Mix B3010".

#### Brunei

15. After the final row under the heading "Brazil", insert—

"Brunei			
a	b	c	d
B3011".			

### Burundi

**16.** Under the heading "Burundi", in column "a", after "All waste listed in Annex III and mixtures of wastes listed in Annex IIIA of Regulation (EC) No 1013/2006", insert ", except B3011".

### Cambodia

<b>17.</b> Under the heading "Camboo	11a''—
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(a) and the sub-heading "Single waste entries", for the row which contains "B3010" substitute—

"From B3011:	From B3011:	
—All other wastes	—polyethylene	
	—polyethylene terephthalate";	

<sup>(</sup>b) and the sub-heading "Mixtures of wastes", omit the three rows which contain "Mix B3010".

### Cameroon

18. After the final row under the heading "Cambodia", insert—

"Cameroon			
a	b	c	d
B3011".			

# Cape Verde

19. For the rows under the heading "Cape Verde" substitute—

"a	b	c	d
	B3011		
All other waste listed in Annex III and mixtures of wastes listed in Annex IIIA of Regulation (EC) No 1013/2006".			

**20.** Under the heading "Chile", in column "d", after "All waste listed in Annex III and mixtures of wastes listed in Annex IIIA of Regulation (EC) No 1013/2006", insert ", except B3011".

#### China

- 21. Under the heading "China"—
  - (a) and the sub-heading "Single waste entries", for the row which contains "from B3010" substitute—

"B3011";		

(b) and the sub-heading "Mixtures of waste", omit the three rows which contain "Mix B3010".

### **Chinese Taipei**

- 22. Under the heading "Chinese Taipei"—
  - (a) and the sub-heading "Single waste entries", for the row which contains "from B3010" substitute—

"From B3011:	From B3011:	;
—Mixtures of separated polyethylene, polypropylene and/or polyethyleneterephthahalte	—Non-halog polymers  —Cured resin condensation	n or
	—Fluorinated polymer";	d

<sup>(</sup>b) and the sub-heading "Mixtures of wastes", omit the three rows which contain "Mix B3010".

### Colombia

**23.** Under the heading "Colombia" and the sub-heading "Single waste entries", for the row which contains "B2060-B3020" substitute—

	"B2060—B2130	
		B3011
	B3020".	

### Costa Rica

**24.** Under the heading "Costa Rica" and the sub-heading "Single waste entries", for the row which contains "B1010-B3050" substitute—

"B1010—B2130	B1010—B2130
	B3011

B3020—B3050	B3020—B3050".

# Cuba

**25.** Under the heading "Cuba", in column "c", after "all waste listed in Annex III of Regulation (EC) No 1013/2006", insert ", except B3011".

### **Democratic Republic of the Congo**

**26.** Under the heading "Democratic Republic of the Congo", in column "a", after "All waste listed in Annex III and mixtures of wastes listed in Annex IIIA of Regulation (EC) No 1013/2006", insert ", except B3011".

### **Dominican Republic**

**27.** Under the heading "Dominican Republic", in column a, after "All waste listed in Annex III and mixtures of wastes listed in Annex IIIA of Regulation (EC) No 1013/2006", insert ", except B3011".

### **Ecuador**

28. For the rows under the heading "Ecuador" substitute—

a	b	с	d
From B3011:		From B3011:	
—Non-halogenated polymers		—Cured resin or condensation product	
—Fluorinated polymer			
—Mixtures of separated polyethylene, polypropylene and/or polyethyleneterephthalate			
All other waste listed in Annex III and mixtures of wastes listed in Annex IIIA of Regulation (EC) No 1013/2006".			

# **Egypt**

**29.** Under the heading "Egypt" and the sub-heading "Single waste entries", for the row which contains "B1080 - B4030" substitute—

"B1080—B2130		
		B3011
B3020—B4030".		

#### El Salvador

**30.** For the rows under the heading "El Salvador" substitute—

" a	b	с	d
			B3011
	All other waste listed in Annex III and mixtures of wastes listed in Annex IIIA of Regulation (EC) No 1013/2006		All other waste listed in Annex III and mixtures of wastes listed in Annex IIIA of Regulation (EC) No 1013/2006".

# Ethiopia

31. For the rows under the heading "Ethiopia" substitute—

"a	b	с	d
	B3011		
All other waste listed in Annex III and mixtures of wastes listed in Annex IIIA of Regulation (EC) No 1013/2006".			

## French Polynesia

**32.** Under the heading "French Polynesia", in column "a", after "All waste listed in Annex III and mixtures of wastes listed in Annex IIIA of Regulation (EC) No 1013/2006", insert ", except B3011".

### Gabon

**33.** Under the heading "Gabon" and the sub-heading "Mixtures of wastes", in column "a", after "All mixtures of wastes listed in Annex IIIA of Regulation (EC) No 1013/2006", insert ", except B3011".

### Gambia

**34.** Under the heading "Gambia", in column "d", after "All waste listed in Annex III and mixtures of wastes listed in Annex IIIA of Regulation (EC) No 1013/2006", insert ", except B3011".

#### Ghana

**35.** Under the heading "Ghana", in column "a", after "All waste listed in Annex III and mixtures of wastes listed in Annex IIIA of Regulation (EC) No 1013/2006", insert ", except B3011".

## Georgia

**36.** Under the heading "Georgia"—

- (a) and the sub-heading "Single waste entries", in column "d", for "B3010—B3035" substitute "B3011—B3035";
- (b) and the sub-heading "Mixtures of wastes", omit the three rows which contain "Mix B3010".

### Guatemala

**37.** For the rows under the heading "Guatemala" substitute—

"a	b	С	d
			B3011
	All other waste listed in Annex III and mixtures of wastes listed in Annex IIIA of Regulation (EC) No 1013/2006".		

### Guinea Bissau

**38.** After the final row under the heading "Guatemala", insert—

"Guinea Bissau			
a	b	c	d
B3011".			

# Guinea (Republic of Guinea)

**39.** Under the heading "Guinea (Republic of Guinea)", in column "a", after "All waste listed in Annex III and mixtures of wastes listed in Annex IIIA of Regulation (EC) No 1013/2006", insert ", except B3011".

### Hong Kong (China)

**40.** Under the heading "Hong Kong (China)" and the sub-heading "Single waste entries", in column "d", for "B3010—B3030" substitute "B3011—B3030".

### India

**41.** For the rows under the heading "India" substitute—

"a	b	c	d
From B3011:			From B3011:
—All other wastes			—polyethylene
			—polymethyl methacrylate

1013/2006".
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### Indonesia

42. Under the heading "Indonesia", for the row which contains "B3010" substitute—

"From B3011:		From B3011:
—Cured resin or condensation product		—Non-halogenated polymers
—Fluorinated polymer		—Mixtures of separated polyethylene, polypropylene and/or polyethyleneterephthalate".

### Iran (Islamic Republic of Iran)

**43.** Under the heading "Iran (Islamic Republic of Iran)", in column "b", for "B3010—B3020" substitute "B3020".

### Iraq

44. After the final row under the heading "Iran (Islamic Republic of Iran)", insert—

"Iraq			
a	b	c	d
B3011".			

# Kazakhstan

**45.** Under the heading "Kazakhstan" and the sub-heading "Mixtures of wastes", omit the three rows which contain "Mix B3010".

# Kenya

**46.** Under the heading "Kenya" and the sub-heading "Single waste entries", in column "a", after "All waste listed in Annex III of Regulation (EC) No 1013/2006", insert ", except B3011".

#### Kuwait

**47.** Under the heading "Kuwait", in column "a", after "All waste listed in Annex III and mixtures of wastes listed in Annex IIIA of Regulation (EC) No 1013/2006", insert ", except B3011".

# Kyrgyzstan

**48.** Under the heading "Kyrgyzstan" and the sub-heading "Single waste entries", omit the row which contains "from B3010".

### Lebanon

49. Under the heading "Lebanon", omit the row which contains "from B3010".

# Libya

**50.** After the final row under the heading "Liberia", insert—

"Libya			
a	b	c	d
B3011".			

# Macau (China)

**51.** Under the heading "Macau (China)", in column "a", after "All waste listed in Annex III and mixtures of wastes listed in Annex IIIA of Regulation (EC) No 1013/2006", insert ", except B3011".

### Malawi

**52.** For the rows under the heading "Malawi" substitute—

	b	c	d
	B3011		
All other waste listed in Annex III and mixtures of wastes listed in Annex IIIA of Regulation (EC) No 1013/2006".			

### Malaysia

**53.** Under the heading "Malaysia" and the sub-heading "Single waste entries", in column "d", for "B3010-B3020" substitute "B3011-B3020".

# **Marshall Islands**

**54.** After the final row under the heading "Mali", insert—

"Marshall Islands				
a	b	c	d	
B3011".				

# Micronesia (Federated States of Micronesia)

55. After the final row under the heading "Mauritius (Republic of Mauritius)", insert—

"Micronesia (Federated States of Micronesia)			
a	b	c	d
B3011".			

### Moldova (Republic of Moldova)

**56.** Under the heading "Moldova (Republic of Moldova)" and the sub-heading "Single waste entries", in column "a", for "B2030—B3010" substitute "B2030—B2130".

# Montenegro

**57.** For the rows under the heading "Montenegro" substitute—

 b	с	d
B3011		
		All other waste listed in Annex III and mixtures of wastes listed in Annex IIIA of Regulation (EC) No 1013/2006".

### Montserrat

**58.** Under the heading "Montserrat", in column "a", after "All waste listed in Annex III and mixtures of wastes listed in Annex IIIA of Regulation (EC) No 1013/2006", insert ", except B3011".

### Morocco

**59.** Under the heading "Morocco" and the sub-heading "Single waste entries", for the row which contains "from B3010" substitute—

	"B3011	B3011".

### Mozambique and Myanmar

**60.** After the final row under the heading "Morocco", insert—

"Mozambique				
a	b	c	d	
B3011				
Myanmar				
a	b	c	d	
B3011".				

#### Namibia

**61.** For the rows under the heading "Namibia" substitute—

"a	b	с	d
From B3011:	From B3011:		From B3011:
—Cured resin or condensation product —Fluorinated	—Non-halogenated polymers  —Mixtures of		—Non-halogenated polymers
polymer	separated polyethylene, polypropylene and/or polyethyleneterephthalate		
All other waste listed in Annex III and mixtures of wastes listed in Annex IIIA of Regulation (EC) No 1013/2006".			

# Nepal

**62.** Under the heading "Nepal" and the sub-heading "Single waste entries", in column "a", for "B2070—B3010" substitute "B2070—B3011".

# Niger

- **63.** Under the heading "Niger"—
  - (a) and the sub-heading "Single waste entries", in column "a", for "B2010—B3010" substitute "B2010—B2130";
  - (b) and the sub-heading "Mixtures of wastes", omit the three rows which contain "Mix B3010".

### Oman

**64.** Under the heading "Oman", after the row which contains "from B1010: all others", insert—

"B3011".	

## **Pakistan**

- **65.** Under the heading "Pakistan"—
  - (a) and the sub-heading "Single waste entries", for the row which contains "B3010" substitute—

"B3011";	

(b) and the sub-heading "Mixtures of wastes", omit the three rows which contain "Mix B3010".

#### **Panama**

**66.** After the final row under the heading "Pakistan", insert—

"Panama			
a	b	c	d
		B3011".	

#### Papua New Guinea

**67.** Under the heading "Papua New Guinea", in column "a", after "All waste listed in Annex III and mixtures of wastes listed in Annex IIIA of Regulation (EC) No 1013/2006", insert ", except B3011".

### **Paraguay**

**68.** Under the heading "Paraguay", in column "a", after "All waste listed in Annex III and mixtures of wastes listed in Annex IIIA of Regulation (EC) No 1013/2006", insert ", except B3011".

### **Philippines**

- **69.** Under the heading "Philippines"—
  - (a) and the sub-heading "Single waste entries", omit the row which contains "B3010";
  - (b) and the sub-heading "Mixtures of wastes", omit the three rows which contain "Mix B3010".

### Qatar

**70.** Under the heading "Qatar", in column "a", after "All waste listed in Annex III and mixtures of wastes listed in Annex IIIA of Regulation (EC) No 1013/2006", insert ", except B3011".

### Republic of Congo

71. After the final row under the heading "Qatar", insert—

"Republic of Congo			
a	b	c	d
B3011".			

### Russia (Russian Federation)

**72.** Under the heading "Russia (Russian Federation)" and the sub-heading "Single waste entries", in column "d", for "B1250—B3010" substitute "B1250—B2130".

### Rwanda

73. Under the heading "Rwanda", in column "a", after "All waste listed in Annex III and mixtures of wastes listed in Annex IIIA of Regulation (EC) No 1013/2006", insert ", except B3011".

### Sao Tome and Principe

74. After the final row under the heading "Saint Vincent and the Grenadines", insert—

"Sao Tome and Princip	pe		
a	b	c	d
From B3011:		From B3011:	
—Non-halogenated polymers		—Cured resin or condensation product	
		—Fluorinated polymer	
		—Mixtures of separated polyethylene, polypropylene and/or polyethyleneterephthalate".	

# Senegal

**75.** Under the heading "Senegal", in the sub heading "Single waste entries", for the row which contains "B1010—B3020" substitute—

"B1010—B2130		
B3020".		

### Serbia

**76.** Under the heading "Serbia", in column "d", after "All waste listed in Annex III and mixtures of wastes listed in Annex IIIA of Regulation (EC) No 1013/2006", insert ", except B3011".

# **Seychelles**

77. Under the heading "Seychelles" and the sub-heading "Single waste entries", for the row which contains "B1010—B3040" substitute—

"B1010—B2130		
	B3011	
B3020—B3040".		

# **Singapore**

78. For the rows under the heading "Singapore" substitute—

"a	b	С	d
		B3011	
			All other waste listed in Annex III and mixtures of wastes listed in Annex IIIA of Regulation (EC) No 1013/2006".

### **Sudan and Suriname**

79. After the final row under the heading "Sri Lanka", insert—

"Sudan			
a	b	c	d
	B3011		
Suriname		1	1
a	b	c	d
B3011".			

### **Tajikistan**

**80.** Under the heading "Tajikistan" and the sub-heading "Single waste entries", for the row which contains "B3010—B3020" substitute—

"B3011		
	B3020".	

#### **Tanzania**

**81.** Under the heading "Tanzania" and the sub-heading "Mixtures of wastes", in column "a", after "All mixtures of wastes listed in Annex IIIA of Regulation (EC) No 1013/2006", insert ", except B3011".

### **Thailand**

- 82. Under the heading "Thailand"—
  - (a) and the sub-heading "Single waste entries", for the row which contains "B3010" substitute—

"From B3011:		From B3011:
—Cured resin or condensation product		—Non halogenated polymers";
—Fluorinated polymer		
—Mixtures of separated polyethylene, polypropylene and/or polyethyleneterephthalate		

(b) and the sub-heading "Mixtures of wastes", omit the three rows which contain "Mix B3010".

### Togo

**83.** Under the heading "Togo", in column "a", after "All waste listed in Annex III and mixtures of wastes listed in Annex IIIA of Regulation (EC) No 1013/2006", insert ", except B3011".

## **Trinidad and Tobago**

84. For the rows under the heading "Trinidad and Tobago" substitute—

"a	b	c	d
		B3011	
All other waste listed in Annex III and mixtures of wastes listed in Annex IIIA of Regulation (EC) No 1013/2006".			

### **Tunisia**

- **85.** Under the heading "Tunisia"—
  - (a) and the sub-heading "Single waste entries", in column "a", for "B1250—B3010" substitute "B1250—B2130";
  - (b) and the sub-heading "Mixtures of wastes", omit the three rows which contain "Mix B3010".

### Ukraine

86. Under the heading "Ukraine", omit the row which contains "B3010 except for:".

# Uzbekistan

**87.** Under the heading "Uzbekistan" and the sub-heading "Single waste entries", for the row which contains "B2060—B3060" substitute—

	"B2060—B2130
	B3020—B3060".

# Vietnam

**88.** Under the heading "Vietnam" and the sub-heading "Single waste entries", for the row which contains "B3010—B3020" substitute—

"From B3011:	From B3011:
—Cured resin or condensation product	—Non-halogenated polymers
—Fluorinated polymer	—Mixtures of separated polyethylene, polypropylene and/or polyethyleneterephthalate
	B3020".

#### Wallis and Futuna

**89.** Under the heading "Wallis and Futuna", in column "a", after "All waste listed in Annex III and mixtures of wastes listed in Annex IIIA of Regulation (EC) No 1013/2006", insert ", except B3011".

#### Zambia

**90.** Under the heading "Zambia", in column "a", after "All waste listed in Annex III and mixtures of wastes listed in Annex IIIA of Regulation (EC) No 1013/2006", insert ", except B3011".

#### **EXPLANATORY NOTE**

(This note is not part of the Regulations)

Regulation (EC) No 1418/2007 concerning the export for recovery of certain waste listed in Annex III or IIIA to Regulation (EC) No 1013/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council ("Regulation (EC) No 1013/2006") to certain countries to which the OECD Decision on the control of transboundary movements of wastes does not apply ("Regulation (EC) No 1418/2007") forms part of domestic law on and after IP completion day (11 p.m. on 31st December 2020) (see section 3 of the European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018 (c. 16).

These Regulations amend the Annex to Regulation (EC) No 1418/2007 to set out export control procedures for a new category of sorted, non-hazardous, plastic waste classified as B3011, which had previously been a subset of classification B3010.

These Regulations also amend both Annex 7 to Regulation (EC) No 1013/2006 and the Annex to Regulation (EC) No 1418/2007 in order to remove defunct references to plastic waste classified as B3010, which is no longer a classification used in the Basel Convention on the Control of Transboundary Movements of Hazardous Wastes and their Disposal, adopted on 22nd March 1989(3), amended by Decision BC-14/12(4).

An impact assessment has not been produced for this instrument as no, or no significant, impact on the private or voluntary sector is foreseen.

<sup>(3)</sup> The consolidated text of the Basel Convention may be seen here: http://www.basel.int/TheConvention/Overview/ TextoftheConvention/tabid/1275/Default.aspx.

<sup>(4)</sup> Decision BC-14/12 may be seen here: http://www.basel.int/Implementation/Plasticwaste/Decisions/tabid/6069/Default.aspx.