

Directive 2014/53/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council of  
16 April 2014 on the harmonisation of the laws of the Member States  
relating to the making available on the market of radio equipment  
and repealing Directive 1999/5/EC (Text with EEA relevance)

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1. Radio equipment used by radio amateurs within the meaning of...
2. Marine equipment falling within the scope of Council Directive 96/98/EC....
3. The following aviation equipment, where that equipment falls within the...
4. Custom-built evaluation kits destined for professionals to be used solely...

## ANNEX II

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#### INTERNAL PRODUCTION CONTROL

1. Internal production control is the conformity assessment procedure whereby the...
2. Technical documentation
3. Manufacturing
4. CE marking and EU declaration of conformity
  - 4.1. The manufacturer shall affix the CE marking in accordance with...
  - 4.2. The manufacturer shall draw up a written EU declaration of...
5. Authorised representative

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1. EU-type examination is the part of a conformity assessment procedure...
2. EU-type examination shall be carried out by assessment of the...
3. The manufacturer shall lodge an application for EU-type examination with...
4. The notified body shall examine the technical documentation and supporting...
5. The notified body shall draw up an evaluation report that...
6. Where the type meets the requirements of this Directive that...
7. The notified body shall keep itself apprised of any changes...
8. Each notified body shall inform its notifying authority concerning the...
9. The manufacturer shall keep a copy of the EU-type examination...
10. The manufacturer's authorised representative may lodge the application referred to...

##### Module **C** Conformity to type based on internal production control

1. Conformity to type based on internal production control is the...

2. Manufacturing
3. CE marking and EU declaration of conformity
  - 3.1. The manufacturer shall affix the CE marking in accordance with...
  - 3.2. The manufacturer shall draw up a written EU declaration of...
4. Authorised representative

#### ANNEX IV

#### CONFORMITY ASSESSMENT MODULE H

##### CONFORMITY BASED ON FULL QUALITY ASSURANCE

1. Conformity based on full quality assurance is the conformity assessment...
2. Manufacturing
3. Quality system
  - 3.1. The manufacturer shall lodge an application for assessment of his...
  - 3.2. The quality system shall ensure compliance of the radio equipment...
  - 3.3. The notified body shall assess the quality system to determine...
  - 3.4. The manufacturer shall undertake to fulfil the obligations arising out...
  - 3.5. The manufacturer shall keep the notified body that has approved...
4. Surveillance under the responsibility of the notified body
  - 4.1. The purpose of surveillance is to make sure that the...
  - 4.2. The manufacturer shall, for assessment purposes, allow the notified body...
  - 4.3. The notified body shall carry out periodic audits to make...
  - 4.4. In addition, the notified body may pay unexpected visits to...
5. CE marking and EU declaration of conformity
  - 5.1. The manufacturer shall affix the CE marking in accordance with...
  - 5.2. The manufacturer shall draw up a written EU declaration of...
6. The manufacturer shall, for a period ending 10 years after...
7. Each notified body shall inform its notifying authority of quality...
8. Authorised representative

#### ANNEX V

#### CONTENTS OF TECHNICAL DOCUMENTATION

The technical documentation shall, wherever applicable, contain at least the...  
 a general description of the radio equipment including:  
 photographs or...

#### ANNEX VI

#### EU DECLARATION OF CONFORMITY (No XXX)

1. Radio equipment (product, type, batch or serial number):
2. Name and address of the manufacturer or his authorised representative:...
3. This declaration of conformity is issued under the sole responsibility...

4. Object of the declaration (identification of the radio equipment allowing...
5. The object of the declaration described above is in conformity...
6. References to the relevant harmonised standards used or references to...
7. Where applicable, the notified body ... (name, number) ... performed...
8. Where applicable, description of accessories and components, including software, which...
9. Additional information:

#### ANNEX VII

##### SIMPLIFIED EU DECLARATION OF CONFORMITY

The simplified EU declaration of conformity referred to in Article...

Hereby, [Name of manufacturer] declares that the radio equipment type...

#### ANNEX VIII

##### CORRELATION TABLE

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- (1) [OJ C 133, 9.5.2013, p. 58.](#)
- (2) Position of the European Parliament of 13 March 2014 (not yet published in the Official Journal) and decision of the Council of 14 April 2014.
- (3) Directive 1999/5/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 9 March 1999 on radio equipment and telecommunications terminal equipment and the mutual recognition of their conformity ([OJ L 91, 7.4.1999, p. 10](#)).
- (4) Regulation (EC) No 765/2008 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 9 July 2008 setting out the requirements for accreditation and market surveillance relating to the marketing of products and repealing Regulation (EEC) No 339/93 ([OJ L 218, 13.8.2008, p. 30](#)).
- (5) Decision No 768/2008/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 9 July 2008 on a common framework for the marketing of products, and repealing Council Decision 93/465/EEC ([OJ L 218, 13.8.2008, p. 82](#)).
- (6) Directive 2014/35/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council of 26 February 2014 on the harmonisation of the laws of Member States relating to the making available on the market of electrical equipment designed for use within certain voltage limits ([OJ L 96, 29.3.2014, p. 357](#)).
- (7) Directive 2014/30/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council of 26 February 2014 on the harmonisation of the laws of the Member States relating to electromagnetic compatibility ([OJ L 96, 29.3.2014, p. 79](#)).
- (8) Commission Directive 2008/63/EC of 20 June 2008 on competition in the markets in telecommunications terminal equipment ([OJ L 162, 21.6.2008, p. 20](#)).
- (9) Directive 98/34/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 22 June 1998 laying down a procedure for the provision of information in the field of technical standards and regulations and of rules on Information Society services ([OJ L 204, 21.7.1998, p. 37](#)).
- (10) Decision No 676/2002/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 7 March 2002 on a regulatory framework for radio spectrum policy in the European Community (Radio Spectrum Decision) ([OJ L 108, 24.4.2002, p. 1](#)).
- (11) Commission Decision 2007/344/EC of 16 May 2007 on harmonised availability of information regarding spectrum use within the Community ([OJ L 129, 17.5.2007, p. 67](#)).
- (12) Regulation (EU) No 1025/2012 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 25 October 2012 on European standardisation, amending Council Directives 89/686/EEC and 93/15/EEC and Directives 94/9/EC, 94/25/EC, 95/16/EC, 97/23/EC, 98/34/EC, 2004/22/EC, 2007/23/EC, 2009/23/EC and 2009/105/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council and repealing Council Decision 87/95/EEC and Decision No 1673/2006/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council ([OJ L 316, 14.11.2012, p. 12](#)).
- (13) Regulation (EU) No 182/2011 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 16 February 2011 laying down the rules and general principles concerning mechanisms for control by Member States of the Commission's exercise of implementing powers ([OJ L 55, 28.2.2011, p. 13](#)).
- (14) [OJ C 369, 17.12.2011, p. 14.](#)