

Council Regulation (EC) No 2368/2002 of 20 December 2002 implementing the Kimberley Process certification scheme for the international trade in rough diamonds

CHAPTER VI

GENERAL PROVISIONS

Article 24

- 1 Any natural or legal person providing services directly or indirectly related to the activities covered by Articles 3, 4, 6, 7, 11, 12, 13, 17 or 18 shall exercise due diligence for establishing that the activities for which it provides services comply with the provisions of this Regulation.
- 2 The participation, knowingly and intentionally, in activities, the object or effect of which is, directly or indirectly, to circumvent the provisions of this Regulation shall be prohibited.
- 3 The Commission shall be notified of any information suggesting that the provisions of this Regulation are being, or have been, circumvented.

Changes to legislation:

There are outstanding changes not yet made to Council Regulation (EC) No 2368/2002. Any changes that have already been made to the legislation appear in the content and are referenced with annotations.

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Changes and effects yet to be applied to :

- Regulation words substituted by [S.I. 2019/844 reg. 3\(2\)\(a\)](#)
- Regulation words substituted by [S.I. 2019/844 reg. 3\(2\)\(b\)](#)
- Regulation words substituted by [S.I. 2019/844 reg. 3\(2\)\(c\)](#)

Changes and effects yet to be applied to the whole legislation item and associated provisions

- Art. 1 words omitted by [S.I. 2019/844 reg. 4\(3\)](#)
- Art. 1 words substituted by [S.I. 2019/844 reg. 4\(2\)](#)
- Annex 2-5 omitted by [S.I. 2019/844 reg. 30](#)
- Art. 2(c) words substituted by [S.I. 2019/844 reg. 5\(2\)](#)
- Art. 2(f) substituted by [S.I. 2019/844 reg. 5\(3\)](#)
- Art. 2(g) substituted by [S.I. 2019/844 reg. 5\(4\)](#)
- Art. 2(o)-(q) omitted by [S.I. 2019/844 reg. 5\(5\)](#)
- Art. 3 words omitted by [S.I. 2019/844 reg. 6](#)
- Art. 4(1) substituted for Art. 4(1)-(3) by [S.I. 2019/844 reg. 7](#)
- Art. 5(3) words omitted by [S.I. 2019/844 reg. 8](#)
- Art. 6 omitted by [S.I. 2019/844 reg. 9](#)
- Art. 7 omitted by [S.I. 2019/844 reg. 10](#)
- Art. 8(1) words omitted by [S.I. 2019/844 reg. 11\(2\)\(b\)](#)
- Art. 8(1) words substituted by [S.I. 2019/844 reg. 11\(2\)\(a\)](#)
- Art. 8(2) omitted by [S.I. 2019/844 reg. 11\(3\)](#)
- Art. 9 omitted by [S.I. 2019/844 reg. 12](#)
- Art. 10(1) omitted by [S.I. 2019/844 reg. 13\(2\)](#)
- Art. 10(2) words substituted by [S.I. 2019/844 reg. 13\(3\)\(a\)](#)
- Art. 10(2) words substituted by [S.I. 2019/844 reg. 13\(3\)\(b\)](#)
- Art. 11 words omitted by [S.I. 2019/844 reg. 14\(2\)](#)
- Art. 11(a) words inserted by [S.I. 2019/844 reg. 14\(3\)](#)
- Art. 11(a) words substituted in earlier amending provision [S.I. 2019/844, reg. 14\(3\)](#) by [S.I. 2020/1473 reg. 3](#)
- Art. 12(1)(a)(i) word omitted by [S.I. 2019/844 reg. 15\(2\)](#)
- Art. 12(1)(a)(ii) omitted by [S.I. 2019/844 reg. 15\(3\)](#)
- Art. 12(5) word omitted by [S.I. 2019/844 reg. 15\(4\)](#)
- Art. 13 words substituted by [S.I. 2019/844 reg. 16\(2\)](#)
- Art. 13 words substituted by [S.I. 2019/844 reg. 16\(3\)](#)
- Art. 14(3) words omitted by [S.I. 2019/844 reg. 17](#)
- Art. 15(1) omitted by [S.I. 2019/844 reg. 18\(2\)](#)
- Art. 15(2) substituted by [S.I. 2019/844 reg. 18\(3\)](#)
- Art. 16(1) words substituted by [S.I. 2019/844 reg. 19\(2\)\(a\)](#)
- Art. 16(1) words substituted by [S.I. 2019/844 reg. 19\(2\)\(b\)](#)
- Art. 16(2) omitted by [S.I. 2019/844 reg. 19\(3\)](#)
- Art. 17(1) words substituted by [S.I. 2019/844 reg. 20\(2\)\(a\)](#)
- Art. 17(1) words substituted by [S.I. 2019/844 reg. 20\(2\)\(b\)](#)
- Art. 17(2)(a) words omitted by [S.I. 2019/844 reg. 20\(3\)\(a\)](#)
- Art. 17(2)(a)(ix) words inserted by [S.I. 2019/844 reg. 20\(3\)\(b\)](#)
- Art. 17(2)(a)(ix) words substituted in earlier amending provision [S.I. 2019/844, reg. 20\(3\)\(b\)](#) by [S.I. 2020/1473 reg. 4](#)
- Art. 17(2)(b)(ii) words substituted by [S.I. 2019/844 reg. 20\(3\)\(c\)](#)
- Art. 17(2)(c) words omitted by [S.I. 2019/844 reg. 20\(3\)\(d\)](#)

- Art. 17(3) words omitted by S.I. 2019/844 reg. 20(4)(a)
- Art. 17(3) words omitted by S.I. 2019/844 reg. 20(4)(b)
- Art. 17(4) substituted by S.I. 2019/844 reg. 20(5)
- Art. 17(5)(b) omitted by S.I. 2019/844 reg. 20(6)
- Art. 17(6) words omitted by S.I. 2019/844 reg. 20(7)(a)
- Art. 17(6) words omitted by S.I. 2019/844 reg. 20(7)(b)
- Art. 17(6) words omitted by S.I. 2019/844 reg. 20(7)(c)
- Art. 17(7) omitted by S.I. 2019/844 reg. 20(8)
- Art. 17(8) words omitted by S.I. 2019/844 reg. 20(9)(a)
- Art. 17(8) words substituted by S.I. 2019/844 reg. 20(9)(b)
- Art. 17(9) omitted by S.I. 2019/844 reg. 20(10)
- Art. 17(10) words substituted by S.I. 2019/844 reg. 20(11)
- Art. 18 words omitted by S.I. 2019/844 reg. 21(2)
- Art. 18 words substituted by S.I. 2019/844 reg. 21(3)
- Art. 19(1) omitted by S.I. 2019/844 reg. 22(2)
- Art. 19(2) words substituted by S.I. 2019/844 reg. 22(3)
- Art. 19(3) omitted by S.I. 2019/844 reg. 22(4)
- Art. 19(4) words substituted by S.I. 2019/844 reg. 22(5)
- Art. 19(5) omitted by S.I. 2019/844 reg. 22(6)
- Art. 19(6) omitted by S.I. 2019/844 reg. 22(7)
- Art. 20 words substituted by S.I. 2019/844 reg. 23
- Art. 21-23 omitted by S.I. 2019/844 reg. 24
- Art. 24(3) omitted by S.I. 2019/844 reg. 25
- Art. 25 words omitted by S.I. 2019/844 reg. 26
- Art. 26 words omitted by S.I. 2019/844 reg. 27
- Art. 28 words substituted by S.I. 2019/844 reg. 28
- Art. 29 substituted by S.I. 2019/844 reg. 29