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STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

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**1991 No. 509**

**Dangerous Substances in Harbour Areas  
Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1991**

**PART III**

**MARKING AND NAVIGATION OF VESSELS**

**Vessels to keep a safe distance from moored or anchored vessels displaying the flag or light required by regulation 8**

**10.**—(1) A master shall not bring his vessel alongside a moored or anchored vessel which is displaying any flag or light required by regulation 8 without—

- (a) the permission of the berth operator and the master of that vessel if it is at a berth;
- (b) the permission of the harbour master and the master of that vessel if it is elsewhere, and

shall otherwise keep his vessel at a safe distance from that vessel.

(2) The permission, referred to in paragraph (1), of the berth operator and of the harbour master may relate to a named vessel, to a class of vessels or to vessels generally.