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STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

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**2009 No. 154**

**The Renewables Obligation Order (Northern Ireland) 2009**

**PART 3**

**Matters to be certified by and content of NIROCs**

**When electricity used in a permitted way for NIROCs certifying matters within Article 54(5) or (6) of the Energy Order**

**16.**—(1) For the purposes of Article 54(5) and (6) of the Energy Order (in particular, for the purposes of a NIROC certifying the matters within Article 54(5) or (6)) electricity generated by a generating station of any description is used in a permitted way if, subject to paragraph (2), it is used in any of the ways mentioned in Article 54(8) of that Order.

(2) Electricity is not used in a permitted way if it is supplied to customers in Northern Ireland through a private wire network and—

- (a) the generating station from which the electricity is conveyed has a declared net capacity in excess of 10 megawatts, and
- (b) at some point before the electricity is supplied to customers through the private wire network it is conveyed through a transmission or distribution system operated under a licence granted under Article 10 of the Electricity Order.

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**Commencement Information**

**II** Art. 16 in operation at 1.4.2009, see [art. 1](#)

**Changes to legislation:**

There are outstanding changes not yet made by the legislation.gov.uk editorial team to The Renewables Obligation Order (Northern Ireland) 2009. Any changes that have already been made by the team appear in the content and are referenced with annotations.

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**Changes and effects yet to be applied to :**

- Regulations modified by S.I. 2019/289, reg. 5, Sch. 3 (as amended) by S.R. [2020/284 reg. 3\(3\)\(5\)](#)
- [34\(9\)\(10\)\(11\) art. 34\(6\)\(7\)\(8\)](#) renumbered as art. [34\(9\)\(10\)\(11\)](#) by S.R. [2013/116 art. 25\(4\)](#)

**Changes and effects yet to be applied to the whole Rule associated Parts and Chapters:**

Whole provisions yet to be inserted into this Rule (including any effects on those provisions):

- Sch. A1A inserted by S.R. [2016/84 art. 9Sch. 1](#)
- Sch. A2 para. 1(1) Sch. A2 para. 1 renumbered as para. 1(1) by S.I. [2017/1234 reg. 16\(2\)](#)
- Sch. A1A2 inserted by S.R. [2011/169 Sch. 1](#)
- Sch. A2 para. 3(8A) inserted by S.R. [2014/146 art. 7\(3\)](#)
- Sch. A2 para. 1(2) inserted by S.I. [2017/1234 reg. 16\(3\)](#)
- Sch. A1 para. 5 omitted by S.I. [2017/1234 reg. 15\(3\)](#)
- Sch. A2 para. 3(1) substituted by S.R. [2014/146 art. 7\(2\)](#)
- Sch. A1 para. 6 substituted by S.I. [2017/1234 reg. 15\(4\)](#)
- Sch. A2 substituted for Sch. by S.R. [2016/84 art. 10Sch. 2](#)
- Sch. A1 para. 1 words omitted by S.I. [2017/1234 reg. 15\(2\)\(a\)](#)
- Sch. A1 para. 1 words substituted by S.I. [2017/1234 reg. 15\(2\)\(b\)](#)
- Sch. 2 Pt. 2A-2E inserted by S.R. [2013/116 art. 33](#)
- Sch. 2 Pt. 2C-2E substituted by S.R. [2013/174 art. 3](#)
- Sch. 2 art. 31(3) substituted for Sch. 2 Pt. 2-5 by S.R. [2010/134 art. 17\(b\)](#)
- Sch. 2 Pt. 1 para. 1 comma and words omitted by S.R. [2013/116 art. 31\(11\)\(b\)](#)
- Sch. 2 Pt. 1 para. 1(2)(c)(d) inserted by S.R. [2013/116 art. 31\(15\)](#)
- Sch. 2 Pt. 1 para. 1(2)(a) word omitted by S.R. [2013/116 art. 31\(14\)](#)
- Sch. 2 Pt. 1 para. 1 words inserted by S.R. [2013/116 art. 31\(2\)](#)
- Sch. 2 Pt. 1 para. 1 words inserted by S.R. [2013/116 art. 31\(5\)](#)
- Sch. 2 Pt. 1 para. 1 words inserted by S.R. [2013/116 art. 31\(11\)\(a\)](#)
- Sch. 2 Pt. 1 para. 1 words omitted by S.R. [2013/116 art. 31\(4\)](#)
- Sch. 2 Pt. 1 para. 1 words omitted by S.R. [2013/116 art. 31\(6\)](#)
- Sch. 2 Pt. 1 para. 1 words omitted by S.R. [2013/116 art. 31\(10\)](#)
- Sch. 2 Pt. 1 para. 1 words omitted by S.R. [2013/116 art. 31\(13\)](#)
- Sch. 2 Pt. 1 para. 1 words substituted by S.R. [2013/116 art. 31\(3\)](#)
- Sch. 2 Pt. 1 para. 1 words substituted by S.R. [2013/116 art. 31\(7\)](#)
- Sch. 2 Pt. 1 para. 1 words substituted by S.R. [2013/116 art. 31\(8\)](#)
- Sch. 2 Pt. 1 para. 1 words substituted by S.R. [2013/116 art. 31\(9\)](#)
- Sch. 2 Pt. 1 para. 1 words substituted by S.R. [2013/116 art. 31\(12\)](#)
- Sch. 2 Pt. 2A Table sum substituted by S.R. [2014/146 art. 8](#)
- Sch. 2 Pt. 2B Table sum substituted by S.R. [2014/146 art. 9\(a\)](#)
- Sch. 2 Pt. 2B Table sum substituted by S.R. [2014/146 art. 9\(b\)](#)
- Sch. 3A inserted by S.R. [2011/169 art 17](#)
- Sch. 3A omitted by S.R. [2016/84 art. 11](#)
- Sch. 3A para. 2(d)(xi) substituted by S.R. [2014/146 art. 10\(3\)](#)
- Sch. 3A para. 2(d)(x)(cc)(dd) substituted for Sch. 3A para. 2(d)(x)(cc) by S.R. [2014/146 art. 10\(2\)](#)
- Sch. 3B inserted by S.R. [2011/169 art 17](#)

- Sch. 3B omitted by [S.R. 2016/84 art. 11](#)
- art. 2(1)(c) inserted by [S.R. 2013/116 art. 2\(10\)](#)
- art. 2(1)(d) words omitted by [S.R. 2013/116 art. 2\(8\)\(a\)](#)
- art. 2(1)(e) inserted by [S.R. 2013/116 art. 2\(8\)\(b\)](#)
- art. 2(7) inserted by [S.R. 2013/116 art. 2\(11\)](#)
- art. 2(8) inserted by [S.I. 2017/1234 reg. 13\(3\)](#)
- art. 3A3B3C inserted by [S.R. 2011/169 art. 12\(8\)](#)
- art. 4(1)-(1B) substituted for art. 4(1) by [S.R. 2013/116 art. 3](#)
- art. 4(1A)(a) words substituted by [S.R. 2016/84 art. 3\(a\)](#)
- art. 4(1B)(a) words substituted by [S.R. 2016/84 art. 3\(b\)](#)
- art. 4A inserted by [S.R. 2011/169 art. 6](#)
- art. 18A(1)(b) words substituted by [S.R. 2013/116 art. 6\(2\)](#)
- art. 18A(3) words substituted by [S.R. 2013/116 art. 6\(3\)](#)
- art. 18A(5) words substituted by [S.R. 2011/169 art. 7](#)
- art. 21(3)(a)(vi)(vii) inserted by [S.R. 2013/116 art. 7\(5\)](#)
- art. 21A art. 22A renumbered as art. 21A by [S.R. 2013/116 art. 9](#)
- art. 21B art. 22B renumbered as art. 21B by [S.R. 2013/116 art. 10](#)
- art. 21B(b)(i)-(iii) substituted for art. 21B(b)(i)(ii) by [S.R. 2016/84 art. 5](#)
- art. 21B(1) art. 21B renumbered as art. 21B(1) by [S.I. 2019/35 Sch. 3 para. 2\(2\)](#)
- art. 21B(1)(a)(ii) words substituted by [S.I. 2019/35 Sch. 3 para. 2\(3\)](#)
- art. 21B(2) inserted by [S.I. 2019/35 Sch. 3 para. 2\(4\)](#)
- art. 21B(2) words substituted in earlier amending provision [S.I. 2019/35, Sch. 3 para. 2\(4\)](#) by [S.I. 2020/849 reg. 3\(4\)](#)
- art. 21ZA inserted by [S.R. 2016/84 art. 4](#)
- art. 22(2A)-(2B) inserted by [S.R. 2016/84 art. 6\(b\)](#)
- art. 22(3)(aa) inserted by [S.R. 2013/116 art. 8](#)
- art. 22A22B inserted by [S.R. 2011/169 art. 9](#)
- art. 23(2)(a)(ii)(cc) omitted by [S.R. 2013/116 art. 11\(3\)](#)
- art. 23(2)(a)(ii)(aa) words substituted by [S.R. 2013/116 art. 11\(2\)](#)
- art. 23(7) inserted by [S.R. 2013/116 art. 11\(5\)](#)
- art. 24(2)(aa) words substituted by [S.R. 2013/116 art. 12\(3\)\(a\)](#)
- art. 24(2)(bb) omitted by [S.R. 2013/116 art. 12\(3\)\(b\)](#)
- art. 25(2)-(10) substituted for art. 25(2)-(5) by [S.R. 2013/116 art. 13](#)
- art. 26A-26E inserted by [S.R. 2013/116 art. 15](#)
- art. 27-27D substituted by [S.R. 2011/169 art. 10](#)
- art. 27(2)-(5) substituted for art. 27(2) by [S.R. 2013/116 art. 16](#)
- art. 27(3) substituted by [S.R. 2013/116 art. 17](#)
- art. 27A(2)(3) substituted for art. 27A(2) by [S.R. 2013/116 art. 18](#)
- art. 27A(3) substituted by [S.R. 2015/287 art. 3](#)
- art. 27B(2)(c)(d) substituted for art. 27B(2)(c) by [S.R. 2013/116 art. 19](#)
- art. 28A inserted by [S.R. 2013/116 art. 21](#)
- art. 29A29B inserted by [S.R. 2011/169 art. 11](#)
- art. 34(9)(b) words substituted by [S.R. 2013/116 art. 25\(5\)](#)
- art. 34(10) words substituted by [S.R. 2013/116 art. 25\(6\)](#)
- art. 46(A) inserted by [S.R. 2011/169 art. 13](#)
- art. 46(2)-(3ZB) substituted for art. 46(2)(3) by [S.R. 2014/146 art. 3\(3\)](#)
- art. 46(3A) words substituted by [S.R. 2014/146 art. 3\(4\)](#)
- art. 46(3B)(za) inserted by [S.R. 2014/146 art. 3\(5\)](#)
- art. 46(4)(d) word omitted by [S.I. 2017/1234 reg. 14\(2\)\(a\)](#)
- art. 46(4)(e)(v) words substituted by [S.I. 2017/1234 reg. 14\(2\)\(b\)](#)
- art. 46(4)(f) inserted by [S.I. 2017/1234 reg. 14\(2\)\(c\)](#)
- art. 46(7) omitted by [S.R. 2013/116 art. 26\(4\)](#)
- art. 46(10) word omitted by [S.I. 2017/1234 reg. 14\(3\)\(a\)](#)
- art. 46(10) words inserted by [S.I. 2017/1234 reg. 14\(3\)\(c\)](#)
- art. 46(10) words substituted by [S.I. 2017/1234 reg. 14\(3\)\(b\)](#)
- art. 46A(3)(b)-(da) substituted for art. 46A(3)(b)-(d) by [S.R. 2014/146 art. 4\(2\)](#)
- art. 46A(3)(d) word omitted by [S.R. 2013/116 art. 27\(2\)](#)
- art. 46A(3)(e) semi-colon substituted for full stop by [S.R. 2013/116 art. 27\(3\)](#)

- art. 46A(3)(f)(g) added by S.R. 2013/116 art. 27(3)
- art. 46A(5) substituted by S.R. 2014/146 art. 4(3)
- art. 46A(8) substituted by S.R. 2013/116 art. 27(4)
- art. 46A(8) words substituted by S.R. 2014/146 art. 4(4)
- art. 46B inserted by S.R. 2014/146 art. 5
- art. 46B(2)(a)(b) words omitted by S.R. 2016/84 art. 8(a)(i)
- art. 46B(2)(b) word substituted by S.R. 2016/84 art. 8(a)(ii)
- art. 46B(6)(a)(b) words omitted by S.R. 2016/84 art. 8(b)(i)
- art. 46B(6)(b) word substituted by S.R. 2016/84 art. 8(b)(ii)
- art. 49(1A) inserted by S.R. 2011/169 art. 14
- art. 50A inserted by S.R. 2013/116 art. 28