## STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

## 2015 No. 425

## ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

## The Fluorinated Greenhouse Gases Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2015

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The Department of the Environment, being a department designated(1) for the purposes of section 2(2) of the European Communities Act 1972(2) in relation to the environment, makes these Regulations in exercise of the powers conferred by section 2(2) of, and paragraph 1A of Schedule 2 to, that Act(3).

These Regulations make provision for a purpose mentioned in that section and it appears to the Department that it is expedient for references to—

- (a) Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) No 1191/2014 determining the format and means for submitting the report referred to in Article 19 of Regulation (EU) No 517/2014 of the European Parliament and of the Council on fluorinated greenhouse gases(4); and
- (b) Commission Regulation (EC) No 1494/2007 establishing, pursuant to Regulation (EC) No 842/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council, the form of labels and additional labelling requirements as regards products and equipment containing certain fluorinated greenhouse gases(5),

to be construed as references to those Commission Regulations as amended from time to time.

<sup>(1)</sup> S.I. 2008/301

<sup>(2) 1972</sup> c. 68. Section 2(2) is amended by section 27(1) of the Legislative and Regulatory Reform Act 2006 (c. 51) and by section 3(3) of, and Part 1 of the Schedule to, the European Union (Amendment) Act 2008 (c. 7).

<sup>(3)</sup> Paragraph 1A is inserted by section 28 of the Legislative and Regulatory Reform Act 2006 (c. 51). The relevant amendments are section 3(3) of, and Part 1 of the Schedule to, the European Union (Amendment) Act 2008 (c. 7).

<sup>(4)</sup> OJ No L 318, 5.11.2014, p 5.

<sup>(5)</sup> OJ No L 332, 18.12.2007, p 25.