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**2014 No.**

**The Domestic Renewable Heat  
Incentive Scheme Regulations 2014**

**PART 2**

Eligibility criteria

**Certification requirements**

- 8.—(1) The requirements referred to in regulation 3(b) are that the plant is certified under—
- (a) the Microgeneration Certification Scheme(1) as installed in accordance with the relevant installation standard in that scheme; or
  - (b) a scheme accredited under EN 45011(2) or EN ISO/IEC 17065:2012(3) as installed in accordance with the installation requirements applicable to the plant which apply under that scheme where—
    - (i) that scheme is equivalent to the Microgeneration Certification Scheme; and
    - (ii) the requirements are those which apply on the plant’s first commissioning date and which are equivalent to the relevant installation standard.
- (2) In paragraph (1), “relevant installation standard” means, if the first commissioning date for the plant is—
- (a) on or after the relevant date—
    - (i) where the plant is a biomass plant, version 4.0 of the document entitled “Microgeneration Installation Standard: MIS 3004 requirements for contractors undertaking the supply, design, installation, set to work, commissioning and handover of solid biofuel heating systems” published on 16th December 2013(4);
    - (ii) where the plant is a heat pump, version 4.0 of the document entitled “Microgeneration Installation Standard: MIS 3005 requirements for contractors undertaking the supply, design, installation, set to work, commissioning and handover of microgeneration heat pump systems” published on 16th December 2013(5); or
    - (iii) where the plant is a solar thermal plant, version 4.0 of the document entitled “Microgeneration Installation Standard: MIS 3001 requirements for contractors undertaking the supply, design, installation, set to work, commissioning and

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(1) Details of which are available at [www.microgenerationcertification.org](http://www.microgenerationcertification.org).

(2) The ISBN for the English language version of this standard is ISBN 0580294153. Copies can be obtained from the British Standards Institution at [www.bsigroup.com](http://www.bsigroup.com).

(3) The ISBN for the English language version of this standard is ISBN 978 0 580 78472 9. Copies can be obtained from the British Standards Institution at [www.bsigroup.com](http://www.bsigroup.com).

(4) Published on [www.microgenerationcertification.org](http://www.microgenerationcertification.org).

(5) Published on [www.microgenerationcertification.org](http://www.microgenerationcertification.org).

handover of solar heating microgeneration systems” published on 16th December 2013<sup>(6)</sup>; or

- (b) earlier than the relevant date, any installation requirements applicable to the plant under the Microgeneration Certification Scheme on the first commissioning date.

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<sup>(6)</sup> Published on [www.microgenerationcertification.org](http://www.microgenerationcertification.org).