



Radioactive Substances Act 1993

1993 CHAPTER 12

Registration relating to use of radioactive material and mobile radioactive apparatus

^{F1}[^{F2}9] **Prohibition of use of mobile radioactive apparatus without registration.**

- (1) No person shall, for the purpose of any activities to which this section applies—
- (a) keep, use, lend or let on hire mobile radioactive apparatus of any description, or
 - (b) cause or permit mobile radioactive apparatus of any description to be kept, used, lent or let on hire,
- unless he is registered under section 10 in respect of that apparatus or is exempted from registration under that section in respect of mobile radioactive apparatus of that description.
- (2) This section applies to activities involving the use of the apparatus concerned for—
- (a) testing, measuring or otherwise investigating any of the characteristics of substances or articles, or
 - (b) releasing quantities of radioactive material into the environment or introducing such material into organisms.]

Textual Amendments

- F1** Ss. 1-24 repealed (S.) (1.9.2018) by [The Environmental Authorisations \(Scotland\) Regulations 2018 \(S.S.I. 2018/219\)](#), reg. 1, **sch. 7 para. 1** (with reg. 78, sch. 5 paras. 3, 4, 6 and transitional provisions and savings (25.11.2021) by [The Environmental Authorisations \(Scotland\) Regulations 2018 \(Transitional and Savings Provisions\) Order 2021 \(S.I. 2021/1309\)](#), arts. 1(1), **3-5**)
- F2** S. 9 repealed (E.W.) (6.4.2010) by [The Environmental Permitting \(England and Wales\) Regulations 2010 \(S.I. 2010/675\)](#), reg. 1(1)(b), **Sch. 26 para. 11(2)(g)**, **Sch. 28** (with reg. 1(2), Sch. 4)

Changes to legislation:

Radioactive Substances Act 1993, Section 9 is up to date with all changes known to be in force on or before 22 June 2024. There are changes that may be brought into force at a future date. Changes that have been made appear in the content and are referenced with annotations.

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

- Act modified by [2014 c. 20 Sch. 1 para. 5](#)
- Act saving for effects of S.I. 2016/1154, reg. 72 by [S.S.I. 2018/219 Sch. 5 para. 346](#)

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

- s. 34A(1A)-(1C) inserted by [2022 c. 35 s. 14\(3\)](#)