

1982 No. 1697**TELEGRAPHS****The Wireless Telegraphy (Exemption) Regulations 1982**

<i>Made - - - -</i>	<i>30th November 1982</i>
<i>Laid before Parliament</i>	<i>7th December 1982</i>
<i>Coming into Operation</i>	<i>1st January 1983</i>

The Secretary of State, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 1(1) of the Wireless Telegraphy Act 1949(a) as enacted and as extended by the Wireless Telegraphy (Channel Islands) Order 1952(b) and the Wireless Telegraphy (Isle of Man) Order 1952(c) and now vested in him (d), hereby makes the following Regulations:—

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Wireless Telegraphy (Exemption) Regulations 1982 and shall come into operation on 1st January 1983.

2. In these Regulations—

“cordless telephone apparatus” means wireless telegraphy apparatus designed or adapted for the purpose of transmitting or receiving spoken messages so as to provide a wireless extension to a telephone;

“the Specification” means Home Office Performance Specification MPT 1322 published in August 1982.

3. Subject to the terms, provisions and limitations specified in the Schedule to these Regulations, there is hereby exempted from the requirement of a licence under section 1(1) of the Wireless Telegraphy Act 1949 the installation and use of cordless telephone apparatus designed or adapted to operate on one only of the channels specified in paragraph 1.2 of the Specification.

W. S. I. Whitelaw,
One of Her Majesty's Principal
Secretaries of State.

Home Office.
30th November 1982.

(a) 1949 c. 54.

(b) S.I. 1952/1900.

(c) S.I. 1952/1899.

(d) 1969 c. 48; S.I. 1969/1369, 1371, 1974/691.

SCHEDULE

Regulation 3

TERMS, PROVISIONS AND LIMITATIONS RELATING TO EXEMPTION FROM REQUIREMENT OF LICENCE

1.—(1) In this Schedule—

“adjacent channel power”, “frequency deviation”, “frequency error” and “spurious emissions” have the meanings respectively assigned to them by paragraphs 5.5.1, 5.4.1, 5.1.1 and 5.6.1 of the Specification;

“BS 4727: Part 3: Group 01: 1971” means the British Standard Glossary of Electrotechnical, Power, Telecommunication, Electronics, Lighting and Colour Terms Part 3 Group 01 (General telecommunication and electronics terminology) published in August 1971;

“carrier power” has the meaning assigned to it by paragraph 5.2.1 or (as the case may be) 5.3.1 of the Specification;

“frequency modulation”, “modulation” and “phase modulation” have the meanings assigned to them by BS 4727: Part 3: Group 01: 1971.

(2) Where reference is made in this Schedule to the measurement of any of the characteristics of cordless telephone apparatus, the reference is to measurement carried out under the conditions specified in Chapters 2, 3 and 4 of the Specification accurate within the tolerance specified in Chapter 7 of the Specification.

2. The modulation of cordless telephone apparatus shall be frequency modulation or phase modulation.

3. The frequency error of cordless telephone apparatus shall not exceed that specified in paragraph 5.1.3 of the Specification when measured by the method described in paragraph 5.1.2 of the Specification.

4. The carrier power of cordless telephone apparatus shall not exceed that specified in paragraph 5.2.3 or (as the case may be) 5.3.3 of the Specification when measured by the method described in paragraph 5.2.2 or (as the case may be) 5.3.2 of the Specification.

5. The frequency deviation of cordless telephone apparatus shall not exceed that specified in paragraph 5.4.3 or (as the case may be) 5.4.4.3 of the Specification when measured by the method described in paragraph 5.4.2.2 or (as the case may be) 5.4.4.2 of the Specification.

6. The adjacent channel power of cordless telephone apparatus shall not exceed that specified in paragraph 5.5.5 of the Specification when measured by the method described in paragraph 5.5.2 of the Specification using the equipment described in paragraph 5.5.3 of the Specification.

7.—(1) In the case of cordless telephone apparatus designed or adapted for emission the power of spurious emissions shall not exceed that specified in paragraph 5.6.4 or (as the case may be) 5.6.5 of the Specification when measured by the method described in paragraph 5.6.2 or (as the case may be) 5.6.3 of the Specification.

(2) In the case of cordless telephone apparatus designed or adapted for reception the power of spurious emissions shall not exceed that specified in paragraph 6.1.4 or (as the case may be) 6.1.5 of the Specification when measured by the method described in paragraph 6.1.2 or (as the case may be) 6.1.3 of the Specification.

8. The use of cordless telephone apparatus shall not cause undue interference with any wireless telegraphy.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Regulations.)

These Regulations exempt the installation and use of cordless telephone extensions on specified frequencies from the requirement of a licence under section 1(1) of the Wireless Telegraphy Act 1949, subject to the terms, provisions and limitations set out in the Schedule to the Regulations.

The Schedule sets out the requirements specified in Home Office Performance Specification MPT 1322.

Copies of the British Standard Glossary of Terms, which is referred to in the Regulations, may be obtained from the British Standards Institution (Sales Section), 101 Pentonville Road, London N1 9ND. The Home Office Performance Specification is obtainable from the Home Office Library, Room 605, Waterloo Bridge House, Waterloo Road, London SE1 8UA.

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