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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**1991 No. 2749**

**The Simple Pressure Vessels (Safety) Regulations 1991**

**Consequential amendment of United Kingdom law**

**24.**—(1) Any requirement imposed by any of the enactments (relating in various respects to the safety of air receivers and pressure systems) specified in paragraph (2) of this regulation which has to be satisfied by or in respect of a vessel (including a vessel incorporated in a relevant assembly) if, in the United Kingdom, it (or the relevant assembly into which it is incorporated) is to be lawfully—

(a) supplied; or

(b) in the circumstances referred to in regulation 5(2) or (3) above, taken into service,

in conformity with these Regulations, is, subject to paragraph (3) of this regulation, hereby disapplied, except in relation to a vessel (including a vessel incorporated in a relevant assembly) excepted from the operation of these Regulations by regulation 6(1) above.

(2) The enactments referred to in paragraph (1) of this regulation are—

(a) in the Factories Act 1961(1), subsections (1) to (3) of section 36;

(b) in the Pressure Systems and Transportable Gas Containers Regulations 1989(2) (made under the Health and Safety at Work etc. Act 1974(3)), paragraphs (1) to (4) of regulation 4 and paragraphs (1), (3) and (4) of regulation 5;

(c) in the Miscellaneous Mines (General) Regulations 1956(4) (having effect as if made under the Mines and Quarries Act 1954(5)), paragraphs (1) and (2) of regulation 59;

(d) in the Quarries (General) Regulations 1956(6) (having effect as if made under the Mines and Quarries Act 1954), paragraphs (1) and (2) of regulation 21;

(e) in the Factories Act (Northern Ireland) 1965(7), subsections (1) to (3) of section 37;

(f) in the Pressure Systems and Transportable Gas Containers Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1991(8) (made under the Health and Safety at Work (Northern Ireland) Order 1978(9)), paragraphs (1) to (4) of regulation 4 and paragraphs (1), (3) and (4) of regulation 5;

(g) in the Miscellaneous Mines (General) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1970(10) (having effect as if made under the Mines Act (Northern Ireland) 1969(11)), paragraphs (1) and (2) of regulation 60; and

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(1) 1961 c. 34.

(2) S.I. 1989/2169.

(3) 1974 c. 37.

(4) S.I. 1956/1778.

(5) 1954 c. 70.

(6) S.I. 1956/1780.

(7) 1965 c. 20 (N.I.).

(8) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1991 No. 471.

(9) S.I. 1978/1039 (N.I. 9).

(10) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1970 No. 104.

(11) 1969 c. 6 (N.I.).

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(h) in the Quarries (Safety, Health, Equipment and Explosives) Rules (Northern Ireland) 1962<sup>(12)</sup> (made under the Quarries Act (Northern Ireland) 1927)<sup>(13)</sup>, regulations 42 and 43.

(3) Nothing in this regulation affects the application of the enactments specified in paragraph (2) above to relevant assemblies in so far as they comprise apparatus other than vessels subject to these Regulations.

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**Commencement Information**

**11** Reg. 24 in force at 31.12.1991, see [reg. 1\(2\)](#)

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<sup>(12)</sup> S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1962 No. 180.

<sup>(13)</sup> 1927 c. 19 (N.I.).

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- Regulations continued (with modifications) by S.I. 2016/1092, reg. 77(2)(2A)(a) (as amended) by [S.I. 2019/696 Sch. 21 para. 38](#)
- Regulations revoked by [S.I. 2016/1092 reg. 77\(1\)](#)
- Regulations words substituted by [S.I. 1994/3098 reg. 4\(a\)](#)
- reg. 24(1)(b) substituted by [S.I. 1994/3098 reg. 6\(f\)](#)

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

- Blanket amendment words substituted by [S.I. 2011/1043 art. 3-68-10](#)

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

- Sch. 5 para. 1(b)(v) omitted by [S.I. 1994/3098 reg. 6\(g\)\(ii\)](#)
- Sch. 5 para. 1(b)(vii) omitted by [S.I. 1994/3098 reg. 6\(g\)\(ii\)](#)
- Sch. 5 para. 1(b)(viii)(aa)(C) omitted by [S.I. 1994/3098 reg. 6\(g\)\(ii\)](#)
- Sch. 5 para. 2(b)(viii)(aa)(C) omitted by [S.I. 1994/3098 reg. 6\(g\)\(vi\)](#)
- Sch. 5 para. 3(c)(iv)-(vi) omitted by [S.I. 2015/1630 Sch. 2 para. 19\(a\)\(ii\)](#)
- Sch. 5 para. 1(b)(viii)(cc)(dd) renumbered as Sch. 5 para. 1(b)(viii)(ee)(ff) by [S.I. 1994/3098 reg. 6\(g\)\(iv\)](#)
- Sch. 5 para. 2(b)(viii)(cc)-(ee) renumbered as Sch. 5 para. 2(b)(viii)(ee)-(gg) by [S.I. 1994/3098 reg. 6\(g\)\(viii\)](#)
- Sch. 5 para. 1(b)(viii)(bb)-(dd) substituted for Sch. 5 para. 1(b)(viii)(bb) by [S.I. 1994/3098 reg. 6\(g\)\(iii\)](#)
- Sch. 5 para. 2(b)(viii)(bb)-(dd) substituted for Sch. 5 para. 2(b)(viii)(bb) by [S.I. 1994/3098 reg. 6\(g\)\(vii\)](#)
- reg. 2(6) added by [S.I. 1994/3098 reg. 3\(b\)](#)
- reg. 2(7)(8) added by [S.I. 1994/3098 reg. 4\(b\)\(ii\)](#)
- reg. 6(5) added by [S.I. 1994/3098 reg. 6\(e\)\(ii\)](#)
- reg. 11(8) added by [S.I. 1994/3098 reg. 4\(e\)](#)
- reg. 19(3) substituted by [S.I. 2015/1630 Sch. 2 para. 18](#)