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## STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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# 1991 No. 2749

## The Simple Pressure Vessels (Safety) Regulations 1991

### Application

3.—(1) Subject to paragraph (2) of this regulation, and regulation 6 below, these Regulations apply only to vessels manufactured in series.

(2) These Regulations do not apply to—

- (a) vessels designed specifically for nuclear use, where vessel failure might or would result in an emission of radioactivity;
- (b) vessels intended specifically for installation in, or for use as part of the propulsive system of, a ship or aircraft; or
- (c) fire-extinguishers,

and in this paragraph, “ship” has the meaning given by section 742 of the Merchant Shipping Act 1894<sup>(1)</sup>.

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### Commencement Information

**11** Reg. 3 in force at 31.12.1991, see [reg. 1\(2\)](#)

**Changes to legislation:**

There are outstanding changes not yet made by the legislation.gov.uk editorial team to The Simple Pressure Vessels (Safety) Regulations 1991. Any changes that have already been made by the team appear in the content and are referenced with annotations.

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**Changes and effects yet to be applied to :**

- 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. 3(1) substituted by [S.I. 1994/3098 reg. 6\(b\)](#)

**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](#)