#### STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

## 1993 No. 2482

# The Miscellaneous Factories (Transitional Provisions) Regulations 1993

### Citation, commencement and interpretation

- 1.—(1) These Regulations may be cited as the Miscellaneous Factories (Transitional Provisions) Regulations 1993 and shall come into force on 17th November 1993.
  - (2) In these Regulations—
    - "work equipment" has the meaning assigned to it by regulation 2(1) of the Provision and Use of Work Equipment Regulations 1992(1);
    - "workplace" and "new workplace" have the meanings respectively assigned to each of them by regulation 2(1) of the Workplace (Health, Safety and Welfare) Regulations 1992(2).
- (3) Words and phrases used in the Schedules to these Regulations and in the Factories Act 1961(3) shall have the same meanings in the said Schedules as in that Act.

### Transitional provisions in factories specified in the Schedules

- **2.**—(1) The provisions of Schedule 1 to these Regulations shall have effect with respect to work equipment first provided for use in any premises or undertaking before 1st January 1993.
- (2) Subject to paragraph (3) of this regulation, the provisions of Schedule 2 to these Regulations shall have effect with respect to work equipment first provided for use in any premises or undertaking before 1st January 1993.
- (3) Until 1st January 1996, the provisions of Schedule 2 to these Regulations shall not apply with respect to work equipment provided for use in a workplace or part of a workplace which is not—
  - (a) a new workplace; or
  - (b) a modification, an extension or a conversion.
  - (4) These Regulations shall cease to have effect on 1st January 1997.

Signed by order of the Secretary of State.

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14th October 1993

<sup>(1)</sup> S.I. 1992/2932.

<sup>(2)</sup> S.I. 1992/3004.

<sup>(3) 1961</sup> c. 34.