
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**The Offshore Installations (Prevention of Fire and
Explosion, and Emergency Response) Regulations 1995**

Assessment

5.—(1) The duty holder shall perform, and thereafter repeat as often as may be appropriate a process (in this regulation called “an assessment”) described in paragraph (2) in relation to the installation.

(2) An assessment shall consist of—

- (a) the identification of the various events which could give rise to—
 - (i) a major accident involving fire or explosion; or
 - (ii) the need (whether or not by reason of fire or explosion) for evacuation, escape or rescue to avoid or minimise a major accident;
- (b) the evaluation of the likelihood and consequences of such events;
- (c) the establishment of appropriate standards of performance to be attained by anything provided by measures for—
 - (i) ensuring effective evacuation, escape, recovery and rescue to avoid or minimise a major accident; and
 - (ii) otherwise protecting persons from a major accident involving fire or explosion; and
- (d) the selection of appropriate measures.

(3) The duty holder shall—

- (a) record the assessment (including each repetition of it);
- (b) keep the record at an address in Great Britain; and
- (c) notify the Executive of such address.