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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**ELECTRICITY**

**The Meters (Certification) Regulations 1998**

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**THE METERS (CERTIFICATION) REGULATIONS 1998**

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**SCHEDULE 1 — AUTHORISED MANUFACTURERS' AND AUTHORISED  
REPAIRERS' TESTS AND TESTING METHODS FOR  
ALTERNATING CURRENT WATTHOUR METERS**

1. Pre-heating
2. Non-registration test
3. Accuracy tests
4. Methods of accuracy test
5. Reference conditions for all testing
6. Test loads
7. Multi-register meters
8. Polyphase meters
9. Margins of error
10. Insulation property test

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The Meters (Certification) Regulations 1998. (See end of Document for details)

#### SCHEDULE 2 — REPORT ON METER TESTS

1. In respect of each meter to which the report refers,...
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3. A report may include the errors obtained at each test...
4. In the case of a meter intended for use with...
5. Where a transformer intended for use with a meter has...
6. In a report for a transformer, the following information—
7. The meter or transformer errors obtained at each test load...
8. Before a meter is submitted for certification, the report on...

#### SCHEDULE 3 — CERTIFICATION TESTS AND TESTING METHODS FOR ALTERNATING CURRENT WATTHOUR METERS

1. Pre-heating  
Non-registration test
2. Induction meters  
Static meters  
Method 2
3. Accuracy tests
4. Methods of accuracy test  
Method A test  
Method B test  
Method C test
5. Reference conditions for all testing  
Ambient temperature  
Meter position  
Voltage and current supplies for polyphase meters  
External magnetic induction  
Dial tests  
Duration of test  
Conditions for mixing methods of test
6. Test loads  
Multi-register meters
7. Induction meters  
Static meters
8. Polyphase meters
9. Margins of error

#### SCHEDULE 4 — CERTIFICATION PERIODS

Explanatory Note

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