STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

## 2010 No. 332

# The Merchant Shipping and Fishing Vessels (Health and Safety at Work) (Work at Height) Regulations 2010

### PART 3

### SPECIFIC REQUIREMENTS

#### Ladders

**13.**—(1) The employer shall ensure that a ladder is only used as a place of work if the application of the regulation 8 criteria has demonstrated that the use of safer work equipment is not justified because of the low risk and—

- (a) the short duration of use of the ladder; or
- (b) existing features of the ship that the employer cannot alter.

(2) Where a ladder is used, as a place of work or a means of access to or egress from a place of work at height, the employer shall ensure that the provisions of Schedule 1 are complied with.