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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**2013 No. 1046**

**The Energy Supply Company Administration Rules 2013**

**PART 15**

Provisions of general effect

CHAPTER 5

Forms

**Electronic submission of information instead of submission of forms in all other cases**

**179.**—(1) Subject to paragraph (5), this Rule applies in any case where Rule 178 does not apply, where information in a prescribed form is required by these Rules to be sent by any person.

(2) A requirement of the kind mentioned in paragraph (1) is treated as having been satisfied where—

- (a) the person to whom the information is sent has agreed—
  - (i) to receiving the information electronically and to the form in which it is to be sent; and
  - (ii) to the manner in which paragraph (3) is to be satisfied (“the specified manner”);
- (b) all the information required to be given in the prescribed form is provided in the electronic submission; and
- (c) the person to whom the information is sent can provide in legible form the information so submitted.

(3) Any requirement in a prescribed form that it be accompanied by a signature is taken to be satisfied if the identity of the person who is supplying the information and whose signature is required, is confirmed in the specified manner.

(4) Where information required in prescribed form has been supplied to a person, whether or not it has been supplied electronically in accordance with paragraph (2), and a copy of that information is required to be supplied to another person falling within paragraph (1), the requirements contained in paragraph (2) apply in respect of the supply of the copy to that other person, as they apply in respect of the original.

**Changes to legislation:**

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the The Energy Supply Company Administration Rules 2013, Section 179.