
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2013 No. 3113

The Waste Electrical and Electronic
Equipment Regulations 2013

PART 1

GENERAL

Interpretation of documents

3. In these Regulations—

- (a) any document which is to be provided or given to any person may be provided or given to that person by electronic means if the document is capable of being reproduced by that person in legible form;
- (b) any requirement to make, keep or retain a record or to maintain any register may be satisfied in electronic form if the text is capable of being produced in a legible documentary form by the person who is subject to the requirement;
- (c) any requirement for a signature may be satisfied by an electronic signature incorporated into the document; and
- (d) for the purposes of paragraph (c), “electronic signature” means data in electronic form which are attached to or logically associated with other electronic data and which serve as a method of authentication.

Commencement Information

- II** Reg. 3 in force at 1.1.2014, see [reg. 1\(2\)](#)

Changes to legislation:

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Whole provisions yet to be inserted into this Instrument (including any effects on those provisions):

- Sch. 8 Pt. 3 para. 31 word substituted by [S.I. 2015/1968 reg. 2\(43\)\(b\)\(i\)](#)
- Sch. 8 Pt. 3 para. 31 word substituted by [S.I. 2015/1968 reg. 2\(43\)\(b\)\(ii\)](#)