## TRANSPOSITION NOTE FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF COMMISSION DIRECTIVE 2013/30/EU OF 12 JUNE 2013 ON THE SAFETY OF OFFSHORE OIL AND GAS OPERATIONS AND AMENDING DIRECTIVE 2004/35/EC

The Department of Energy and Climate Change (DECC), the Health and Safety Executive (HSE) and the Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs (DEFRA) are implementing regulations to transpose this Directive.

HSE are implementing the majority of the health and safety requirements in the

• Offshore Installations (Offshore Safety Directive) (Safety Case etc.) Regulations 2015 (SCR 2015) (S.I.2015/398)

Some provisions are already implemented by the Health and Safety Health at Work Act 1974 (**HSWA**) and its relevant statutory provisions or will be implemented by amendments to the relevant offshore regulations. These are listed in this note as:

- Offshore Installations (Prevention of Fire and Explosion, and Emergency Response) Regulations 1995 (**PFEER**);
- Offshore Installations and Pipeline Works (Management and Administration) Regulations 1995 (MAR);
- Offshore Installations and Wells (Design and Construction etc.) Regulations 1996 (**DCR**)

DECC are implementing the environmental requirements relating to internal emergency response plans by amendments to the Merchant Shipping (Oil Pollution Preparedness, Response and Cooperation Convention Regulations) 1998 (OPRC 1998) via the

 Merchant Shipping (Oil Pollution Preparedness, Response and Co-operation Convention)(Amendment) Regulations 2015 (OPRC2015) (S.I.2015/386)

DECC are implementing the requirements relating to licensing and the appointment and termination of the appointment of operators in the

• Offshore Petroleum Licensing (Offshore Safety Directive) Regulations 2015 (OPLR 2015) (S.I.2015/385)

DEFRA are implementing the changes to the Environmental Liability Directive (2004/35/EC), introduced by Article 38 of this Directive, via the

• Environmental Damage (Prevention and Remediation) (England) Regulations 2015

In some cases DECC and HSE have not copied out the Directive's requirements and where necessary have elaborated. This is to maintain current UK legislation to minimise administrative burdens on industry and/or to clarify definitions or what is required to deliver a specific duty.

Article	Purpose	Implementation	Responsibility
Article 1	Outlines the subject and scope of the Directive and highlights links with other Directives.	While no specific transposition of this Article is necessary, the Regulations cover its subject matter.	

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Article 2	Contains a range of definitions to support the understanding and scope of the Directive.	Relevant definitions are included, some have been elaborated to clarify what is required:	
		Regulation 2 the SCR 2015; Regulation 2 of the OPRC 1998 as amended by Regulation 4 of OPRC 2015; and Regulation 2 of the OPLR 2015.	
Article 2(1)	Definition of major accident.	The definition of major accident has been gold plated to maintain current standards in relation to offshore diving operations. This has overwhelming industry support and has minimal impact on business.	
Article 2(21)	Definition of connected infrastructure.	The definition of connected infrastructure has been gold plated to maintain current standards in regard to supplementary units attached to offshore installations. This has overwhelming industry support and has no impact on business.	
Article 3	General principles of risk management in offshore oil and gas operations: requires operators to take all suitable measures to prevent major accidents in offshore oil and gas operations and in the case of a major accident to take all suitable measures		
Article 3 (1)	to limit its consequences.  As above.	Not copied out, covered by	Secretary of

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		Sections 2 and 3 of <b>HSWA</b> and its relevant statutory provisions.	State
Article 3 (2)	As above.	Not copied out, this is an underlying principle throughout existing and proposed safety and environmental legislation.	Secretary of State
Article 3 (3)	As above.	Regulations 5, 6, 7, 8(1), 8(2), 8(3), 9(1), 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 22A, 22B and 22C of <b>PFEER</b> ; Regulation 30 of <b>SCR 2015</b> ; and Sections 2 and 3 of <b>HSWA</b> cover safety aspects.  Regulation 4(8) of <b>OPRC</b> 1998 as amended by Regulation 6(11) of <b>OPRC</b> 2015 covers implementation of an Oil Pollution Emergency Plan (OPEP) in the event of an accident.	Secretary of State
Article 3 (4)	As above.	Not copied out, covered by the Management of Health and Safety at Work Regulations 1999 and Regulation 5 of PFEER.	Secretary of State
Article 4	Safety and environmental considerations relating to licences: covers authorisation of offshore oil and gas activities pursuant to Directive 94/22/EC.		
Article 4 (1)	As above.	Regulation 3(1) of <b>OPLR 2015.</b>	Secretary of State
Article 4 (2)	As above.	Regulation 3(2) of <b>OPLR 2015.</b>	Secretary of State
Article 4 (3)	As above.	Regulations 3(4) and 9(a)(i) of <b>OPLR 2015</b> implement the	Secretary of

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		first paragraph of Art 4(3).	State
		Regulation 3(5) of <b>OPLR 2015</b> implements the second paragraph.	
		The third and fourth paragraphs are not directly transposed and will be implemented administratively.	
		Regulation 9(a)(ii) of <b>OPLR 2015</b> implements the final paragraph.	
Article 4 (4)	As above.	Not copied out in order to secure procedural certainty, Regulations 5 and 6 of OPLR 2015 implement this.	Secretary of State
Article 4(5)	As above.	Not copied out, this will be implemented administratively.	Secretary of State
Article 4 (6)	As above.	Regulation 3(3) of <b>OPLR 2015.</b>	Secretary of State
Article 5	Public participation relating to the effects of planned offshore oil and gas exploration operations on the environment: outlines the requirements relating to the licensing process.	Not copied out, covered by Strategic Environmental Assessment (Directive 2001/42/EC on the assessment of the effects of certain plans and programmes on the environment) and Environmental Impact Assessment (Directive 2011/92/EU on the assessment of the effects of certain public and private projects on the environment) consultation processes.	
Article 6	Offshore oil and gas operations within licensed areas: outlines the responsibilities of licensees, the		

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	licensing authority and competent authority in ensuring that production installations and connected infrastructure are operated only in licensed areas by licensees or operators appointed for that purpose; states that operations cannot commence or continue without submitting, and the competent authority accepting, a safety case or appropriate notification; also outlines requirements for safety zones.		
Article 6 (1)	As above.	Regulations 4 and 9(b) of OPLR 2015.	Secretary of State
Article 6 (2)	As above.	Regulation 5(1)(a) of SCR 2015 and Regulation 9(c) of OPLR 2015.	Secretary of State
Article 6 (3)	As above.	Regulation 5(1)(b) of SCR 2015 and Regulation 9(d) of OPLR 2015.	Secretary of State
Article 6 (4)	As above.	Regulation 6 of SCR 2015 and Regulations 7 and 8(2) of OPLR 2015.	Secretary of State
Article 6 (5)	As above.	Regulations 17(1) and 18(1) of <b>SCR 2015.</b>	Secretary of State
Article 6 (6)	As above.	Regulations 17(1), 18(1), 21(1), 21(2) 21(6), 22(1), 22(4) and 22(5) of SCR 2015.	Secretary of State
Article 6 (7)	As above.	Regulation 21H of MAR; Part III Miscellaneous (Safety Zones) of the Petroleum Act 1987.	Secretary of State

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Article 6 (8)	As above.	Not copied out, covered administratively.	Secretary of State
Article 7	Liability for environmental damage: requires the licensee to be financially liable for the prevention and remediation of environmental damage.	Regulation 10 of <b>OPLR 2015.</b>	Secretary of State
Article 8	Appointment of the competent authority.	Administrative agreement, policies and procedures.	
Article 9	Functioning of the competent authority.	Administrative agreement, policies and procedures.	
Article 10	Tasks of the European Maritime Safety Agency.	Not applicable to these regulations.	
Article 11	Documents to be submitted for carrying out oil and gas operations: outlines the documents required and the terms and timescales for their submission (see specific articles below).		
Article 11 (1) (a)	Corporate major accident policy.	Regulation 7 and Schedules 6(3) and 7(3) of SCR 2015.	Secretary of State
Article 11 (1) b)	Description of the Safety and environmental management system.	Schedules 6(5) and 7(5) of SCR 2015.	Secretary of State
Article 11 (1)(c)	Design Notification.	Regulation 15(1) of <b>SCR 2015.</b>	Secretary of State
Article 11 (1)(d)	Description of independent	Schedules 6(6) and 7(6) of SCR 2015.	Secretary of State

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	verification scheme.		
Article 11 (1)(e)	Report on major hazards (Safety case).	Regulations 17(1) and 18(1) of <b>SCR 2015.</b>	Secretary of State
Article 11 (1)(f)	Dismantling safety case.	Regulation 20(1) of <b>SCR 2015.</b>	Secretary of State
Article11 (1)(g)	Description of internal emergency response plan.	Schedules 6(21) and 7(17) of the SCR 2015 and Regulation 4(1)(c) of the OPRC 1998 as amended by Regulation 6(2) of the OPRC 2015.	Secretary of State
Article 11 (1)(h)	Notification of well operations.	Regulations 21(1) and 21(2) of <b>SCR 2015.</b>	Secretary of State
Article 11 (1)(i)	Notification of combined operations.	Regulations 22(1) and 22(2) of <b>SCR 2015.</b>	Secretary of State
Article 11 (1)(j)	Relocation Notification.	Regulations 15(3) and 15(4) of <b>SCR 2015.</b>	Secretary of State
Article 11 (1)(k)	Other relevant documents.	Schedules 6 (24) and 7(20) of SCR 2015.	Secretary of State
Article 11 (2)	Documents to be included in the report on major hazards (safety case) and well notification.	Schedules 6(3), 6(5), 6(6), 6(21), 7(3), 7(5),7(6), 7(17) and Regulations 17(1), 18(1), 21(8) and 21(9) of <b>SCR 2015.</b>	Secretary of State
Article 11 (3)	Deadline for design notification.	Regulation 15(1) of <b>SCR 2015.</b>	Secretary of State
Article 11 (4)	Notification of entering or leaving UK waters.	Regulation 5 of MAR. This requirement has been gold plated to maintain current standards. This has overwhelming industry support and has no impact on business.	Secretary of State
Article 11 (5)	Timescale for submitting relocation notification.	Regulations 15(3) and 15(4) of <b>SCR 2015.</b>	Secretary of State
Article 11 (6)	Timescale for notifying material change to design	Regulation 15(7) of SCR 2015.	Secretary of State

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	notification.		
Article 11 (7)	Deadline for submitting the report on major hazards (safety case).	Regulations 17(1) and 18(1) of <b>SCR 2015.</b>	Secretary of State
Article 12	Report on Major Hazards (Safety Case) for a production Installation: outlines what the report must contain; how it must be prepared; and requirements for material changes and thorough reviews.		
Article 12(1)	As above.	Regulations 17(1) and 24(1) of <b>SCR 2015.</b>	Secretary of State
Article 12(2)	As above.	Schedule 6(4) of <b>SCR 2015.</b>	Secretary of State
Article 12(3)	As above.	Regulation 17(2) of <b>SCR 2015.</b>	Secretary of State
Article 12(4)	As above.	Regulation 25(11) of <b>SCR 2015.</b>	Secretary of State
Article 12(5)	As above.	Regulations 20(1) and 24(2) of <b>SCR 2015.</b>	Secretary of State
Article 12(6)	As above.	Regulations 20(1) and 24(2) of <b>SCR 2015.</b>	Secretary of State
Article 12(7)	As above.	Regulation 23 of SCR 2015.	Secretary of State
Article 13	Report on Major Hazards (Safety Case) for a non-production installation: outlines what the report must contain; how it must be prepared; and requirements for material changes and thorough reviews.		
Article 13(1)	As above.	Regulations 18(1) and 24(1)	Secretary of

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		of SCR 2015.	State
Article 13(2)	As above.	Schedule 7(4) of <b>SCR 2015.</b>	Secretary of State
Article 13(3)	As above.	Regulation 25(11) of <b>SCR 2015.</b>	Secretary of State
Article 13(4)	As above.	Regulations 20(1) and 24(2) of <b>SCR 2015.</b>	Secretary of State
Article 13(5)	As above.	Regulations 20(1) and 24(2) of <b>SCR 2015.</b>	Secretary of State
Article 13(6)	As above.	Regulations 20(1) and 24(2) of <b>SCR 2015.</b>	Secretary of State
Article 13(7)	As above.	Regulation 23 of SCR 2015.	Secretary of State
	Internal Emergency Response Plans: outlines requirements for operators and owners preparing and submitting internal emergency response plans to the competent authority.		
Article 14(1)	As above.	Regulations 6 and 8 of <b>PFEER</b> ; Regulation 30(1) of <b>SCR 2015</b> ; Regulations 4(1)(c) and 4(3)(c) of <b>OPRC 1998</b> as amended by Regulation 6 of <b>OPRC 2015</b> and Schedule 2 to <b>OPRC 1998</b> as inserted by Regulation 12 of <b>OPRC 2015</b> .	Secretary of State
Article 14(2)	As above.	Regulations 30(6) and 30(7) of SCR 2015 and Regulation 4(5G) of OPRC 1998 as inserted by Regulation 6(8) of OPRC 2015.	Secretary of State
Article 14(3)	As above.	Regulations 30(4) and 30(5) of SCR 2015 and Regulation 4(5H) of OPRC 1998 as	Secretary of State

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		inserted by Regulation 6(8) of <b>OPRC 2015.</b>	
Article 15	Notification of and information on well operations: the requirements for well operators to submit well notifications and weekly reports to the competent authority.		
Article 15(1)	As above.	Regulations 21(1) and 21(2) of SCR 2015, and Regulation 4(5G) of OPRC 1998 as inserted by Regulation 6(8) of OPRC 2015 and Schedule 2, paragraph (2)(7) of OPRC 1998 as inserted by Regulation 12 of OPRC 2015.	Secretary of State
Article 15(2)	As above.	Regulation 21(7) of <b>SCR 2015</b> , and considered as part of the operational functions of the CA.	Secretary of State
Article 15(3)	As above.	Regulations 21(4) and 21(5) of <b>SCR 2015</b> , and considered as part of the operational functions of the CA.	Secretary of State
Article 15(4)	As above.	Not copied out, covered by Regulation 19 of <b>DCR</b> .	Secretary of State
Article 16	Notification of combined operations: the requirements for operators and owners involved in combined operations to submit a notification to the competent authority.		
Article 16 (1)	As above.	Regulations 22(1) and 22(5) of <b>SCR 2015.</b>	Secretary of State
Article 16 (2)	As above.	Regulation 22(4) of SCR 2015, and considered as part	Secretary of State

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		of the operational functions of the CA.	
Article 16 (3)	As above.	Regulation 22(2) of <b>SCR 2015</b> , and considered as part of the operational functions of the CA.	Secretary of State
Article 17	Independent Verification: Outlines the requirements on operators and owners for establishing schemes of independent verification.		
Article 17 (1)	As above.	Regulations 8(5)(c), 9(1), 11(1), 13, and Schedules 6(6) and 7(6) of SCR 2015.	Secretary of State
Article 17 (2)	As above.	Principle covered by existing UK law.	
Article 17 (3)	As above.	Regulations 2(6), 2(7), 2(8), 10(1), 10(4), 10(5), 12(1), 21(4) and 21(6) of <b>SCR 2015</b> .	Secretary of State
Article 17 (4)	As above.	Regulations 9(1) and 11(1) of SCR 2015.	Secretary of State
Article 17 (5)	As above.	Regulations 9(2)(e) and 11(2)(c) of <b>SCR 2015.</b>	Secretary of State
Article 17 (6)	As above.	Regulation 27(3) of <b>SCR 2015.</b>	Secretary of State
Article 17 (7l)	As above.	Schedule 9(11) of <b>SCR 2015.</b>	Secretary of State
Article 17 (8)	As above.	Regulation 9(5) of SCR 2015.	Secretary of State
Article 18	Power of the competent authority in relation to operations on installations: provides the range of powers.		

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Article 18(a)	As above.	Regulation 26 of SCR 2015.	
Article 18(b)	As above.	Not copied out, clarification contained within the deadlines throughout SCR 2015.	
Article 18(c)	As above.	Not copied out, covered by existing legislation, policies and procedures supported by guidance.	
Article 18(d)	As above.	Not copied out, covered by existing legislation and CA powers.	
Article 18(e)	As above.	Not copied out, covered by current powers under <b>HSWA</b> and Regulation 36 of the <b>SCR 2015.</b>	
Article 19	Major Accident Prevention Policy by operators and owners: sets out the requirements on operators and owners for major accident prevention. This includes a corporate major accident prevention policy and a safety and environmental management system.		
Article 19 (1)	As above	Regulations 7(2), 7(3); 7(6) 17(4)(a) and Schedules 6(3) and 7(3) of <b>SCR 2015.</b>	Secretary of State
Article 19 (2)	As above.	Regulation 7(5) of SCR 2015.	Secretary of State
Article 19 (3)	As above.	Regulations 8(1), 8(5) 17(4)(b) and Schedules 6(5) and 7(5) of <b>SCR 2015.</b>	Secretary of State
Article 19 (4)	As above.	Regulation 7(4) of <b>SCR 2015</b> and setting up mechanism is an administrative function of	Secretary of State

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		the CA.	
Article 19 (5)	As above.	Regulations 7(2), 7(3), 7(5), 8(2), 8(3) and 8(4) of <b>SCR 2015.</b>	Secretary of State
Article 19 (6)	As above.	Regulation 22A(2) of <b>PFEER</b> ; Schedule 2 paragraph 2(6) of <b>OPRC</b> 1998 as amended by Regulation 12 of <b>OPRC</b> 2015.	Secretary of State
Article 19 (7)	As above.	Regulation 32 of <b>SCR 2015</b> and through established administrative procedures.	Secretary of State
Article 19 (8)	As above.	Regulation 7(2) of <b>SCR 2015.</b>	Secretary of State
Article 19 (9)	As above.	Regulation 29 of SCR 2015.	Secretary of State
Article 19 (10)	As above.	Schedule 2(3) of <b>SCR 2015</b> and through established administrative procedures.	Secretary of State
Article 20	Offshore oil and gas operations outside the union: requires companies registered in member states to provide information on accidents outside the EU that they have been involved in.		
Article 20 (1)	As above	Regulation 34(1) of <b>SCR 2015.</b>	Secretary of State
Article 20 (2)	As above.	Regulation 34(2) of <b>SCR 2015</b> , but partly implemented administratively under competent authority functions.	Secretary of State
Article 21	Securing compliance with the regulatory framework for major accident prevention: requires the		

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	competent authority to ensure that operators and owners comply with regulatory measures and provide transport and accommodation to facilitate inspections/ investigations; and to develop annual plans for carrying out its duties.		
Article 21 (1)	As above.	Regulation 28 of SCR 2015.	Secretary of State
Article 21 (2)	As above.	Regulation 21F of MAR.	Secretary of State
Article 21 (3)	As above.	Not copied out, covered administratively by competent authority.	
Article 22	Confidential reporting of safety concerns: requires the competent authority to establish procedures for allowing anonymous reporting of safety and environmental concerns.		
Article 22 (1)	As above.	Not copied out, covered administratively by the competent authority.	
Article 22 (2)	As above.	Regulation 31of the SCR 2015.	
Article 23	Sharing of information: requires operators and owners to provide and share information as specified by the common data reporting format.	This is a direct acting EU Implementing Act (European Regulation 1112/2014).	
Article 24	Transparency:	This is a direct acting EU	

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	requires the Commission to establish a common publication format and make information publicly available.	Implementing Act (European Regulation 1112/2014).	
Article 25	Reporting on safety and environmental impact: requires member states and the Commission to submit/publish annual reports.	This is a direct acting EU Implementing Act (European Regulation 1112/2014) and the reports are administrative functions of the competent authority.	
Article 26	Investigation following a major accident: Outlines the requirements on the Member State to initiate thorough investigations of major accidents.	Not copied out, covered administratively by the competent authority.	
Article 27	Cooperation between member states: member states are required to exchange knowledge, information and experience; to share best practice and update standards and guidance; and to notify the Commission of measure in place.	Not copied out, covered administratively by the competent authority.	
Article 28	Requirements for internal emergency response plans.		
Article 28 (1)	As above.	Regulations 6 and 8 of <b>PFEER</b> ; Regulation 30(1) of <b>SCR 2015</b> ; Regulations 4(6) and 4(8) and Schedule 2 paragraph 3 of <b>OPRC 1998</b> as amended by Regulations 6(9), 6(11) and inserted by Regulation 12 of <b>OPRC</b>	Secretary of State

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		2015.	
Article 28 (2)	As above.	Regulation 30(12) of SCR 2015 and Regulation 22A(3) (4) of PFEER; Regulation 4(9) of OPRC 1998 as inserted by Regulation 6(12) of OPRC 2015.	Secretary of State
Article 28 (3)	As above.	Regulations 30(1), 30(4), 30(8), 30(9), 30(10), 30(11), 30(13) of SCR 2015; Regulations 5, 6, 7, 8(1), 8(2), 8(3), 9(1), 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 22B and 22C of PFEER; Regulation 4(3)(c) of OPRC 1998 as inserted by Regulation 6(5)(c) of OPRC 2015, Regulation 4(5C) of OPRC 1998 as inserted by Regulation 6(8) of OPRC 2015 and Schedule 2 to OPRC 1998 as inserted by Regulation 12 of OPRC 2015.	Secretary of State
Article 28 (4)	As above.	Regulations 30(2) and 30(3) of SCR 2015.	Secretary of State
Article 29	External emergency response plans and emergency preparedness.		
Article 29 (1) (2)	As above.	Existing national plan for pollution emergencies prepared by the Secretary of State pursuant to Section 293(2)(za) of the Merchant Shipping Act 1995 and the Search and Rescue Framework for the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland as published by the Secretary of State.	Secretary of State
Article 29 (3)	As above.	Not copied out, covered by operational functions of the	Secretary of State

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		competent authority.	
Article 29 (4) (5)	As above.	Not copied out, covered by operational functions of the competent authority and bilateral agreements with adjacent States.	Secretary of State
Article 29 (6)	As above.	Regulation 4(9) of <b>OPRC 1998</b> as amended by Regulation 6(12) of <b>OPRC 2015</b> and operational functions.	Secretary of State
Article 29 (7)	As above.	Not copied out, covered by operational functions of the competent authority and bilateral agreements with adjacent States.	Secretary of State
Article 30	Emergency response: requires operators to immediately notify competent authority of major accident and take all measures necessary to prevent escalation.		
Article 30 (1)	As above.	Regulation 33 of SCR 2015.	Secretary of State
Article 30 (2)	As above.	Sections 2 and 3 of HSWA and its relevant statutory provisions for prevention, and for mitigating the consequences Regulations 5, 6, 7, 8(1), 8(2), 8(3), 9(1), 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 22A, 22B and 22C of PFEER; Regulation 30 of SCR 2015; Sections 2 and 3 of HSWA and Regulation 4(8) of OPRC 1998 as amended by Regulation 6(11) of OPRC 2015.	Secretary of State
Article 30 (3)	As above	Not copied out, covered by operational functions of the	Secretary of State

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		competent authority.	
Article 31	Transboundary emergency preparedness and response for member states with oil and gas operations.		
Article 31 (1 – 4)	As above.	Not copied out, covered by existing procedures relating to Environmental Impact Assessment (Directive 2011/92/EU) consultation and under bilateral agreements with adjacent States.	Secretary of State
Article 31 (5)	As above.	Not copied out, covered by existing procedures and bilateral agreements with adjacent States.	Secretary of State
Article 31 (6)	As above.	Not copied out, covered by operational functions of the competent authority.	Secretary of State
Article 32	Transboundary emergency preparedness and response for member states without oil and gas operations.	Not applicable.	
Article 33	Coordinated approach towards safety of offshore oil and gas operations at international level: covers activities undertaken by the Commission.	Not applicable.	
Article 34	Penalties.	Regulation 40 of SCR 2015; Regulations 8, 13 and 14 of OPLR 2015; Regulation 7 of OPRC 1998 as amended by Regulation 9 of OPRC 2015.	Secretary of State
Article 35	Delegated powers of	Not applicable.	

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	the Commission.		
Article 36	Exercise of the delegation.	Not applicable.	
Article 37	Committee procedure.	Not applicable.	
Article 38	Amendment to Directive 2004/35/EC on environmental liability with regard to the prevention and remedying of environmental damage.	Regulations 2, 4, 6, 8, 10 and 11 of the Environmental Damage (Prevention and Remediation)(England) Regulations 2015.	
Article 39	Reports to the European Parliament and to the Council: submitted by the Commission.	Not applicable.	
Article 40	Report and Review by the Commission on the implementation of the Directive.	Not applicable.	
Article 41	Transposition dates.	Regulation 1 of SCR 2015; Regulation 1 of OPLR 2015; Regulation 1 OPRC 2015; and also implemented by administrative procedures.	Secretary of State
Article 42	Transitional provisions: timescales.	Regulation 39 and Schedule 14 of SCR 2015; Regulation 15 of OPLR 2015; and Regulation 2 of OPRC 2015.	Secretary of State
Article 43	Entry into force.	Not applicable.	
Article 44	Addressees.	Not applicable.	
Annex I	Information to be included in documents submitted to the competent authority		

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	pursuant to Article 11.		
Annex I (1)	Information to be submitted in a design or relocation notification for a production installation.	Schedule 5 of SCR 2015.	Secretary of State
Annex I (2)	Information to be submitted in a report on major hazards for operation of a production installation.	Schedule 6 of SCR 2015.	Secretary of State
Annex I (3)	Information to be submitted in a report on major hazards for a non-production installation.	Schedule 7 of SCR 2015.	Secretary of State
Annex I (4)	Information to be submitted in a notification of well operations.	Schedule 9 of SCR 2015.	Secretary of State
Annex I (5)	Information to be submitted relating to a verification scheme.	Schedule 4 of SCR 2015.	Secretary of State
Annex I (6)	Information to be provided in respect of a material change to an installation, including removal of a fixed installation.	Schedule 8 of SCR 2015.	Secretary of State
Annex I (7)	Information to be submitted in a notification of combined operations.	Schedule 10 of SCR 2015.	Secretary of State
Annex I (8)	Information to be submitted in respect of a corporate major accident policy.	Schedules 1 and 2 of SCR 2015.	Secretary of State
Annex I (9)	Information to be provided in respect of	Schedules 2 and 3 of SCR 2015.	Secretary of State

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	a safety and environmental management system.		
Annex I (10)	Information to be provided in an internal emergency response plan.	Regulation 30 of SCR 2015; Regulations 5, 6, 7, 8(1), 8(2), 8(3), 9(1), 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 22A, 22B and 22C of PFEER; and Schedule 2, paragraph 2 of OPRC 1998 as inserted by Regulation 12 of OPRC 2015.	Secretary of State
Annex II	Reports of well operations to be submitted pursuant to Article 15 (4).	Regulation 19 of <b>DCR</b> .	Secretary of State
Annex III	Provisions relating to the appointment and functioning of the competent authority pursuant to Articles 8 and 9.	Not copied out, covered by administrative agreements, policies and procedures.	
Annex IV	Provisions by operators and owners for prevention of major accidents pursuant to Article 19.	Regulation 32(1) and Schedule 2 of SCR 2015 and Regulation 22A of PFEER.	
Annex V	Selection of the independent verifier and the design of schemes for independent verification pursuant to Article 17(3).	Regulations 2(6), 2(7), 2(8), 2(9), 10(4); 10(5) and Schedule 4 of <b>SCR 2015.</b>	
Annex VI	Information relating to priorities for cooperation between operators and owners and competent authorities pursuant to Article 19 (7).	Schedule 11 of the SCR 2015.	

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Annex VII	Information to be provided in external emergency response plans pursuant to Article 29.	Not copied out, covered by existing national plan for pollution emergencies prepared by the Secretary of State pursuant to Section 293(2)(za) of the Merchant Shipping Act 1995 and the Search and Rescue Framework for the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland as published by the Secretary of State.	
Annex VIII	Particulars to be included in the preparation of external emergency response plans pursuant to Article 29.	As above	
Annex IX	Sharing of information and transparency.	Direct acting Implementing Act (European Regulation 1112/2014).	