
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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PART 2

REGULATED MEASURING INSTRUMENTS –
OBLIGATIONS OF ECONOMIC OPERATORS

CHAPTER 1

OBLIGATIONS OF MANUFACTURERS AND
PERSONS TO BE TREATED AS MANUFACTURERS

Documentation to accompany regulated measuring instruments

12.—(1) A manufacturer must ensure that regulated measuring instruments that the manufacturer has placed on the market are accompanied by—

- (a) a copy of the EU declaration of conformity relating to the instruments;
- (b) information on the operation of the instruments including, where relevant, the following—
 - (i) rated operating conditions;
 - (ii) mechanical and electromagnetic environment classes;
 - (iii) the upper and lower temperature limit, whether condensation is possible or not, open or closed location;
 - (iv) instructions for installation, maintenance, repairs, permissible adjustments;
 - (v) instructions for correct operation and any special conditions of use; and
 - (vi) conditions for compatibility with interfaces, sub-assemblies or measuring instruments.

(2) Paragraph (1)(b) does not apply where the simplicity of the regulated measuring instrument makes the supply of the information referred to in that paragraph unnecessary.

(3) Information supplied in accordance with this regulation must be in a language that can easily be understood by end-users and where the end users are in the United Kingdom, the information must be in English.

(4) Such instructions and information (and any labelling) relating to a regulated measuring instrument must be clear, understandable and intelligible.