

STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2020 No. 1664

The Conflict Minerals (Compliance) (Northern Ireland) (EU Exit) Regulations 2020

PART 5

Miscellaneous provisions

Review

17.—(1) The Secretary of State must, from time to time—

- (a) carry out a review of the regulatory provision contained in these Regulations; and
- (b) publish a report setting out the conclusions of the review.

(2) The first report must be published before 1 January 2026.

(3) Subsequent reports must be published at intervals not exceeding five years.

(4) Section 30(3) of the Small Business, Enterprise and Employment Act 2015 ^{M1} requires that a review carried out under this regulation must, so far as is reasonable, have regard to how the EU Regulation is implemented and enforced by Member States of the European Union.

(5) Section 30(4) of the Small Business, Enterprise and Employment Act 2015 requires that a report published under this regulation must, in particular—

- (a) set out the objectives intended to be achieved by the regulatory provision referred to in paragraph (1)(a);
- (b) assess the extent to which those objectives are achieved;
- (c) assess whether those objectives remain appropriate; and
- (d) if those objectives remain appropriate, assess the extent to which they could be achieved in a way which involves less onerous regulatory provision.

(6) In this regulation, “regulatory provision” has the same meaning as in sections 28 to 32 of the Small Business, Enterprise and Employment Act 2015 (see section 32 of that Act).

Commencement Information

II Reg. 17 in force at 1.1.2021, see [reg. 1\(1\)](#)

Marginal Citations

M1 2015 c. 26. Section 30(3) was amended by section 19 of the [Enterprise Act 2016 \(c. 12\)](#) and the [European Union \(Withdrawal\) Act 2018 \(c. 16\)](#), [Schedule 8\(2\)](#), paragraph 36.

Changes to legislation:

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the The Conflict Minerals (Compliance) (Northern Ireland) (EU Exit) Regulations 2020, Section 17.