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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**2021 No. 1316**

**The Merchant Shipping (Radiocommunications)  
(Amendment) Regulations 2021**

**PART 1**

**General**

**Ambulatory reference**

7.—(1) In these Regulations, any reference to Chapter IV, or Article 47 of the Radio Regulations, is to be construed—

- (a) as a reference to Chapter IV, or Article 47 of the Radio Regulations, as modified from time to time; and
- (b) as, if Chapter IV, or Article 47 of the Radio Regulations, is replaced, a reference to the replacement.

(2) For the purposes of paragraph (1), Chapter IV, or Article 47 of the Radio Regulations, is modified or replaced if the modification or replacement takes effect—

- (a) in relation to Chapter IV, in accordance with Article VIII of the Convention;
- (b) in relation to Article 47 of the Radio Regulations, in accordance with Article 54 of the Constitution of the International Telecommunication Union.

(3) A modification or replacement of Chapter IV or Article 47 of the Radio Regulations has effect at the time such modification or replacement comes into force—

- (a) in relation to Chapter IV, in accordance with Article VIII of the Convention;
- (b) in relation to Article 47 of the Radio Regulations, in accordance with Article 54 of the Constitution of the International Telecommunication Union.

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**Commencement Information**

**II** Reg. 7 in force at 24.12.2021, see [reg. 1\(1\)](#)

**Changes to legislation:**

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the The Merchant Shipping (Radiocommunications) (Amendment) Regulations 2021, Section 7.