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STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

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**1996 No. 247**

**HEALTH AND SAFETY**

**Equipment and Protective Systems Intended  
for Use in Potentially Explosive Atmospheres  
Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1996**

*Made* - - - - *24th June 1996*  
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The Department of Economic Development, being a Department designated(1) for the purposes of section 2(2) of the European Communities Act 1972(2) in relation to measures relating to equipment and protective systems intended for use in potentially explosive atmospheres, in exercise of the powers conferred on it by that section and of every other power enabling it in that behalf, hereby makes the following Regulations:

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(1) S.I. 1995/751  
(2) 1972 c. 68