
STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

1996 No. 228

HEALTH AND SAFETY

**Offshore Installations and Wells (Design and
Construction, etc.) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1996**

Made - - - - 7th June 1996

Coming into operation 21st July 1996

ARRANGEMENT OF REGULATIONS

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Explanatory Note