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PART 8

EUROPEAN LICENCES

Review

47.—(1) The Department must, from time to time—

- (a) carry out a review of these Regulations;
- (b) set out the conclusion of the review in a report; and
- (c) publish the report.

(2) In carrying out the review the Department must, so far as is reasonable, have regard to how the 2012 Directive (2012/34/EU), (which is implemented by means of these Regulations) is implemented in other EEA states.

(3) The report must, in particular—

- (a) set out the objectives intended to be achieved by the regulatory system established by these Regulations;
- (b) assess the extent to which those objectives are achieved; and
- (c) assess whether those objectives remain appropriate and, if so, the extent to which they would be achieved with a system which imposes less regulation.

(4) The first report under this regulation must be published before the end of a period of 5 years beginning with the day on which these Regulations come into force.

(5) Reports under this regulation are afterwards to be published at intervals not exceeding 5 years.