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PART 2

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CHAPTER 3

CONDUCT OF THE PROCEDURE

SECTION 2

Publication and transparency

Notices on the existence of a qualification system

- **66.**—(1) This regulation applies where a utility chooses to set up a qualification system in accordance with regulation 75 (qualification systems).
- (2) The qualification system must be the subject of a notice which includes the information set out in Annex X to the Utilities Contracts Directive, indicating the purpose of the qualification system and how to have access to the rules concerning its operation.
 - (3) The utility must—
 - (a) indicate the period of validity of the qualification system in the notice on the existence of the system; and
 - (b) notify the EU Publications Office of any change in the period of validity.
 - (4) The notification in paragraph (3)(b) must be made by using the following standard forms—
 - (a) where the period of validity is changed without terminating the system, the form for notices on the existence of qualification systems; and
 - (b) where the system is terminated, a contract award notice referred to in regulation 68 (contract award notices).