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CONSUMER PROTECTION

The Pedal Bicycles (Safety) (Amendment) Regulations 1984*Laid before Parliament in draft**Made* - - - 20th July 1984*Coming into Operation* 9th August 1984

Whereas the Secretary of State has, in accordance with the provisions of section 1(4) of the Consumer Safety Act 1978(a), consulted with such organisations as appear to him to be representative of interests substantially affected by these Regulations, the Health and Safety Commission (as regards Great Britain) and such other persons as he considers appropriate:

And whereas a draft of these regulations has been approved by a resolution of each House of Parliament:

Now, therefore, the Secretary of State, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 1 of the said Act, and now vested in him(b), hereby makes the following Regulations:

1.—(1) These Regulations may be cited as the Pedal Bicycles (Safety) (Amendment) Regulations 1984.

(2) These Regulations shall come into operation on the expiry of a period of 21 days beginning on the day on which these Regulations are made.

2. The Pedal Bicycles (Safety) Regulations 1984(c) are hereby amended so that in Regulation 2, in paragraph (1), for the definition of “the British Standard” there is substituted the following new definition:—

“ “the British Standard” means the specification for safety requirements for bicycles issued by the British Standards Institution under reference BS 6102: Part 1: 1981, either in its original form or as amended by Amendment No. 1 published on 31st May 1984 under reference AMD 4627, and Part 2: 1982;”

Nicholas Ridley,
Secretary of State for Transport.

20th July 1984.

(a) 1978 c.38.

(b) S.I. 1979/571, 1981/238.

(c) S.I. 1984/145.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Regulations.)

1. These Regulations amend the Pedal Bicycles (Safety) Regulations 1984 by permitting compliance with the British Standard specification for safety requirements for bicycles under reference BS 6102 as specified in Part 1 either in its original form or as amended by Amendment No. 1 and Part 2 instead of Part 1 only in its original form and Part 2.
2. Enquiries about the availability of the British Standard and the amendment to it should be made to the British Standards Institution at Linford Wood, Milton Keynes, MK14 6LE (telephone number Milton Keynes (STD 0908) 320066).
3. These Regulations apply to the whole of the United Kingdom.

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