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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**1991 No. 1896**

**RESTRICTIVE TRADE PRACTICES**

**The Restrictive Trade Practices (Standards  
and Arrangements) (Goods) Order 1991**

*Made - - - - 21st August 1991*

*Coming into force - - 13th September 1991*

The Secretary of State for Trade and Industry, in exercise of the power conferred on him by section 9(5) of the Restrictive Trade Practices Act 1976(1), hereby makes the following Order:—

**Citation, commencement and interpretation**

1.—(1) This Order may be cited as the Restrictive Trade Practices (Standards and Arrangements) (Goods) Order 1991 and shall come into force on 13th September 1991.

(2) In this Order—

“the 1976 Act” means the Restrictive Trade Practices Act 1976 ;

“arrangements” means, in respect of the production, supply or acquisition of any goods or the application to goods of any process of manufacture, arrangements as to the provision of information or advice to purchasers, consumers or users ;

“standards” means, in respect of the production, supply or acquisition of any goods or the application to goods of any process of manufacture, standards of dimension, design, quality or performance.

**Approval of standards and arrangements**

2.—(1) The standards specified in Part I of the Schedule to this Order, being standards adopted by Electricity Association Services Limited on 13th August 1991, are hereby approved for the purposes of section 9(5) of the 1976 Act.

(2) The arrangements specified in Part II of the Schedule to this Order, being arrangements adopted by Electricity Association Services Limited on 13th August 1991, are hereby approved for the purposes of section 9(5) of the 1976 Act.

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21st August 1991

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Parliamentary Under Secretary of State for  
Industry and Technology,  
Department of Trade and Industry

SCHEDULE

Article 2

PART I

STANDARDS APPROVED

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09-4	66 and 132kV impregnated paper insulated oil-filled and gas-pressure type power cable systems
	Issue 3, 1991
09-5	275 and 400kV impregnated paper insulated oil-filled and gas compression type power cable systems
	Issue 3, 1991
09-12	Impregnated paper insulated corrugated aluminium sheathed 6350/11000 volt cables
	Issue 2, 1990
09-17	Single core cables for use in substations having extruded insulation and rated voltages of 6350/11000 volts and 19000/33000 volts
	Issue 2, 1991
09-21	Crossed-linked polymeric insulated triplex cables for a rated voltage of 6350/11000 volts ( $U_m=12000V$ )
	Issue 1, 1990
12-5	Indicating lamps – filament type
	Issue 2, 1989
12-10	Single phase domestic cut-outs, connector blocks and interconnecting units up to 100A rating
	Issue 2, 1990
37-2	L.V. distribution fuse boards
	Issue 3, 1990
	Errata, 1990
41-10	Switchgear for use on 66, 132, 275 and 400kV systems
	Addendum, 1991 to Issue 3, 1989

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41-15	Standard circuit diagrams for equipment in 132kV substations  Part 1: transformer feeder, transformer end  Amendment 1, 1991 to Issue 1, 1978  Part 6: Bus section and bus coupler  Issue 1, 1989  Part 9: AC traction supplies to British Rail  Issue 1, 1989
41-26	Distribution switchgear for service up to 36kV (Cable connected)  Issue 1, 1991
41-27	Outdoor distribution switchgear for service up to 36kV (Overhead conductor connected)  Issue 1, 1991
43-13	Aerial bundled conductors (ABC) insulated with cross-linked polyethylene for low voltage overhead distribution  Issue 2, 1990  Corrigendum 1991
43-14	Conductor fittings and associated apparatus for use with 1v aerial bundled conductors  Issue 2, 1990
43-15	Insulator binds and equivalent helical fittings for overhead lines  Issue 2, 1990
43-88	Treatment of wood poles and associated timber for overhead lines  Issue 3, 1987
43-90	Anti-climbing devices and safety signs for hv lines up to and including 400kV  Issue 3, 1991
43-93	Line Insulators  Issue 3, 1986

	Amendment 1987
43-94	Earth rods and their connectors
	Issue 3 1990
44-5	Testing the insulation systems of stator coils for rotating electrical machines
	Issue 5, 1987
98-5	Automatic ultrasonic testing of tubes
	Part 3: Longitudinally submerged arc welded steel tubes, outside diameters 160mm and above
	Amendment No 1, 1990 to Issue 2, 1989
98-16	Defect evaluation and size estimation by the manual ultrasonic testing method
	Issue 1, 1990
98-17	Radiographic examination of fusion welded butt joints in steel
	Issue 1, 1988
98-19	Acceptance criteria for pipe circumferential butt welds in ferritic alloy steels
	Issue 1, 1990
98-23	Ultrasonic and visual inspection of components lined with tin based white metal
	Issue 1, 1990
T2	Transformers and reactors 1966
	Section 12: Cable boxes, cable sealing-end chambers and disconnecting chambers
	Revision 1, 1987
G59/1	Recommendations for the connection of embedded generating plant to the Regional Electricity Companies' distribution systems and the provision of standby generators
	1991
G72	Operational requirements for SF <sub>6</sub> switchgear under loss of pressure conditions
	1991

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L38/1	<p>Recommendations for the protective greasing of PVC-covered copper and bare and PVC-covered aluminium based overhead line conductors</p> <p>1991</p>
M10/4	<p>Serial numbering of meters</p> <p>1991</p>
M25/1	<p>Improving the security of meters and associated service equipment</p> <p>1987</p>
P23/1	<p>Customers' earth fault protection for compliance with the IEE Wiring Regulations for electrical installations</p> <p>1991</p>
ACE 80	<p>Guide to the maintenance of electrical plant up to and including 132kV</p> <p>1981 incorporating revised section 30, 1989</p>

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**PART II**  
**ARRANGEMENTS APPROVED**

G43/2	<p>Instructions for reporting to the National Fault and Interruption Reporting Scheme</p> <p>1990</p>
P23/1	<p>Customers' earth fault protection for compliance with the IEE Wiring Regulations for electrical installations</p> <p>1991</p>
R1/4	<p>Immediate notification of dangerous and potentially dangerous incidents and changes in operational practice</p> <p>1990</p>

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## **EXPLANATORY NOTE**

*(This note is not part of the Order)*

This Order approves standards of dimension, design, quality or performance of goods and manufacturing processes and arrangements as to the provision of information or advice, all of which have been adopted by Electricity Association Services Limited. The effect of the Order is that, for the purpose of determining whether an agreement is one to which the Restrictive Trade Practices Act 1976 applies, no account is taken of any term in the agreement by which the parties or any of them agree to comply with, or to apply, the standards and arrangements so approved.

The standards and arrangements (other than those which are confidential) may be inspected at the premises of Electricity Associations Services Limited, 30 Millbank, London SW1P 4RD.