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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**1999 No. 3232**

The Ionising Radiations Regulations 1999

PART II

GENERAL PRINCIPLES AND PROCEDURES

**Personal protective equipment**

9.—(1) Any personal protective equipment provided by an employer pursuant to regulation 8 shall comply with any provision in the Personal Protective Equipment (EC Directive) Regulations 1992<sup>(1)</sup> which is applicable to that item of personal protective equipment.

(2) Where in the case of respiratory protective equipment no provision of the Regulations referred to in paragraph (1) applies, that respiratory protective equipment shall satisfy the requirements of regulation 8 only if it is of a type, or conforms to a standard, approved in either case by the Executive.

(3) Every radiation employer shall ensure that appropriate accommodation is provided for personal protective equipment when it is not being worn.

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<sup>(1)</sup> S.I. 1992/3139; as amended by S.I. 1993/3074, S.I. 1994/2326 and S.I. 1996/3039.