
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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HEALTH AND SAFETY

**The Chemicals (Hazard Information and
Packaging for Supply) Regulations 2002**

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**THE CHEMICALS (HAZARD INFORMATION AND
PACKAGING FOR SUPPLY) REGULATIONS 2002**

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EFFECTS IN ACCORDANCE WITH PART I OF THIS
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APPROVED SUPPLY LIST

1. Acute lethal effects
- 1.1 Other than gaseous preparations The concentration limits fixed in Table...

- 1.2 ***Gaseous preparations***
 - 2. Non-lethal irreversible effects after a single exposure
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- 2.2 ***Gaseous preparations***
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- 4.1 ***Other than gaseous preparations***
 - Note
- 4.2 ***Gaseous preparations***
 - Note
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 - 1. The aquatic environment
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- 1. Identification of the substance or preparation and the company/undertaking.
- 2. Composition/information on ingredients.
- 3. Hazards identification.
- 4. First-aid measures.
- 5. Fire-fighting measures.
- 6. Accidental release measures.
- 7. Handling and storage.
- 8. Exposure controls and personal protection.
- 9. Physical and chemical properties.
- 10. Stability and reactivity.
- 11. Toxicological information.
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- 13. Disposal considerations.
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SPECIAL PROVISIONS FOR DANGEROUS PREPARATIONS

1. Dangerous preparations to be supplied to the general public
2. Dangerous preparations intended for use by spraying
3. Dangerous preparations containing a substance affected by the risk phrase R33 (danger of cumulative effects)
4. Dangerous preparations containing a substance affected by the risk phrase R64 (may cause harm to breast-fed babies)

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SPECIAL PROVISIONS APPLYING TO ANY PREPARATION

1. Paints and varnishes containing lead
2. Cyanoacrylate based adhesives
3. Preparations containing isocyanates
4. Certain preparations containing epoxy constituents
5. Preparations intended to be sold to the general public that contain active chlorine
6. Preparations containing cadmium (alloys) intended to be used for brazing or soldering
7. Preparations containing substances not yet tested completely
8. Preparations not classified as sensitising but containing at least one sensitising substance
9. Liquid preparations containing halogenated hydrocarbons
10. Preparations containing a substance assigned the risk phrase R67
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SPECIAL PROVISIONS APPLYING TO CERTAIN OTHER PREPARATIONS

1. Preparations not intended for the general public

SCHEDULE 6 — BRITISH AND INTERNATIONAL STANDARDS RELATING TO CHILD RESISTANT FASTENINGS AND TACTILE WARNING DEVICES

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