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## STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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# 2015 No. 821

## The Nagoya Protocol (Compliance) Regulations 2015

### PART 6

#### Miscellaneous provisions

##### Service of notices

**18.**—(1) Any notice served under these Regulations must be in writing and may be amended, suspended or revoked in writing at any time.

(2) A notice may be served on a person by—

- (a) personal delivery;
- (b) leaving it at the person's proper address; or
- (c) sending it by post or by electronic means to person's proper address.

(3) In the case of a body corporate, a notice may be served on an officer of that body.

(4) In the case of a partnership, a notice may be served on a partner or person who has control or management of the partnership business.

(5) In the case of an unincorporated association, a notice may be served on an officer of the association or a member of its governing body.

(6) For the purposes of this regulation and section 7 of the Interpretation Act 1978 (which relates to service of documents by post) so far as it applies to this regulation, “proper address” means—

- (a) in the case of a body corporate or an officer of that body—
  - (i) the registered or principal office of the body; or
  - (ii) the email address of the officer.
- (b) in the case of a partnership or a partner or person who has control or management of the partnership business—
  - (i) the principal office of the partnership; or
  - (ii) the email address of the partner or person who has that control or management.
- (c) in the case of an unincorporated association or an officer of the association or member of its governing body—
  - (i) the principal office of the association; or
  - (ii) the email address of the officer or member;
- (d) in any other case, a person's last known address, which includes an email address.

(7) For the purposes of paragraph (6), the principal office of a company registered outside the United Kingdom or a partnership or unincorporated association carrying on business outside the United Kingdom is its principal office in the United Kingdom.

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**Status:** *This version of this provision no longer has effect.*

**Changes to legislation:** *There are currently no known outstanding effects for the The Nagoya Protocol (Compliance) Regulations 2015, Section 18. (See end of Document for details)*

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(8) If the name or address of any occupier of premises on whom a notice is to be served under these Regulations cannot, after reasonable inquiry, be ascertained, the notice may be served by leaving it conspicuously affixed to a building or object on the premises.

**Status:**

This version of this provision no longer has effect.

**Changes to legislation:**

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the The Nagoya Protocol (Compliance) Regulations 2015, Section 18.