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PART 3

SECURITY OF TRANSPORT OF NUCLEAR MATERIAL

Revocation of approval of carriers

- **15.**—(1) The Secretary of State may revoke the approval of an approved carrier if he has requested that his approval be revoked or on any of the following grounds—
 - (a) that—
 - (i) in the case of a Class A carrier, he has ceased to carry on a business as a carrier of Category I/II nuclear material, or
 - (ii) in the case of a Class B carrier, he has ceased to carry on a business as a carrier of Category III nuclear material;
 - (b) that he has failed to comply with any obligation imposed on him under these Regulations;
 - (c) that he has supplied false or misleading information in his application for approval as an approved carrier or has failed to supply information that was material to the application; or
 - (d) that the Secretary of State is of the view that the approval should be revoked in the interests of ensuring the security of the Category I/II nuclear material or Category III nuclear material that the approved carrier might otherwise transport.
- (2) If the Secretary of State proposes to revoke the approval of an approved carrier otherwise than pursuant to a request from him, she must give him written notice of her proposal and of the reasons for it.
- (3) The approved carrier may make representations to the Secretary of State within 28 days from the date on which the notice under paragraph (2) is given.
- (4) The Secretary of State must take into account any such representations before reaching a decision whether to revoke the approved carrier's approval.
- (5) If the Secretary of State decides to revoke the approval of an approved carrier, she must give him written notice of her decision and of the reasons for it.