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FACTORIES

**Shipbuilding (Reports on Breathing Apparatus Etc.) Order
(Northern Ireland) 1975**

Made 15th September 1975

Coming into operation 17th November 1975

The Department(a) of Manpower Services by virtue of section 176(1) of the Factories Act (Northern Ireland) 1965(b) and in pursuance of regulation 50(3) of the Shipbuilding and Ship-repairing Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1971(c) (hereinafter referred to as "the Regulations"), the powers under which are now vested in it(d), hereby makes the following Order:

Citation and commencement

1. This Order may be cited as the Shipbuilding (Reports on Breathing Apparatus Etc.) Order (Northern Ireland) 1975 and shall come into operation on 17th November 1975.

2. Reports on the results of examinations under regulation 50(3) of the Regulations of breathing apparatus, belts, ropes, lamps and torches shall contain the following particulars:

- (i) the name and address of the employer of the worker for whose use the equipment is provided;
- (ii) the date of the examination and by whom it was carried out;
- (iii) in the case of breathing apparatus, particulars of the type of apparatus, the name of the maker, and the distinguishing number or mark together with a description sufficient to identify the apparatus;
- (iv) in the case of belts, ropes, lamps and torches, the distinguishing number or mark and a description sufficient to identify each of them;
- (v) the condition of the breathing apparatus, belts, ropes, lamps and torches, particulars of any defects found at the examination, and of the steps taken to remedy such defects; and
- (vi) in the case of compressed oxygen apparatus or of a compressed air apparatus, the pressure of oxygen or of air, as the case may be, in the supply cylinder.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Manpower Services for Northern Ireland on 15th September 1975.

(L.S.)

R. T. O'Connor

Assistant Secretary

(a) Formerly Ministry: see 1973 c. 36 section 40 and Sch. 5 para. 8(1).

(b) 1965 c. 20 (N.I.)

(c) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1971 No. 372 (p. 1669)

(d) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1973 No. 504 (II, p. 2992) Article 6(1) and Sch. 3: formerly vested in the Ministry of Health and Social Services.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Order but is intended to indicate its general purport.)

This Order prescribes the particulars to be kept under regulation 50(3) of the Shipbuilding and Ship-repairing Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1971 of the results of examinations of breathing apparatus, belts, ropes, lamps and torches.