

## STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

# 2016 No. 1152

## The Non-automatic Weighing Instruments Regulations 2016

### PART 5

#### [<sup>F1</sup>NOTIFICATION OF CONFORMITY ASSESSMENT BODIES][<sup>F1</sup>APPROVAL OF CONFORMITY ASSESSMENT BODIES]

#### [<sup>F1</sup>Subsidiaries and contractors **E+W+S**]

**52.**—(1) An approved body may subcontract specific conformity assessment activities, or use a subsidiary to carry out such activities provided—

- (a) the body is satisfied that the subcontractor or subsidiary meets the approved body requirements;
- (b) the body has informed the Secretary of State that it is satisfied that the subcontractor or subsidiary meets those requirements; and
- (c) the economic operator for whom the activities are to be carried out has consented to the activities being carried out by that person.

(2) The approved body which subcontracts specific conformity assessment activities or uses a subsidiary to carry out such activities remains responsible for the proper performance of those activities (irrespective of where the subcontractor or subsidiary is established).

(3) Where an approved body subcontracts, or uses a subsidiary to carry out, a specific conformity assessment activity, the approved body must, for a period of 10 years beginning on the day on which the activity is first carried out, keep available for inspection by the Secretary of State all relevant documentation concerning—

- (a) the assessment of the qualifications of the subcontractor or the subsidiary; and
- (b) the conformity assessment activity carried out by the subcontractor or subsidiary.

(4) In this regulation “subsidiary” has the meaning given to it in section 1159 of the Companies Act 2006 <sup>F2</sup>.]

#### Extent Information

- E1** This version of this provision extends to England and Wales and Scotland only; a separate version has been created for Northern Ireland only

#### Textual Amendments

- F1** Pt. 5 substituted (E.W.S.) (31.12.2020) by [The Product Safety and Metrology etc. \(Amendment etc.\) \(EU Exit\) Regulations 2019](#) (S.I. 2019/696), reg. 1, **Sch. 26 para. 32** (with Sch. 26 para. 5) (as amended by [S.I. 2020/676](#), regs. 1(1), 2; [S.I. 2020/852](#), reg. 4(2), **Sch. 1 paras. 1(o)(v), (vi)**); 2020 c. 1, **Sch. 5 para. 1(1)**
- F2** 2006 c.46.

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**Changes to legislation:** There are currently no known outstanding effects for the The Non-automatic Weighing Instruments Regulations 2016, Section 52. (See end of Document for details)

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## Monitoring **N.I.**

**52.**—(1) The Secretary of State must monitor each notified body with a view to verifying that the notified body—

- (a) continues to meet the notified body requirements;
- (b) meets any conditions set in accordance with regulation 49(6)(b) ; and
- (c) carries out its functions in accordance with these Regulations.

(2) The Secretary of State must inform the Commission of the United Kingdom's procedures for the monitoring of notified bodies, and any changes to those procedures.

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### Extent Information

**E2** This version of this provision extends to Northern Ireland only; a separate version has been created for England and Wales and Scotland only

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- E+W+S - England, Wales and Scotland extent
- N.I. - Northern Ireland extent

**Changes to legislation:**

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