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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**2016 No. 1153**

**The Measuring Instruments Regulations 2016**

**PART 9**

MISCELLANEOUS AND SUPPLEMENTAL

**Service of documents etc.**

**80.**—(1) Any document required or authorised by these Regulations to be served on a person may be so served—

- (a) by delivering it to that person or by leaving it at that person's proper address or by sending it by post to that person at that address;
- (b) if the person is a body corporate, by serving it in accordance with sub-paragraph (a) on the secretary or clerk of that body; or
- (c) if the person is a partnership, by serving it in accordance with that sub-paragraph on a partner or on a person having control or management of the partnership business.

(2) For the purposes of paragraph (1), and for the purposes of section 7 of the Interpretation Act 1978<sup>M1</sup> (which relates to the service of documents by post) in its application to that paragraph, the proper address of any person on whom a document is to be served in accordance with these Regulations is that person's last known address except that—

- (a) in the case of service on a body corporate or its secretary or clerk, it is the address of the registered or principal office of the body corporate; and
- (b) in the case of service on a partnership or a partner or a person having the control or management of a partnership business, it is the principal office of the partnership,

and for the purposes of this paragraph the principal office of a company registered outside the United Kingdom or of a partnership carrying on business outside the United Kingdom is its principal office within the United Kingdom.

**Marginal Citations**

**M1** 1978 c.30.

**Review**

**81.**—(1) The Secretary of State must from time to time—

- (a) carry out a review of these Regulations;
- (b) set out the conclusions of the review in a report; and
- (c) publish the report.

(2) [<sup>F1</sup>In carrying out the review the Secretary of State must, so far as is reasonable, have regard to how the Directive is implemented in other [<sup>F2</sup>relevant] states.]

- (3) The report must, in particular—
  - (a) set out the objectives intended to be achieved by the regulatory system established by these Regulations;
  - (b) assess the extent to which those objectives are achieved; and
  - (c) assess whether those objectives remain appropriate and, if so, the extent to which they could be achieved by a system that imposes less regulation.
- (4) The first report under this regulation must be published no later than 5 years after the date of the coming into force of these Regulations.
- (5) Reports under this regulation are afterwards to be published at intervals not exceeding 5 years.

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**Textual Amendments**

- F1** Reg. 81(2) omitted (E.W.S.) (31.12.2020) by virtue of The Product Safety and Metrology etc. (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019 (S.I. 2019/696), reg. 1, **Sch. 27 para. 47** (with Sch. 27 para. 50(a)) (as amended by S.I. 2020/676, regs. 1(1), 2); 2020 c. 1, Sch. 5 para. 1(1)
- F2** Word in reg. 81(2) substituted (N.I.) (31.12.2020) by The Product Safety and Metrology etc. (Amendment) (Northern Ireland) (EU Exit) Regulations 2020 (S.I. 2020/1112), reg. 1(b), **Sch. 14 para. 7**

**Changes to legislation:**

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the The Measuring Instruments Regulations 2016, PART 9.