

STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

**2019 No. 855**

The Russia (Sanctions) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019

**PART 5**

Trade

[<sup>F1</sup>CHAPTER 4L

Liquefied natural gas

[<sup>F1</sup>**Technical assistance relating to liquefied natural gas**

**46Z27.**—[<sup>F2</sup>(1) A person must not directly or indirectly provide technical assistance relating to—

- (a) the import of liquefied natural gas which—
  - (i) originates in Russia, or
  - (ii) is consigned from Russia;
- (b) the direct or indirect acquisition of liquefied natural gas which—
  - (i) originates in Russia, or
  - (ii) is located in Russia,

with the intention of the liquefied natural gas entering the United Kingdom.]

(2) Paragraph (1) is subject to Part 7 (Exceptions and licences).

(3) A person who contravenes any of the prohibitions in paragraph (1) commits an offence, but it is a defence for a person charged with an offence of contravening—

- (a) paragraph (1)(a), to show that the person did not know and had no reasonable cause to suspect that the technical assistance related to an import described in that paragraph;
- (b) paragraph (1)(b), to show that the person did not know and had no reasonable cause to suspect that the technical assistance related to an acquisition described in that paragraph.]

**Textual Amendments**

**F1** Pt. 5 Chs. 4L, 4M inserted (1.1.2023) by [The Russia \(Sanctions\) \(EU Exit\) \(Amendment\) \(No. 15\) Regulations 2022 \(S.I. 2022/1110\)](#), regs. 1(2)(a), **6**

**F2** Reg. 46Z27(1) substituted (1.1.2023) by [The Russia \(Sanctions\) \(EU Exit\) \(Amendment\) \(No. 17\) Regulations 2022 \(S.I. 2022/1331\)](#), reg. 1(2)(a), **Sch. 4 para. 9**

**Changes to legislation:**

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the The Russia (Sanctions) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019, Section 46Z27.