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# The Waste and Agriculture (Legislative Functions) Regulations 2022

#### PART 2

Waste: retention of legislative functions

#### **CHAPTER 3**

Retention of functions from the End-of-Life Vehicles Directive

#### Power to modify exemptions in light of scientific and technical progress

- **6.**—(1) The Secretary of State may, by regulations, make provision—
  - (a) to establish maximum concentration values up to which the existence of the prohibited substances in specific materials and components of vehicles is to be tolerated;
  - (b) to exempt certain materials and components of vehicles from the prohibition in regulation 6 of the End-of-Life Vehicles Regulations 2003(1) if the use of the prohibited substances is unavoidable;
  - (c) to delete materials and components of vehicles listed in Annex 2 (exempt materials and components) to the End-of-Life Vehicles Directive, if the use of the prohibited substances is avoidable;
  - (d) for the purposes of sub-paragraphs (a) and (b), to—
    - (i) designate those materials and components of vehicles that can be stripped before further treatment, and
    - (ii) require any such materials and components to be labelled or made identifiable by other appropriate means.
- (2) The provision which may be made under paragraph (1) includes—
  - (a) modifying any subordinate legislation which makes provision corresponding to that made by Annex 2 to the End-of-Life Vehicles Directive.
  - (b) requiring (whether by modifying subordinate legislation or otherwise) a reference to that Annex (or a reference encompassing that Annex) to be read as a reference to that provision with modifications;
- (3) The Secretary of State may exercise the power in paragraph (1) only to the extent that the Secretary of State considers it is appropriate to do so as a result of scientific and technical progress.
  - (4) In this regulation—

"prohibited substances" means lead, mercury, cadmium or hexavalent chromium;

"treatment" and "vehicle" have the meanings given by regulation 2 of the End-of-Life Vehicles Regulations 2003(2).

#### Power to specify minimum requirements for certificate of destruction

- 7.—(1) The Secretary of State may, by regulations, make provision specifying minimum requirements for the certificate of destruction referred to in Part V of the End-of-Life Vehicles Regulations 2003(3).
  - (2) Regulations under paragraph (1) may modify any subordinate legislation.

## Power to modify conditions of storage and treatment in light of scientific and technical progress

- **8.**—(1) The appropriate authority may, by regulations
  - (a) modify any subordinate legislation which makes provision corresponding to Annex 1 (minimum technical requirements for storage and treatment) to the End-of-Life Vehicles Directive;
  - (b) make provision requiring (whether by modifying subordinate legislation or otherwise) a reference to that Annex (or a reference encompassing that Annex) to be read as a reference to that Annex with modifications.
- (2) The appropriate authority may exercise the power in paragraph (1) only to the extent that the authority considers it is appropriate to do so as a result of scientific and technical progress.

#### Power to specify coding standards

- **9.**—(1) The Secretary of State may, by regulations, make provision specifying material and component coding standards for the purposes of regulation 15 of the End-of-Life Vehicles Regulations 2003(4).
  - (2) Regulations under paragraph (1) may modify any subordinate legislation.
- (3) Before exercising the power in paragraph (1), the Secretary of State must take account of work in this field undertaken in relevant international forums.

<sup>(2)</sup> The definition of "vehicle" is amended by S.I. 2018/235 and 2020/818.

<sup>(3)</sup> Part V is amended by S.I. 2005/263, 2010/1094 and 2019/188.

<sup>(4)</sup> Regulation 15 was substituted by S.I. 2019/188.