STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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MERCHANT SHIPPING

SAFETY

The Merchant Shipping (Fire Protection) Regulations 2023

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THE MERCHANT SHIPPING (FIRE PROTECTION) REGULATIONS 2023

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PART 1 — Amendments

- 1. The Merchant Shipping (Fire Protection: Small Ships) Regulations 1998
- 2. In regulation 1(7)(b)— (a) omit sub-paragraph (iv)(aa);
- 3. In regulation 45 (application and special requirements)—
- 4. The Merchant Shipping (Small Workboats and Pilot Boats) Regulations 1998
- 5. In the Schedule, in the table—(a) in the entry...
- 6. The Merchant Shipping (Vessels in Commercial Use for Sport or Pleasure) Regulations 1998
- 7. In Schedule 1 (large vessels), in the table—
- 8. In Schedule 2 (small vessels), in the table—
- 9. The Merchant Shipping (Passenger Ships on Domestic Voyages) Regulations 2000
- 10. Omit regulation 5(1)(f) (amendment).
- 11. In the Schedule, omit paragraph 5 (amendments).
- 12. The Civil Partnership Act 2004 (Amendments to Subordinate Legislation)
 Order 2005

Status: This is the original version (as it was originally made).

- 13. In Schedule 15 (amendments to subordinate legislation relating to merchant...
- 14. The Merchant Shipping (Marine Equipment) Regulations 2016
- 15. In Schedule 1 (amendment of regulations), omit paragraphs 4 and...
- 16. The Merchant Shipping (Fees) Regulations 2018
- 17. In Schedule 1 (fees under the Merchant Shipping Act 1995),...

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Explanatory Note