

# Amendments to UK product supply legislation

This is mostly concerning products for use at work.

Annex A lists known amendments to existing UK product law.

With the UK leaving the European Union further amendments will be made to ensure the legislation continues working ([Annex B](#)).

## Annex A

The following known amendments have been made to existing supply law:

Regulations	Amended by
The Supply of Machinery (Safety) Regulations 2008	Supply of Machinery (Safety) (Amendment) Regulations 2011
The Electrical Equipment (Safety) Regulations 2016	Regulation 84 of the Radio Equipment Regulations 2017
The Lifts Regulations 2016	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The Lifts (Amendment) Regulations 2016</li> <li>Schedule 6(1) of the Gas Appliances (Enforcement) and Miscellaneous Amendment Regulations 2016</li> </ul>
The Simple Pressure Vessels (Safety) Regulations 2016	Regulation 83 of the Radio Equipment Regulations 2017
The Pressure Equipment (Safety) Regulations 2016	Regulation 82 of the Radio Equipment Regulations 2017
The Electromagnetic Compatibility Regulations 2016	Regulation 81 of the Radio Equipment Regulations 2017
The Radio Equipment Regulations 2017	Schedule 6(12) of the Gas Appliances (Enforcement) and Miscellaneous Amendment Regulations 2016
The Recreational Craft Regulations 2017	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Regulation 85 of the Radio Equipment Regulations 2017</li> <li>Schedule 6(11) of the Gas Appliances (Enforcement) and Miscellaneous Amendment Regulations 2016</li> </ul>

## Additionally

The Provision and Use of Work Equipment Regulations 1998 at Schedule 1 'Instruments which give effect to product legislation concerning the safety of products' relating to the PUWER Regulation 10 duty that an item of work equipment should conform at all times with any essential requirements from product legislation, is amended by most of the above.

## Annex B

All of the following are amended by the Product Safety and Metrology etc (Amendment etc) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019 to ensure continuity of requirements necessary for the safety of products placed on the UK market:

- Supply of Machinery (Safety) Regulations 2008
- Electrical Equipment (Safety) Regulations 2016
- Lifts Regulations 2016
- Pressure Equipment (Safety) Regulations 2016
- Simple Pressure Vessels (Safety) Regulations 2016
- Equipment and Protective Systems Intended for Use in Potentially Explosive Atmospheres Regulations 2016
- Regulation 2016/425 on PPE and the Personal Protective Equipment (Enforcement) Regulations 2018
- Regulation 2016/426 on Gas Appliances and the Gas Appliances (Enforcement) and Miscellaneous Amendments Regulations 2018
- Noise Emission in the Environment by Equipment for use Outdoors Regulations 2001
- Radio Equipment Regulations 2017
- Electromagnetic Compatibility Regulations 2016
- Pyrotechnic Articles (Safety) Regulations 2015
- Explosives Regulations 2014
- Toys (Safety) Regulations 2011
- Regulation 765/2008 on market surveillance etc
- General Product Safety Regulations 2005
- The Accreditation Regulations 2009

Also, the 2019 amendment Regulations remove the EC reference for Declarations of Conformity from:  
The Lifting Operations and Lifting Equipment Regulations 1998

### **Additionally**

The Non-Road Mobile Machinery (Type-Approval and Emission of Gaseous and Particulate Pollutants) Regulations 2018, are to be amended by The Road Vehicles and Non-Road Mobile Machinery (Type-Approval) (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018

DfT propose amending legislation for the Cableway Installations Regulations 2018 to permit operability after exist day, but as yet there is no proposed date.

DEFRA plan on updating the Restriction of the use of Certain Hazardous Substances in Electrical and Electronic Equipment Regulations 2012 to implement the amending RoHS Directive 2017/2102/EU into UK law. The amended regulation should be laid on 4 March 2019 and come into force from 29 March 2019.