EUROPEAN UNION (RESTRICTION OF CERTAIN HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCES IN ELECTRICAL AND ELECTRONIC EQUIPMENT) (AMENDMENT) REGULATIONS 2023
S.I. No. 67 of 2023

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I, EAMON RYAN, Minister for the Environment, Climate and Communications, in exercise of the powers conferred on me by section 3 of the European Communities Act 1972 (No. 27 of 1972) and for the purpose of giving effect to Commission Delegated Directives (EU) 2022/1631 and (EU) 2022/1632 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 12 May 2022 amending, for the purposes of adapting to scientific and technical progress Annex IV to Directive 2011/65/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council of 8 June 2011 on the restriction of the use of certain hazardous substances in electrical and electronic equipment hereby make the following Regulations:

Citation

1. These Regulations may be cited as the European Union (Restriction of Certain Hazardous Substances in Electrical and Electronic Equipment) (Amendment) Regulations 2023.

Purpose of Regulations

2. The purpose for which these Regulations are made is to give effect to the provisions of Commission Delegated Directives (EU) 2022/1631 and (EU) 2022/1632 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 12 May 2022 amending, for the purposes of adapting to scientific and technical progress Annex IV to Directive 2011/65/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council of 8 June 2011 on the restriction of the use of certain hazardous substances in electrical and electronic equipment.

Amendment of Definition

3. Regulation 3(1) of the European Union (Restriction of Certain Hazardous Substances in Electrical and Electronic Equipment) Regulations 2012 (S.I. No. 513 of 2012) is amended by substituting for the definition of “the Directive” the following:


Notice of the making of this Statutory Instrument was published in “Iris Oifigiúil” of 24th February, 2023.

GIVEN under my Official Seal,

EAMON RYAN,
Minister for the Environment,
Climate and Communications.
EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Instrument and does not purport to be a legal interpretation.)

These Regulations amend the European Union (Restriction of Certain Hazardous Substances in Electrical and Electronic Equipment) Regulations 2012 (S.I. No. 513 of 2012) in order to give effect to the provisions of the following Commission Delegated Directives:

