L.N. 235 of 2004

ENVIRONMENT PROTECTION ACT, 2001 (ACT NO. XX OF 2001)

Ambient Air Quality Assessment and Management (Amendment) Regulations, 2004

BY VIRTUE of the powers conferred by articles 3, 9 and 28 of the Environment Protection Act, 2001, the Minister for Rural Affairs and the Environment has made the following regulations: -

Citation.

1. The title of these regulations is the Ambient Air Quality Assessment and Management (Amendment) Regulations, 2004, and they shall be read and construed as one with the Ambient Air Quality Assessment and Management Regulations, 2001, hereinafter referred to as "the principal regulations".

L.N. 216 of 2001.

Amends regulation 7 of the principal regulations.

2. For subregulation (1) regulation 7 of the principal regulations there shall be substituted the following:-

"(1) The competent authority shall take the necessary measures to ensure compliance with the limit values and to ensure an integrated environmental approach which would have no significant negative effects on the environment, on the protection of safety and health of workers at work, and on the environment in other States.".

Amends regulation 8 of the principal regulations.

3. Immediately after subregulation (4) of regulation 8 of the principal regulations, there shall be added the following subregulation:

"(5) When the level of a pollutant exceeds, or is likely to exceed the limit value plus the margin of tolerance or, as the case may be, the alert threshold following significant pollution originating in another State, the States concerned shall consult with one another with a view to finding a solution.".

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