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PRODUCT SAFETY ACT (CAP. 427)

Energy Labelling Requirements for Air Conditioners (Implementation) Regulations, 2013

IN exercise of the powers conferred by articles 38 to 40 of the Product Safety Act, Minister for Social Dialogue, Consumer Affairs and Civil Liberties, on the advice of the Malta Competition and Consumer Affairs Authority, has made the following regulations:-

Citation.

1. The title of these regulations is the Energy Labelling Requirements for Air Conditioners (Implementation) Regulations, 2013.

Applicability or otherwise of these regulations.

2. These regulations implement the requirements set by Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) No 626/2011 of 4 May 2011 supplementing Directive 2010/30/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council with regard to energy labelling of air conditioners. Regulation (EU) No 626/2011 establishes requirements for the labelling and the provision of supplementary product information for electric mains-operated air conditioners with a rated capacity of ≤ 12 kW for cooling, or heating, if the product has no cooling function. In the implementation of the above-mentioned (EU) No 626/2011, these regulations shall not apply to:

(a) appliances that use non-electric energy sources;

(b) air conditioners of which the condensor- or evaporator-side, or both, do not use air for heat transfer medium.

Authority responsible to verify compliance. Cap. 510.

3. For the purpose of Article 6 of Regulation (EU) No 626/2011, the Technical Regulations Division, as established by the Malta Competition and Consumer Affairs Authority Act, shall be the competent authority.

Applicable penalties.

Cap. 427.

4. The penalties applicable for the infringement of the provisions of Regulation (EU) No 626/2011 shall be those provided for in Part IV of the Product Safety Act.

Revokes Legal Notice 338 of 2011.

5. For the pupose of Article 8 of Regulation (EU) No 626/2011, the Energy Labelling of House hold Air-Conditioners (Implementing Measures) Regulations, 2011, are hereby revoked.

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