STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1972 No. 1502

EXPLOSIVES

The Conveyance in Harbours of Military Explosives (Amendment) Regulations 1972

Made - - -	*28th September* 1972
Coming into Operation	*8th November* 1972

In exercise of the powers conferred by the provisions of section 97(5) of the Explosives Act 1875(**a**), as extended by section 2 of, and paragraph 4 of Schedule 2 to, the Emergency Laws (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1947(**b**) and of the powers conferred by the said provisions (extended as aforesaid) as the same have effect by virtue of the Visiting Forces and International Headquarters (Application of Law) Order 1965(**c**), and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, the Secretary of State hereby makes the following regulations:—

Citation, commencement and interpretation

1.—(1) These regulations may be cited as the Conveyance in Harbours of Military Explosives (Amendment) Regulations 1972 and shall come into operation on 8th November 1972.

(2) The Interpretation Act 1889(**d**) shall apply for the interpretation of these regulations as it applies for the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

(3) In these regulations "the principal Regulations" means the Conveyance in Harbours of Military Explosives Regulations 1969(**e**).

Amendments to the principal Regulations

2. The principal Regulations shall have effect as though—

(1) in regulation 4 there were inserted after the words "the appropriate Schedules" the words "being Schedules 1 and 2 to these Regulations";

(2) in regulation 5 at the beginning there were inserted after the words "Before any military explosive" the words "other than an explosive belonging to the safety class";

(3) in regulation 12(2) at the end there were added the following paragraph:

"(*e*) any quantities of the explosives specified in Schedule 3 to these Regulations.";

(a) 1875 c. 17.
(b) 11 & 12 Geo. 6. c. 10.
(c) S.I. 1965/1536 (1965 II, p. 4462).
(d) 1889 c. 63.
(e) S.I. 1969/18 (1969 I, p. 19).

(4) for Schedule 2 there were substituted the First Schedule attached to these Regulations; and

(5) there were added as Schedule 3 to the Principal Regulations the Second Schedule attached to these Regulations.

Dated 28th September 1972.

Carrington,
One of Her Majesty's Principal
Secretaries of State.

SCHEDULE

UNITED KINGDOM CLASSIFICATION OF EXPLOSIVES OF UNITED STATES FORCES

Description (D.O.T. Shipping Name and Coast Guard Class)	Group	Shipping Category
Ammunition for cannon with empty projectiles (CGC II—B).	6	B
Ammunition for cannon with explosive projectiles (CGC IV).	6	B
Ammunition for cannon with explosive projectiles (high charge) (CGC IV).	6	C
Ammunition for cannon with gas projectiles (CGC XI—B).	13	B
Ammunition for cannon with illuminating projectiles (CGC IV).	6	B
Ammunition for cannon with incendiary projectiles (CGC IV).	11	B
Ammunition for cannon with inert loaded projectiles (CGC II—B).	6	B
Ammunition for cannon with smoke projectiles (HC) (CGC II—E).	11	B
Ammunition for cannon with smoke projectiles (FM of FS) (CGC II—F).	11	B
Ammunition for cannon with smoke projectiles (WP) (CGC II—D).	12	B
Ammunition for cannon with solid projectiles (CGC II—B).	6	B
**Ammunition for cannon without projectiles (CGC II—B).	6	B
Black powder (CGC IX—A).	1	C
Blasting caps (CGC VIII).	10	C
Blasting caps with safety fuze (CGC VIII).	10	C
Boosters (explosive) (CGC X—A). (and VIII).	6	C
Bursters, explosive (CGC X—A).	6	C
Cannon primers (CGC III).	6	B
Combination fuzes (CGC III).	6	B
Combination primers (CGC III).	6	B
Common fireworks (CGC II—C).	9	B
Cordeau detonant fuze (CGC I).	8	C
Detonating fuzes, Class A explosives (CGC VI and VIII).	6	B
Detonating fuzes, Class C explosives (CGC I).	6	B
Electric blasting caps (CGC VIII).	10	C
Electric squibs (CGC II—C).	6	B
Explosive bombs (unfuzed) (CGC X—A).	7	C
Explosive bombs (packed with fuzes) (CGC X—B).	7	C
Explosive bombs (smaller charges, boxed) (CGC X—A).	6	C
Explosive bombs (smaller charges, unboxed) (CGC X—A).	5	C
Explosive bombs (black powder) (CGC X—A).	7	C
Explosive bombs (black powder) (packed with fuzes) (CGC X—B).	7	C
Explosive bombs (gas) (CGC XI—B).	13	B
Explosive bombs (incendiary) (CGC II—J).	11	B
Explosive bombs (incendiary, IM, PT or NP) (CGC II—G).	15	B
Explosive bombs (incendiary, WP) (CGC II—D).	12	B
Explosive bombs (smoke) (CGC II—E).	11	B
Explosive bombs (smoke, WP) (CGC II—D).	12	B
Explosive cable cutters (CGC I).	6	B
Explosive mines (CGC X—A).	7	C
Explosive power devices (CGC I).	6	B
Explosive projectiles (CGC VII or X—A).	5	C
Explosive priojectiles (gas) (CGC XI—B).	13	B
Explosive projectiles (smoke HC) (CGC II—E).	11	B
Explosive projectiles (smoke FM or FS) (CGC II—F).	11	B
Explosive projectiles (smoke WP) (CGC II—D).	12	B
Explosive, release devices (CGC I).	6	B
*Explosive rivets (CGC I).	6	—
Explosive torpedoes (CGC X—A).	7	C
Explosive torpedoes (with fuzes) (CGC X—B).	7A	C
Fire extinguisher actuary cartridges (CGC I).	6	B
Flammable solids (CGC II—D).	12	B

Description (D.O.T. Shipping Name and Coast Guard Class)	Group	Shipping Category
Fuse igniters (CGC II—C).	6	B
Fuse lighters (CGC II—C).	6	B
*Grenades, empty primed, (CGC—I).	6	—
Grenades, rifle, smoke (WP) (CGC II—D).	12	B
Hand grenades (CGC IV).	8	B
Hand grenades (HC) (CGC—IV).	8	C
High explosives (CGC IX—B).	7	C
Igniters (CGC II—C).	6	B
Igniter, Jet thrust (CGC III).	6	B
Illuminating projectiles (CGC II—C).	6	B
Instantaneous fuse (CGC II—C).	6	B
Jet thrust units, Class A (CGC X—C).	6	B
Jet thrust units, Class B (CGC II—B).	6	B
Low explosives (CGC IX—A).	9	B
*Percussiin caps (CGC I or III).	6	—
Percussion fuzes (CGC III or VIII).	6	B
Propellant explosives, solid. Class A (CGC IX—A).	2	C
**Propellant explosives, solid Class B (CGC II—A).	3	B
Railway fuzes (CGC II—C).	9	B
Rifle grenades (CGC IV).	8	C
Rocket ammunition with empty projectiles (CGC II—B).	6	B
Rocket ammunition with explosive projectiles (CGC IV or X—C).	8	C
Rocket ammunition with explosive projectiles (self-propulsive) (CGC IV or X—C).	8	C
Rocket ammunition with gas projectiles (CGC XI—B).	13	B
Rocket ammiunition with gas projectiles (self-propulsive) (CGC XI—B).	13	B
Rocket ammunition with illuminating projectiles (CGC IV).	9	B
Rocket ammunition with illuminating projectiles (self-propulsive) (CGC IV).	9	B
Rocket ammunition with inert loaded projectiles (CGC II—B).	6	B
Rocket ammunition with inert loaded projectiles (self-propulsive) (CGC II—B).	6	B
Rocket ammunition with smoke projectiles (CGC II—F).	11	B
Rocket ammunition with smoke projectiles (self-propulsive) (CGC II—F).	11	B
Rocket ammunition with smoke projectiles (WP) (CGC II—D).	12	B
Rocket ammunition with smoke projectiles (WP) (self-propulsive) (CGC II—D).	12	B
Rocket ammunition without projectiles (CGC II—B).	6	B
Rocket ammunition without projectiles (self-propulsive) (CGC II—B).	6	B
**Rocket engines (liquid) (CGC X—E).	15	B
*Safety fuse (CGC I).	6	—
*Safety squibs (CGC II—C).	6	—
*Small arms ammunition (CGC—I).	6	—
Small arms ammunition (tear gas cartridge) (CGC I).	13	B
*Small arms primers (CGC I).	6	—
Smoke grenades (CGC II—C).	11	B
Special fireworks (CGC II—C).	9	B
Starter cartridges, jet engine (CGC II—A).	6	B
Tear gas grenades (CGC XI—B).	13	B
Time fuzes (CGC III).	6	B
*Time fuzes (mechanical) without boosters (CGC I).	6	—
Tracer fuzes (CGC III).	6	B
Tracers (CGC II—C).	9	B

Regulation 12

SCHEDULE

EXCEPTED COMMERCIAL EXPLOSIVES

Bloodhound Mk. 2 Ramjet Igniters
Pyrotechnic Delay Unit
5″ A/C Reconnaissance Flare
Flares GMK 10A2
Flares GMK 15A1
Cartridge Type 400 No. 1 Mk. I
Flares Target (Visual) No. 2 Mk. 2
Flares Target (Visual) No. 2 Mk. 3
Flares Target (Visual) No. 3 Mk. 2
Flares Target (Visual) No. 3 Mk. 3
Non Toxic Smoke Generator
Cartridges Ejector Release Unit No. 200 Mk. I
4″ A/C Reconnaissance Flare No. 2 Mk. I
Recce Flares 4″ No. 1 Mk. 2
Cartridges Illuminating 1¾″ No. 1 Mk. 2
CS Pellets for Respirator Testing
CS Grenade L1A2 and Cartridge L2A2
Canister Pressurised Irritant Hand Held (CS) L1A1
Grenade Hand No. 83 Coloured Smoke
Float Smoke and Flame 3½lb. No. 1 Mk. 3
Cartridges Signal 1½″ Yellow and Green Mk. 7
1″ Red L5A1, Green L4A1, Illuminating L3A1
Grenade, Hand, Anti-Riot Irritant L1A2
Cartridge 1½″ Anti-Riot Irritant L2A2
1½″ Aluminium Anti-Riot Cartridge CS
Hand Generator CS Mk. 2
Signal Distress Day and Night No. 1 Mk. 1
(Licence for an associate Company to manufacture in USA)
Grenade Discharger Anti-Riot Irritant L6A1
Round Anti-Riot 1.5″ Baton XL 2E2
Round Anti-Riot Baton 1½″ L1A1
Cartridge Signal, Red 1″ Mk. 13T
Cartridge Signal, Green 1″ Mk. 12T
Cartridge Signal, Illuminating 1″ J Mk. 1T
Cartridge Signal, 1½″ Red Mk. 7T
Cartridge, Signal, 1½″ Green Mk. 7T.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Regulations.)

These regulations, which amend the Conveyance in Harbours of Military Explosives Regulations 1969, specify certain explosives as excepted commercial explosives for the purpose of regulation 12 (restrictions on the carrying of explosives in a harbour area) and provide that the requirement for the harbour master to be notified before any conveyance of military explosives takes place shall not apply in respect of explosives belonging to the safety class. A new Schedule replaces that specifying the United Kingdom classification of explosives of United States forces.

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