STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1983 No. 1472

CLEAN AIR

The Smoke Control Areas (Exempted Fireplaces) (No. 4) Order 1983

Made - - - -	6*th October* 1983
Laid before Parliament	17*th October* 1983
Coming into Operation	8*th November* 1983

The Secretary of State for the Environment, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 11(4) of the Clean Air Act 1956(**a**) and now vested in him(**b**), and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, hereby orders as follows:—

Title, commencement and extent

1.—(1) This order may be cited as the Smoke Control Areas (Exempted Fireplaces) (No. 4) Order 1983 and shall come into operation on 8th November 1983.

(2) This order applies to England and Wales.

Classes of fireplace exempted from section 11 of the Clean Air Act 1956

2. The class of fireplace described in Column (1) of the Schedule to this order shall, subject to the conditions specified in Column (2) thereof, be exempted from the provisions of Section 11 of the Clean Air Act 1956 (which empowers a local authority to declare the whole or any part of their district to be a smoke control area).

(**a**) 1956 c. 52. (**b**) S.I. 1970/1681.

Article 2

SCHEDULE

EXEMPTED CLASS OF FIREPLACE

(1) Class of fireplace	(2) Conditions
The fireplace known as the Parkray Coalmaster II manufactured by T.I. Parkray Limited.	2. The fireplace shall be installed, maintained and operated so as to minimise the emission of smoke at all times and in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions which (*a*) in the case of the installation instructions bear the date June 1983 and the reference 'List No. 1048', and (*b*) in the case of the user instructions bear the date September 1983 and the reference 'List No. 1049'. 2. No fuel shall be used other than selected washed coal doubles and trebles.

Patrick Jenkin,
Secretary of State for the Environment.

6th October 1983.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(*This Note is not part of the Order.*)

Section 11 of the Clean Air Act 1956 empowers local authorities to declare the whole or any part of their district to be a smoke control area in which the emission of smoke is generally prohibited.

This Order, which applies to England and Wales, exempts a class of fireplace known as the Parkray Coalmaster II manufactured by T.I. Parkray Limited, from the provisions of that section, subject to certain conditions as to the method of operation and the type of fuel to be used.

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