

BIS SECOND STATEMENT OF NEW REGULATION

Regulations covering July to December 2011

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Impact Assessmen t Number	Lead Dept	Title of the Measure	Purpose of the Measure	Date the measure is due to come in force	Equivalent Annual Net Cost to Business (£m,2009)	Impact Assessment Link
BIS0172	BIS	The Insolvency (Amendment) Regulations 2011	To withdraw the option for liquidators in voluntary liquidations to use the Insolvency Service Account facility.	Oct-11	0.01	http://www.ialibrary.bis.gov.uk/l mpactAssessment/?IAID=0387f 25ba1df452c8c9c2233bec5086 d

## **ZERO NET COST**

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BIS0083	BIS	Weights and Measures (Specified Quantities) (Unwrapped Bread and Intoxicating Liquor) Order 2011	Amendment to existing measures to deregulate specified quantities for unwrapped bread and give greater flexibility over fixed sizes for alcoholic drinks.	Oct-11	0	http://www.ialibrary.bis.gov.uk/l mpactAssessment/?IAID=bb97 21dad1b84d76a38857022206d ee3
BIS0283	BIS	Public Policy Exclusion Order (Complex Weapons) (Revocation) 2011	To revoke an exclusion from the prohibitions of the Competition Act 1998 to agreements relating to complex weapons.	Oct-11	0	http://www.ialibrary.bis.gov.uk/l mpactAssessment/?IAID=5b98 bf7e36b94bb1a4705bbb85c919 95

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BIS0027	BIS	Special Administration Regime of the Postal Services Act 2011	To ensure Government can intervene to secure the continued operation of the universal postal service (which is a European legal obligation on Government) should the existing universal service provider be at risk of entering insolvency proceedings.	Oct-11	0	http://www.bis.gov.uk/assets/bis core/business- sectors/docs/p/10-1204-postal- services-bill-impact- assessment.pdf
BIS0135	BIS	The Patents County Court (Financial Limits) (No.2) Order 2011	To ensure that court cases are allocated to the correct forum from the outset so that that small/medium businesses avoid potentially lengthy and costly transfer considerations.	Oct-11	0	http://www.ialibrary.bis.gov.uk/l mpactAssessment/?IAID=6bed caf85ca74d20a35393bea72d30 82
BIS0303	BIS	The Overseas Companies (Execution of Documents and Registration of Charges) Regulations 2011	Removal of the requirement to register while retaining the public right of access to information about charges created by registered overseas companies that are floating charges or over land or fixed assets in the UK.	Oct-11	0	http://www.ialibrary.bis.gov.uk/l mpactAssessment/?IAID=f2b64 4e7cfd1489fb16b1c9f72e7d0f2

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BIS0146, BIS0093, BIS0288	BIS	The Scheme for Construction Contracts (England and Wales) Regulations 1998 (Amendment)(England) Regulations 2011, The Construction Contracts (England) Exclusion Order 2011, The Local Democracy, Economic Development and Construction Act 2009 (Commencement No.2)(England) Order 2011	To deregulate the existing regulatory framework to minimise costs of adjudication and regulatory burdens to contractors and sub-contractors.	Oct-11	-30.00	http://www.ialibrary.bis.gov.uk/l mpactAssessment/?IAID=c5f72 0957eb54eaf911f0bbc1dbb860 5
BIS0073	BIS	Amendment to the Patents Act to provide for Online Patent File Inspection Order 2011	Provides an exception to copyright for online patent file inspection so that customers can inspect files online for free.	Oct-11	-0.10	http://www.ialibrary.bis.gov.uk/I mpactAssessment/?IAID=749fff 55e8344924a938944f2a517518
BIS0181	BIS	Companies Act 2006 (Annual Returns) Regulations 2011	To minimise the burden on companies when updating information about them on public record.	Oct-11	-0.13	http://www.ialibrary.bis.gov.uk/l mpactAssessment/?IAID=9271 e2b2c5264ea289b4fcf965d74a 8b

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BIS0292	BIS	The Companies (Disclosure of Auditor Remuneration and Liability Limitation Agreements) (Amendment) Regulations 2011	Amends the existing regulations that provide for large companies to disclose fees receivable by their auditors for non-audit services to correlate with the revised Ethical Standards published by the Auditing Practices Board of the Financial Reporting Council.	Oct-11	-1.68	http://www.ialibrary.bis.gov.uk/l mpactAssessment/?IAID=5f3e1 bc68d334b7d8b62733dd1fddd8 4

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