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## **Notification to Parliament of a published draft instrument pursuant to paragraph 14 of Schedule 8 to the European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018**

### **Draft Statutory Instrument: The Merchant Shipping (Fire Protection) Regulations 2023**

This notification is provided by the Department for Transport for the purposes of paragraph 14 of Schedule 8 to the European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018 (enhanced scrutiny procedure for instruments which amend or revoke subordinate legislation under section 2(2) of the European Communities Act 1972 (including subordinate legislation implementing EU Directives)).

In addition to this notification, the Department is providing PDF copies of the published draft instrument and draft Explanatory Memorandum.

In accordance with paragraph 14(2) of Schedule 8, the instrument has been published in draft at [www.gov.uk/government/publications/regulations-for-fire-protection](http://www.gov.uk/government/publications/regulations-for-fire-protection) for comment. A draft of the instrument will be laid before each House of Parliament for approval by resolution of each House in accordance with paragraph 13(1) of Schedule 8 not less than 28 days after the date of publication.

A written Ministerial statement has been tabled and notice has also been given to the Joint Committee on Statutory Instruments and the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee.

Presented to Parliament by the Secretary of State for Transport by Command of His Majesty.

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