

THE DEPARTMENT FOR BUSINESS AND TRADE
NOTICE OF PROPOSAL TO PUBLISH
0132/26
of 17 February 2026

**of references to standards for machinery in support of the Supply of
Machinery (Safety) Regulations 2008 (S.I. 2008/1597)**

1. This notice confirms that:
 - (a) the reference to the standard listed in Annex I to this notice be published for the purposes of regulation 2A of S.I. 2008/1597 in accordance with paragraph (1) of Annex I below; and that the list of published standards set out in Annex I to notice 0121/25 be amended in accordance with Annex I to this notice.
 - (b) The list of references to standards to be removed from publication, set out in Part 2 of Annex II to notice 0121/25, is amended in accordance with Annex II to this notice from the date of this notice.
2. The reference to the standard is proposed to be published and accordingly designated under regulation 2A of S.I. 2008/1597 at 00.01 on the 29th day beginning with the date of this notice unless this notice is withdrawn or amended before that date. Any objection to the proposed publication for this purpose may be made to designatedstandards@businessandtrade.gov.uk.

ANNEX I

Part 1

The list of published standards as set out in Part 2 of Annex I to notice 0121/25 is proposed to be amended as follows:

(1) under C-type standards, row 622 is replaced with the following:

622.	<p>EN 50434:2014</p> <p>Safety of household and similar appliances – Particular requirements for mains operated shredders and chippers</p> <p>Restriction: This designated standard does not confer a presumption of conformity, limited to machines where the shredding means can rotate at speeds exceeding 300 r•min⁻¹, with the essential health and safety requirements set out in point 1.1.2. of Schedule 2, Part 1 (Annex I) to S.I. 2008/1597, which requires that machinery must be designed and constructed so that it is fitted for its function, and can be operated without putting persons at risk when these operations are carried out under the conditions foreseen, but also taking into account any reasonably foreseeable misuse thereof, as well as point 1.3.3. of Schedule 2, Part 1 (Annex I) to S.I. 2008/1597, as regards precautions that must be taken to prevent risks from ejected objects, which shall also consider long objects such as tall trees.</p>
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ANNEX II

The list of standards for removal from publication, as set out in Part 2 of Annex II to notice 0121/25, is proposed to be amended as follows:

- (1) under B-type standards, rows 1 to 3 inclusive are removed. The remaining row 4 is renumbered 1.
- (2) under C-type standards, rows 1 to 10 inclusive are removed. The remaining rows 11 to 24 inclusive are renumbered 1 to 14 inclusive.