SECOND SUPPLEMENT TO THE GIBRALTAR GAZETTE

No. 3745 of 26 November, 2009

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ENVIRONMENT ACT 2005

ENVIRONMENTAL LIABILITY (AMENDMENT) REGULATIONS 2009

In exercise of the powers conferred on it by section 18 of the Environment Act 2005 and in order to transpose into the law of Gibraltar article 15 of Directive 2006/21/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 15 March 2006 on the management of waste from extractive industries and amending Directive 2004/35/EC as amended, the Government has made the following Regulations—

Title.

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Environmental Liability (Amendment) Regulations 2009.

Amendment of the Environmental Liability Regulations 2008.

- 2. The Environmental Liability Regulations 2008 are amended in Annex III of Directive 2004/35 as reproduced in the Schedule to those regulations by inserting in the appropriate place the following provision—
 - "15. The management of extractive waste pursuant to Directive 2006/21/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 15 March 2006 on the management of waste from the extractive industries."

Dated 26th November, 2009.

E M BRITTO, Minister for the Environment, for the Government.

EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

These Regulations transpose into the law of Gibraltar article 15 of Directive 2006/21/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 15 March 2006 on the management of waste from extractive industries and amending Directive 2004/35/EC as amended.

The Directive places on the competent authority and those involved in the mining industry a number of regulatory obligations intended to promote environmental protection.

