

**SECOND SUPPLEMENT TO THE GIBRALTAR  
GAZETTE**  
No. 3916 of 5 March, 2012

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LEGAL NOTICE NO. 25 OF 2012.

**GIBRALTAR MERCHANT SHIPPING (SAFETY, ETC.) ACT 1993**

**GIBRALTAR MERCHANT SHIPPING (MARINE EQUIPMENT)  
(AMENDMENT) REGULATIONS 2012**

In exercise of the powers conferred on it by sections 59 and 118 of the Gibraltar Merchant Shipping (Safety, etc.) Act 1993 and all other enabling powers, and for the purpose of transposing into the law of Gibraltar Commission Directive 2010/68/EU of 22 October 2010 amending Council Directive 96/98/EC on marine equipment, the Government has made the following Regulations—

**Title and commencement.**

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Gibraltar Merchant Shipping (Marine Equipment) (Amendment) Regulations 2012 and come into operation on the day of publication.

**Amendments to the Gibraltar Merchant Shipping (Marine Equipment) Regulations 2002.**

2. The Gibraltar Merchant Shipping (Marine Equipment) Regulations 2002 are amended—

- (a) in regulation 2 (1), by inserting the following definitions after the definition of “Annex A”–

““Annex A.1” means Annex A.1 to the Directive;

“Annex A.2” means Annex A.2 to the Directive;”;

- (b) in regulation 5(1), in line 2, by deleting “to MSN 1734 (M+F)” after “Annex A” and by deleting in the last line “as specified in Annex A to MSN 1734 (M+F)”;
- (c) in regulation 5(2)(a), by deleting “to MSN 1734 (M+F)”;
- (d) by inserting the following after regulation 5(4)–

“(5) Where equipment listed as ‘new item’ in column 1 of Annex A..1 or as having been transferred from Annex A.2 to Annex A.1, was manufactured before 10 December 2011 in accordance with procedures for type-approval already in force before that date within the European Union, such equipment may be placed on the market and on board a ship during the two years following the said date.”.

Dated 5th March, 2012.

N COSTA,  
For the Government.

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**EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM**

These Regulations transpose into the law of Gibraltar Commission Directive 2010/68/EC of 22 October 2010 amending Council Directive 96/98/EC on marine equipment.

