# SECOND SUPPLEMENT TO THE GIBRALTAR GAZETTE

No. 4256 of 21April, 2016

LEGAL NOTICE NO. 95 OF 2016.

#### PETROLEUM ACT

## INTERPRETATION AND GENERAL CLAUSES ACT

## PETROLEUM (AMENDMENT) RULES 2016

In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by section 7 of the Petroleum Act, and section 23(g)(i) of the Interpretation and General Clauses Act; and in order to transpose into the law of Gibraltar, Commission Directive 2014/99/EU of 21 October 2014 amending, for the purposes of its adaptation to technical progress, Directive 2009/126/EC on Stage II petrol vapour recovery during refuelling of motor vehicles at service stations, the Minister has made the following Rules-

#### Title.

1. These Rules may be cited as the Petroleum (Amendment) Rules 2016.

#### Commencement.

2. These Rules come into operation on 12 May 2016.

#### Amendment of the Petroleum Rules.

- 3.(1) The Petroleum Rules are amended in accordance with this rule.
- (2) The text of rule 25B becomes subrule (1).
- (3) In rule 25B(1)(a) for-

#### "determined-

- (i) by the manufacturer's certificate;
- (ii) pursuant to any technical standard that may be adopted under Article 8 of the Directive; or

(iii) in accordance with any relevant national standard; and"

..substitute "certified by the manufacturer in accordance with Standard EN 16321-1:2013; and".

- (4) after rule 25B(1), insert-
  - "(2) In this rule, "Standard EN 16321-1:2013" means Standard EN 16321-1:2013 as made available by the European Committee for Standardisation.".
- (5) In rule 25C(1) for-

"either-

- (a) by checking that the vapour/petrol ratio under simulated petrol flow conditions is in conformity with rule 25B(b); or
- (b) by any other appropriate methodology."

substitute "in accordance with Standard EN 16321-2:2013".

- (6) After rule 25C(4), insert-
  - "(5) In this rule, "Standard EN 16321-2:2013" means Standard EN 16321-2:2013 as made available by the European Committee for Standardisation."

Dated 21st April, 2016.

DR J CORTES, Minister with responsibility for the Environment.

# EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

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