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ENVIRONMENT PROTECTION ACT
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Industrial Emissions (Framework) (Amendment) Regulations, 2017

BY VIRTUE of the powers conferred by article 54 of the Environment Protection Act, the Minister for Sustainable Development, the Environment and Climate Change, in consultation with the Environment and Resources Authority, has made the following regulations:

1. The title of these regulations is the Industrial Emissions (Framework) (Amendment) Regulations, 2017, and these regulations shall be read and construed as one with the Industrial Emissions (Framework) Regulations, hereinafter referred to as "the principal regulations".

2. In regulation 5 of the principal regulations, immediately before the definition "baseline report" there shall be added the following new definition:

"authority" or "authorities" shall, for the purposes of regulation 19 of Industrial Emissions (Integrated Pollution Prevention and Control) Regulations, mean the nationally designated regulator, authority, agency or government entity;"

3. Paragraph (c) of regulation 9(c) of the principal regulations shall be substituted by the following:

"(c) the competent authority shall require the operator to take any appropriate complementary measures that the competent authority considers necessary to limit the environmental consequences and to prevent further possible incidents or accidents;"

4. Paragraph (c) of sub-regulation (2) of regulation 10 of the principal regulations shall be substituted by the following:

"(c) the competent authority shall require the operator to take any appropriate complementary measures that the competent authority considers necessary to restore compliance;"