THE ENERGY EFFICIENCY ACT

Regulations made by the Minister under section 23 of the Energy Efficiency Act

1. These regulations may be cited as the Energy Efficiency (Labelling of Regulated Machinery) (Amendment) Regulations 2018.

2. In these regulations –

   “principal regulations” means the Energy Efficiency (Labelling of Regulated Machinery) Regulations 2017.

3. Regulation 5 of the principal regulations is amended –

   (a) in paragraph (1), by deleting the words “shall, before affixing a label on a regulated machinery meant for display for sale,” and replacing them by the words “importing and distributing a regulated machinery shall”;

   (b) by inserting, after paragraph (1), the following new paragraph –

       (1A) A dealer importing and distributing a regulated machinery may submit the test report or product certificate and the label referred to in paragraph (1) in electronic format to the Office.

   (c) in paragraph (2), by revoking subparagraph (b), the word “and” being added at the end of subparagraph (a);

   (d) in paragraph (3) –

       (i) by deleting the words “shall refer every” and replacing them by the words “may refer a”;
(ii) by inserting, after the word "verification", the words "as to";

(e) in paragraph (6), by deleting the words "of the compliance" and replacing them by the words "that the regulated machinery complies with the corresponding Mauritian Standard set out in the second column of the First Schedule";

(f) by revoking paragraph (9) and replacing it by the following paragraph —

(9) Every dealer importing and distributing a regulated machinery shall provide a dealer putting up the regulated machinery on display for sale with sufficient numbers of the label for that regulated machinery.

4. Regulation 6 of the principal regulations is amended by revoking paragraph (3) and replacing it by the following paragraph —

(3) Any person who —

(a) obstructs an enforcement officer in the performance of his duties;

(b) fails or refuses to produce to an enforcement officer for inspection such document as he may require; or

(c) otherwise contravenes these regulations,

shall commit an offence and shall, on conviction, be liable to a fine not exceeding 100,000 rupees.

5. Regulation 7 of the principal regulations is amended, in paragraph (a), by deleting the words "9 months" and replacing them by the words "24 months".

6. Regulation 5 shall be deemed to have come into operation on 1 April 2018.

Made by the Minister on 27 September 2018.