



THE ELECTRICITY REGULATIONS 1993, AMENDMENT NO. 3

CATHERINE A. TIZARD, Governor-General

ORDER IN COUNCIL

At Wellington this 27th day of March 1995

Present:

HER EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL

PURSUANT to the Electricity Act 1992, Her Excellency the Governor-General, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, hereby makes the following regulations.

REGULATIONS

1. Title and commencement—(1) These regulations may be cited as the Electricity Regulations 1993, Amendment No. 3, and shall be read together with and deemed part of the Electricity Regulations 1993* (hereinafter referred to as the principal regulations).

(2) These regulations shall come into force on the 1st day of April 1995.

2. Systems in general—Regulation 45 of the principal regulations is hereby amended by revoking subclause (6) (as amended by regulation 6 of the Electricity Regulations 1993, Amendment No. 1), and substituting the following subclause:

“(6) Notwithstanding subclause (3) of this regulation, in any MEN system the total system neutral impedance to earth may, prior to the 1st day of April 1997, exceed 10 ohms in any case where—

*S.R. 1993/75

Amendment No. 1: S.R. 1993/413

Amendment No. 2: S.R. 1994/18

- “(a) It is impracticable to achieve a maximum of 10 ohms; and
“(b) The electricity supplier keeps a record of—
 “(i) The actual earthing value obtained; and
 “(ii) The reason for exceeding 10 ohms.”

3. Revocation—Regulation 6 of the Electricity Regulations 1993, Amendment No. 1 is hereby consequentially revoked.

MARIE SHROFF,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

This note is not part of the regulations, but is intended to indicate their general effect.

These regulations, which come into force on 1 April 1995, amend regulation 45 (6) of the Electricity Regulations 1993.

Regulation 45 (6) of the principal regulations permits the total system neutral impedance to earth in any MEN system to exceed 10 ohms prior to 1 April 1995. The amendment alters that date to 1 April 1997.

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