



HSENI PROPOSALS ON THE ALIGNMENT OF HEALTH AND SAFETY REGULATIONS WITH EU DIRECT ACTING CLASSIFICATION, LABELLING AND PACKAGING REGULATION – SUMMARY OF CONSULTATION RESPONSES AND HSENI COMMENTS

This is a summary report of the outcome of the HSENI’s formal, statutory consultation on proposals on the alignment of health and safety regulations with EU direct acting Classification, Labelling and Packaging Regulation.

The consultation document invited responses on proposals to align domestic health and safety regulations with the Classification, Labelling and Packaging of substances and mixtures Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008.

The consultation document was published on the HSENI website and ran from 16 February 2015 to 13 April 2015. Letters were issued to approximately 500 consultees inviting comments on the proposals, costs relevant to Northern Ireland and the conclusion that the proposals would have no adverse effect on section 75 groups. During the consultation period a total of 7 formal replies were received.

Details of the consultees’ comments and HSENI’s response are set out in the table below:

Date Rec’d	Consultee	Comments	HSENI Response
23/02/2015	TransportNI	Nil response.	Acknowledged.
24/02/2015	Michelin	Fully embrace the proposals.	Acknowledged.
24/02/2015	Police Federation NI	No comment.	Acknowledged.
27/02/2015	Labour Relations Agency	No comment.	Acknowledged.
18/03/2015	Law Society of NI	No comment.	Acknowledged.
03/04/2015	Southern Health & Social Care Trust	Supportive of the proposals.	Acknowledged.
13/04/2015	South Eastern Health & Social Care Trust	No comment.	Acknowledged.