



IMPACT ASSESSMENT SHEET

LEGISLATIVE, REGULATORY AND OTHER MEASURES

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1. Draft details

Draft title:	Draft Grand-Ducal Regulation concerning the operating procedures for heat pumps		
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Objective(s) of the draft:	Specify the procedures for the acceptance, periodic inspection and decommissioning of a heat pump installation		
Other Ministry(ies)/Agency(ies)/ Municipality(ies) involved	Ministry of the Economy (Directorate General for Energy)		
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2. Objectives of constitutional value

Does the draft contribute to the achievement of objectives of constitutional value? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If yes, please select the relevant objectives and provide a brief explanation in the "Comments" box indicating how this/these objective(s) are achieved:

- ☐ Guarantee the right to work and ensure the exercise of this right
- ☐ Promote social dialogue
- ☐ Ensure that everyone can live with dignity and has access to suitable housing

- ☐ Guarantee the protection of the human and natural environment by working towards establishing a sustainable balance between the conservation of nature, in particular its capacity for renewal, as well as the safeguarding of biodiversity, and meeting the needs of present and future generations
Commit to fighting climate change and working towards climate neutrality
- ☐ Protect animal welfare
- ☐ Guarantee access to culture and the right to cultural development
- ☐ Promote the protection of cultural heritage

- ☐ Promote freedom of scientific research while respecting the values of a democratic society founded on fundamental rights and public freedoms

Comments:



3. Better regulation

Stakeholder(s) (miscellaneous organisations, citizens, etc.) consulted: ☒ Yes ☐ No

If so, which one(s): Chamber of Trades, Federation of Energy Advisers and Certifiers

Comments/observations:

Recipients of the draft:

- Companies / Freelancers:

☒ Yes ☐ No

-Citizens:

☒ Yes ☐ No

-Administrations:

Yes ☒ No

Is the 'think small first' principle respected?

(i.e., are exemptions or derogations provided for according to the size of the company and/or its sector of activity?)

Yes No NA ¹

Comments/observations:

¹ NA : not applicable.

Is the draft illegible and incomprehensible to the recipient? Yes ☐ No

Is there a coordinated text or practical guide, updated and published on a regular basis? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Comments/observations:

Has the draft taken the opportunity to remove or simplify existing authorisation and reporting regimes, or to improve the quality of procedures? ☐ Yes ☒ No

Comments/observations:

Does the draft contain an administrative burden² for the recipient(s)? (a cost imposed to meet an information obligation emanating from the draft?) ☒ Yes ☐ No

If so, what is the administrative³ approximate total cost? (number of recipients x administrative cost per recipient)

Obligation of a periodic acceptance and inspection of heat pumps covered by the regulation

² These are obligations and administrative formalities imposed on businesses and citizens, related to the enforcement, application or implementation of a law, a grand-ducal regulation, an administrative application, a ministerial regulation, a circular, a directive, an EU regulation or an international agreement providing for a right, prohibition or obligation.

³ Cost a recipient faces when fulfilling an information obligation enshrined in a law or in implementing legislation (for example: tax, salary cost, loss of time or leave, cost of physical travel, purchase of equipment, etc.).

a) Does the draft make use of inter-administrative data exchange (national or international) rather than requesting the information from the recipient? ☐ Yes ☐ No NA

If yes, what data and/or administration(s) are involved?



b) Does the draft in question contain any specific provisions O Yes O No NA regarding the protection of individuals with regard to the processing of personal data⁴ ?

If yes, what data and/or administration(s) are involved?

⁴ Regulation (EU) 2016/679 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 27 April 2016 on the protection of natural persons with regard to the processing of personal data and on the free movement of such data, and repealing Directive 95/46/EC. (www.european-council.europa.eu/media/1000000000/1/Corrigendum_Pd-Public_Lu.pdf)

Does the draft include:

- a tacit authorisation in case of no response from the administration?	Yes	☐ No	KI NA
- Are there response deadlines that the administration must meet?	Yes	No	K NA
- the principle that the administration can only request additional information once?	☒ Yes	<u>1</u> / No	K NA
Is there a possibility of grouping formalities and/or procedures (e.g. provided for in another text, if applicable)?	☒ Yes	<u>1</u> / No	K NA
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If yes, which one:

In the case of transposition of community directives, is the principle of "the directive, nothing but the directive" respected?

Yes KI No ☐ NA

If not, why not?

Does the draft generally contribute to: a) administrative simplification, and/or b) improved regulatory quality?

☐ Yes
K Yes K No ☐ No

Comments! Observations:

Convenient and suitable counter opening hours

O Yes O No NA

Will they be introduced according to the needs of the recipient(s)

Is there a need to adapt a computer system?

O Yes O No

with the State (e-Government or back-office application)?

If so, what is the timeframe for having the new system available?

Is staff training needed in the administration concerned?

☐ Yes ☐ No KI NA

If yes, which one?

Comments/observations:

-, 4. Equal opportunities

Is the draft:

mainly focused on equality between women and men?	☐ Yes	K No
positive in terms of equality between women and men?	☐ Yes	K No



If yes, explain how:	
neutral in terms of equality between women and men?	K Yes 3 No
If yes, explain why:	The draft concerns the operating requirements for heat pumps.
negative in terms of equality between women and men??	☐ Yes K No
If yes, explain how:	
Is there a different financial impact on women and men?	☐ Yes ☐ No 13 NA
If yes, explain how:	

5. Projects requiring notification to the European Commission

Services Directive: Does the draft introduce a requirement regarding	☐ Yes ☐ No NA	of establishment or cross-border service provision?
If yes, please contact the Ministry of the Economy by taking the following steps: https://mec.gouvernement.lu/fr/le-ministere/domaines-activite/services-marche-interieur/notifications-directive-services.html		
“Technical Rules” Directive: Does the draft introduce a requirement or	☐ Yes ☐ No NA	technical regulation relating to a product or service in the information society (field of technology and information)?
If yes, please contact ILNAS by taking the following steps: https://portail-qualite.public.lu/content/dam/qualite/publications/normalisation/2017/ilnas-notification-infolyer-web.pdf		