

**ENERGY SOURCES REGULATIONS (MONITORING ENERGY
CONSUMPTION EFFICIENCY, 5754-1993**

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By virtue of the power vested in me pursuant to Section 3 of the Energy Sources Law, 5750-1989¹. And with the approval of the Knesset's Economic Committee, I hereby enact these regulations:

- Definitions
1. In these Regulations -
- "Person in Charge" – a person appointed pursuant to Regulation 2.
- "Plant" – an area in which energy is consumed by one body or a number of bodies under one ownership or an area in which energy is consumed by a number of different bodies.
- "Consumer Plant " – each one of these:
- (1) A plant whose annual energy consumption is less than 300 ton equivalent fuel oil of other fuels or electricity whereby the electricity consumption will be calculated based on 260 grams fuel oil kilowatt per hour;
- (2) Any corporation established by law or pursuant to a law unrelated to its energy consumption.
- Appointment
2. A consumer plant will appoint a person responsible to promote its efficient energy consumption; the person responsible must be a graduate of an energy commissioners course at one of the institutions that the course was approved by the commissioner or alternatively he must have passed a test by the experts committee who appointed the commissioner.
- The Roles of the Person In Charge
3. These are the roles of the person in charge:
- (1) To ensure speedy repair of any fault causing a loss of energy, including but not limited to steam, water and compressed air leakages;
- (2) To prevent the supply of energy to a place that it is not needed or at times that it is not needed or at an exaggerated pace;

¹ Sefer Hahukim 5750, page 28.

- (3) To monitor operation and maintenance that guarantee maximum utilization of the facilities and procedures and to take actions that are necessary to guarantee energetic utilization;
- (4) To measure monthly consumption of electricity and the various types of fuel substances;
- (5) To measure energy consumption for a product unit or pursuant to another quantitative basis characterizing the consumer plant's activities;
- (6) To guarantee the installation of measuring and control devices that allow for the performance of the actions stated in paragraphs (3) and (4) and the state of repair thereof and to ensure orderly records of data that is measured by the measuring and control devices as stated above and to keep such records;
- (7) To guarantee performance and recording of periodic tests with respect to utilization at the burning facilities and other tests with respect to factors that impact the utilization and workability of the facilities in accordance with the equipment's operating instructions and the commissioner's instructions;
- (8) To initiate activities to prevent a drop in energetic utilization of the facilities and to recommend energy preservation actions and to act to implement them;
- (9) To act to train and instruct the employees and to prepare detailed instructions to preserve energy.

- Duty to Report
4. (a) A consumer plant will file, by the 31st of March each year a report to the commissioner pertaining to the annual energy consumption for the period starting on January 1 through until December 31 of the preceding year to include these details:
 - (1) The electricity and fuel substance consumption in crude units, in the form determined by the commissioner;
 - (2) Actions that were performed pursuant to Regulation 3(1), (7) and (8) and the savings actually achieved;
 - (3) Any other information related to the energy consumption pursuant to the commissioner's written demand.
 - (b) The crude information in the consumer plant's report will be kept secret and will be used solely for the Ministry of Energy and Infrastructures purposes.
 - (c) The commissioner will publish or will remit to entities outside the Ministry, summaries and analyses of the consumer plant's reports only with respect to consumer groups.
- Inspection
5. The commissioner may at any reasonable time visit the consumer plant in order to ensure that the provisions in these Regulations are being complied with.

- Repealed 6. The National Energy Authority Regulations (Monitoring Plants Energy Consumption Efficiency) 5741-1981² – Repealed.
- Commencement 7. The Regulations will come into force six months after they are published.

² 5741, page 488.