



Product Information

European Regulations for Refrigerant

The EU Parliament has now formally agreed that Member States will adopt the regulations concerning ozone depleting substances to replace the existing regulation 3093/94. It is anticipated that the Council of Ministers will approve the recommended legislation in its entirety before the commencement date of 1st October 2000.

The regulations affecting CFC's are fairly clear and concise, but the HCFC (R22) situation needs a little care in the way we understand it, since it sets out various exemptions based on shaft input power, total cooling capacities and types of system. The chart below is intended to help understand the implications of the regulation, at a glance.

