

A. GENERAL INFORMATION

A.1 Introduction

The Electrical Products (Safety) Regulation, hereinafter referred to as "the Regulation", is made under Section 59 of the Electricity Ordinance (CAP. 406). This set of "Guidance Notes for the Electrical Products (Safety) Regulation", hereinafter referred to as "the Notes", is a guide for suppliers of electrical products to understand the requirements of the Regulation. The Notes also set out lists of standards that are deemed to satisfy the applicable safety requirements of the Regulation. The Notes, which should be read in conjunction with the Regulation, are for guidance only and have no legal force. The authoritative interpretation of the Regulation is a matter for the Court.

The Notes seek to explain the requirements of the Regulation in general terms. The Regulation should be referred to for a full statement of the specific requirements. Enquiries about ordering copies of the Regulation can be made by calling the Publications Sales Unit of the Information Services Department at tel.: (852) 2537 1910 or by e-mail at puborder@isd.gov.hk.