

# **Waste Electrical and Electronic Equipment and Waste Battery**

## **WEEE, Waste Batteries and Accumulators Regulations**

### **Take back Policy 2018**

Arjo is fully committed to fulfil its obligations as a “Producer” of Industrial, and Portable batteries and Waste Electrical and Electronic Equipment (WEEE) as described in the Waste Electrical and Electronic Equipment and Batteries and Accumulator Regulations.

The company is registered as a “Producer” on the NPWD database; registration number’s WEE/BA0002ZR, BPRN06876 in England and BPRN06876 in Northern Ireland. WEE3R Certificate Number WEE/TP3938PH/SCH applies to NI WEEE Membership and for the Republic of Ireland we are registered under WEEE Ireland Certificate Number ARJ100 and the Producer Register IE 00313WB.

To ensure products supplied by Arjo are recycled at the end of life, Arjo have a policy to ensure that obligated waste equipment / products are collected from its customer account locations and appropriately recycled at the end of life.

As a Producer, Industrial, Portable battery distribution company, Arjo has during this compliance period and over previous years placed the following chemistry types of batteries on to the UK markets.

#### **Industrial/Portable**

- Sealed Lead (pb)Acid batteries (SLA)
- Valve Regulated Lead (pb) Acid batteries (VRLA)
- Nickel Cadmium (NiCd) and Nickel Metal Hydride (NiMh) cylindrical batteries (typically used in emergency lighting products)

## Take Back Arrangements

### WEEE, Industrial and Portable Batteries

As a “Producer,” Arjo will offer to take back these waste products from end users within a reasonable time subject to:

- That the waste battery product is of the same battery chemistry as the new batteries that the producer placed on the market for the first time in the UK in the compliance period or any of the preceding 3 years.
- That obligated WEEE products were produced by Arjo and placed on the market after August 2005.
- Also like for like new replacement products are purchased for products placed on the market prior to August 2005.

The regulations do not prevent a producer/s, from concluding an agreement under which the parties to the agreement make arrangements to finance the net costs of the collection, treatment and recycling of waste products which may differ from the arrangements provided for under the regulations.

Arjo will annually review the policy on or before the 1<sup>st</sup> December preceding the compliance period. A copy of the policy will then be published on its web site.

If you have an Arjo account and require WEEE or batteries to be collected then contact your local Arjo account manager and request that the attending engineer collect the waste product or alternatively email [ukservice@arjo.com](mailto:ukservice@arjo.com) or [belfastservice@arjo.com](mailto:belfastservice@arjo.com), stating the subject: WEEE or Waste Battery Collection giving details of your company name and address, contact name and contact telephone number.

To be environmentally compliant any requests will be reviewed and appropriate arrangements then made to collect the waste.

### Key Telephone Numbers and web site

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