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FACTORIES AND MACHINERY (BUILDING OPERATIONS AND WORKS OF ENGINEERING
CONSTRUCTION) (SAFETY) REGULATIONS 1986
PART XV - BLASTING AND USE OF EXPLOSIVES

Regulation 135. Handling of explosives.

Explosives shall not be handled or used except in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions, if any, and under the immediate control of a designated person who has the training, knowledge or experience in the field of transporting, storing, handling, and use of explosives. Such person shall be required to furnish satisfactory evidence of competency in handling explosives and performing in a safe manner the type of blasting to be carried out and he shall have adequate knowledge of the dangers connected with their use; and steps shall be taken to see that, when a charge is fired, all persons are in positions in which, so far as can reasonably be anticipated, they are not exposed to risk of injury from the explosion or from flying materials.