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**INTERPRETATION**  
**Power Engineers Regulation Subsection 2(2)(a)**  
**Exemption for Power Plants with aggregate capacity not exceeding 0.085 m<sup>3</sup>**

**Introduction**

Subsection 2(1) establishes that power plants must be operated under the supervision of power engineers. Subsection 2(1)(a) provides an exemption from those requirements:

*(2) Subsection (1) does not apply to a power plant that  
(a) has an aggregate capacity not exceeding 250 kW or  
0.085 m<sup>3</sup>,*

Section 2(2)(a) while exempting power plants with an aggregate capacity not exceeding 0.085 m<sup>3</sup> from continuous and overall supervision, has given some readers the impression that such plants are subject to general supervision. Low hazard power plants with aggregate capacity not exceeding 0.085 m<sup>3</sup> have always been exempted previously in the repealed *Engineer's Regulations* (see Section 2(1)(d) of AR 319/75) and there was no intention to introduce changes in this requirement through the coming in to force of the *Power Engineers Regulation* (AR 85/2003).

This Information Bulletin supersedes Interpretation 6 in Information Bulletin IB03-008 Revision 2 which has been withdrawn.

**Interpretation**

A power plant that has an aggregate capacity not exceeding 0.085 m<sup>3</sup> is exempt from continuous, overall and general supervision.

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