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REGULATION (GRK) NO. 09/2026 ON AMENDING AND SUPPLEMENTING THE REGULATION (GRK) NO.08/2021 ON EMERGENCIES AND RADIOLOGICAL MONITORING

1. Regulation (GRK) No. 09/2026 on amending and supplementing the Regulation (GRK) No.08/2021 on Emergencies and Radiological Monitoring, has been approved in the 11th Government meeting of the Republic of Kosovo, with the Decision No. 14/11 dt.16.11.2026.

The Goverment of the Republic of Kosovo,

Pursuant to Article 93, paragraph 4 of the Constitution of the Republic of Kosovo, Article 25, paragraph 1 of Law No. 06/L-029 on Radiation Protection and Nuclear Safety (Official Gazette No. 5, dated 27.04.2018), Article 19, paragraph 1 of Law No. 08/L-123 on Amending and Supplementing the Laws Related to the Rationalisation and Establishment of Accountability Lines of Executive Agencies (Official Gazette No. 11, dated 17.05.2023), Article 8, paragraph 4, sub-paragraph 4.5 of Law No. 08/L-117 on the Government of the Republic of Kosovo, as well as Article 78, paragraph 6, sub-paragraph 6.2 of Regulation No. 17/2024 of the Rules of Procedure of the Government,

Approves:

REGULATION (GRK) NO.09/2026 ON AMENDING AND SUPPLEMENTING REGULATION (GRK) NO. 08/2021 ON RADIOLOGICAL EMERGENCIES AND MONITORING

Article 1
Purpose

The purpose of this Regulation is the amendment and supplementation of Regulation (GRK) No. 08/2021 on Radiological Emergencies and Monitoring.

Article 2

Throughout the entire text of the Basic Regulation, the designation “Agency” shall be replaced with the designation “Ministry”.

Article 3

1. Article 3, paragraph 1, sub-paragraph 1.4 of the Basic Regulation is supplemented and amended with the following text:

1.4. **Indicative Dose (ID)** – expected effective dose resulting from ingestion during one (1) year of all radionuclides, the presence of which has been detected in the water supply intended for human consumption, originating from natural and artificial sources, but excluding tritium, potassium-40, radon and its short-lived decay products;

Article 4

1. Article 10, paragraph 1 of the Basic Regulation is supplemented and amended with the following text:

1. The Ministry shall cooperate with the EU Member States, the states of the region and with third countries in addressing possible emergencies in its territory which may affect these states, in order to facilitate the organisation of radiological protection based on international information exchange systems and protocols.

Article 5

1.Article 11, paragraph 1 of the Basic Regulation is supplemented and amended with the following text:

1. The Ministry ensures that measures have been taken, according to indicators or evidence of exposures that are not disregarded from the point of view of radiation protection, to identify and assess existing exposure situations, taking into account the types of existing exposure situations defined in the respective Regulation on Radiation Sources and Practices.

Article 6

1. Article 16, paragraph 1 of the Basic Regulation is supplemented and amended with the following text:

1. The Ministry, through the licensed professional technical service, prepared according to the instructions defined in the Basic Regulation, ensures the implementation of measures for the control, recovery and storage of orphan sources, as well as the drafting of response plans and appropriate measures for their management.

Article 7

1. Article 21, paragraph 1 and 3 of the Basic Regulation are supplemented and amended with the following text:

1. The Ministry drafts a national action plan describing the long-term risks from radon exposures in dwellings, buildings with public access and in workplaces for any source of radon entry, whether from soil, building materials or water. The action plan takes into account the issues defined in the respective Regulation on Radiation Sources and Practices, and shall be regularly updated.

3. After the establishment of radon risk maps, the Ministry identifies the areas where the radon concentration as an annual average in a considerable number of buildings exceeds the respective national reference level.

Article 8

1.Article 22, paragraph 1 and 2 of the Basic Regulation are supplemented and amended with the following text:

1. The reference level applicable for external exposure from gamma radiation emitted by building materials within indoor environments, in addition to external exposure in these environments, shall not exceed one (1) mSv/year.

2. For building materials which are identified as of concern by the Ministry from the point of view of radiation protection, taking into account the indicative list of materials defined in the respective Regulation on Radiation Sources and Practices, the Ministry before these materials are placed on the market ensures that:

2.1. activity concentrations of radionuclides defined in the respective Regulation on Radiation Sources and Practices have been determined;

2.2. information has been provided to the construction inspectorate of the respective municipality, if required, on the results of the measurements and the respective activity concentration index, as well as on other relevant factors, as defined in the respective Regulation on Radiation Sources and Practices.

Article 9
Entry into force

This Regulation shall enter into force seven (7) days after publication in the Official Gazette of the Republic of Kosovo.

Albin Kurti

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Prime Minister of the Republic of Kosovo

Date:17.November.2026