

# Scope of the Regulation: in, out, excluded?

## What does the Regulation cover?

- ⬡ Domestic or non-domestic appliances burning fuel (gas appliances) and fittings
- ⬡ New or second-hand appliances and fittings imported from a country outside the EU
- ⬡ All forms of supply including distant sales

Therefore, the GAR does not apply to second hand appliances sold within the EU. The key element to take into consideration is that the appliance/fitting should be NEW to the European market!

As a manufacturer, if you have a gas appliance which is already in the supply chain, you will be entitled to sell it based on the GAD certificates, even after 21st April 2018.

## What are the exemptions from the Regulation?

- ⬡ Products specifically designed for industrial processes carried out on industrial premises
- ⬡ Products used in aircraft and railways
- ⬡ Products for temporary use in laboratories
- ⬡ Products that possess an artistic value and not put into service such as antiques used in exhibitions or collections

**Be aware that installation and maintenance of gas appliances is not regulated by the GAR but is in the competence of the Member States.**