

**FAQs:**

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**Question:**

**Can Part-IS implementation and/or the Part-IS compliance monitoring function be subcontracted? If yes, is the subcontracted organisation responsible for implementation and compliance?**

**Answer:**

Yes, Part-IS implementation and/or its compliance monitoring function can be subcontracted. It is important to note that the responsibility for performing tasks pertinent to Part-IS can be transferred, accountability however cannot. The organisation subject to Part-IS is always accountable for the implementation of the rule and for demonstration of compliance to the rule. This should be clarified in the agreement between the organisation subject to Part-IS and the subcontractor.

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