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FOOD AND DRUGS

Miscellaneous Amendments

REGULATIONS, DATED 27TH SEPTEMBER 1973, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES UNDER SECTION 68 OF THE FOOD AND DRUGS ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1958.

The Ministry of Health and Social Services, on behalf of the Secretary of State and in exercise of the powers conferred upon it by section 68 of the Food and Drugs Act (Northern Ireland) 1958(a), having consulted with such organisations as appear to it to be representative of interests substantially affected by these regulations, hereby makes the following regulations:—

Citation and commencement

1. These regulations may be cited as the Food and Drugs (Miscellaneous Amendments) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1973, and shall come into operation on 1st October 1973.

Amendment of regulations

2. The regulations mentioned in columns 1 and 2 of the Schedule shall have effect subject to the modifications and repeals specified in column 3.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Health and Social Services for Northern Ireland this 27th day of September 1973.

(L.S.)

G. Buchanan,
Assistant Secretary.

(a) 1958. c. 27.

SCHEDULE

Modifications and repeals

Column 1 *Statutory Rules and Orders*	Column 2 *Relevant provision*	Column 3 *Modification*
Condensed Milk Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1961 S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1961, No. 31	Regulation 8	For "health authority" substitute "district council".
Skimmed Milk with Non-Milk Fat Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1961 S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1961, No. 190	Regulation 7(2)	For "health authority" substitute "district council".
Emulsifiers and Stabilisers in Food Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1962 S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1962, No. 90	Regulation 9(3)	For "health authority" substitute "district council".
Preservatives in Food Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1962 S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1962, No. 173.	Regulation 8(2)	For "health authority" substitute "district council".
Slaughterhouses (Hygiene) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1963 S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1963, No. 162	Regulation 2 Regulation 20(1) and (2)	For "health authority" substitute "district council". For the words "medical officer of the health authority authority" substitute "the chief administrative medical officer of the Health and Social Services Board".
Soft Drinks Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1964 S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1964, No. 94	Regulation 16(2)	For "health authority" substitute "district council".

Column 1 *Statutory Rules and Orders*	Column 2 *Relevant provision*	Column 3 *Modification*
Food Hygiene (General) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1964 S.R. &O. (N.I.) 1964, No. 129.	Regulation 2(1)	For the definition of "hospital" substitute— " "hospital" means any institution for the reception and treatment of persons suffering from illness, any maternity home, any institution for the reception and treatment of persons during convalescence or persons requiring medical rehabilitation, any institution for providing dental treatment and maintained in connection with a dental school, and clinics, dispensaries and out-patient departments maintained in connection with any such institution or home;". For the words "appropriate medical officer of health accordingly" there shall be substituted "chief administrative medical officer of the Health and Social Services Board within whose area the food business is situated".
	Regulation 10(1)—proviso	For the words "appropriate medical officer of health" substitute "said chief administrative medical officer".
	Regulation 10(2)	Delete.
	Regulation 36(1)(2)(3) and (4)	For "health authority" substitute "district council".
Bread and Flour Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1964 S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1964, No. 172	Regulation 32(2)	For "health authority" substitute "district council".
Dried Milk Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1965 S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1965, No. 44	Regulation 6(2)	For "health authority" substitute "district council".

Column 1 *Statutory Rules and Orders*	Column 2 *Relevant provision*	Column 3 *Modification*
Salad Cream Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1966 S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1966, No. 192	Regulation 8(2)	For "health authority" substitute "district council".
Butter Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1966 S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1966, No. 205	Regulation 7(2)	For "health authority" substitute "district council".
Colouring Matter in Food Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1966 S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1966, No. 243	Regulation 9(2)	For "health authority" substitute "district council".
Antioxidants in Food Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1966 S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1966, No. 288	Regulation 9(2)	For "health authority" substitute "district council".
Meat Pie and Sausage Roll Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1967 S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1967, No. 155	Regulation 12(2)	For "health authority" substitute "district council".
Sausage and Other Meat Product Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1967 S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1967, No. 156	Regulation 10(2)	For "health authority" substitute "district council".
Canned Meat Product Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1967 S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1967, No. 157	Regulation 13(2)	For "health authority" substitute "district council".
Solvents in Food Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1967 S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1967, No. 282	Regulation 8(2)	For "health authority" substitute "district council".

Column 1 *Statutory Rules and Orders*	Column 2 *Relevant provision*	Column 3 *Modification*
Margarine Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1968 S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1968, No. 3	Regulation 11(2)	For "health authority" substitute "district council".
Coffee and Coffee Product Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1968 S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1968, No. 4	Regulation 10(2)	For "health authority" substitute "district council".
Ice-Cream and Other Frozen Confections Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1968 S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1968, No. 13	Regulation 10(2)	For "health authority" substitute "district council".
Fish and Meat Spreadable Products Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1968 S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1968, No. 103	Regulation 10(2)	For "health authority" substitute "district council".
Meat (Sterilization) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1969 S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1969, No. 233	Regulation 13(4)	For "health authority" substitute "district council".
Artificial Sweeteners in Food Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1969 S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1969, No. 346	Regulation 11(2)	For "health authority" substitute "district council".
Cheese Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1970 S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1970, No. 14	Regulation 16(2)	For "health authority" substitute "district council".

Column 1 *Statutory Rules and Orders*	Column 2 *Relevant provision*	Column 3 *Modification*
Food Hygiene (Docks, Carriers, etc.) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1970 S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1970, No. 144	Regulation 10(1)	For the words "appropriate medical officer of health accordingly" there shall be substituted "chief administrative medical officer of the Health and Social Services Board in whose area the person is employed".
	Regulation 10(2)	Delete the words "and the appropriate medical officer of health for the purposes of this regulation is the medical officer of health of the health authority in whose area the person is employed".
	Regulations 11, 22(1), (2),(3) and (4)	For "health authority" substitute "district council".
Cream Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1970 S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1970, No. 194	Regulation 11(2)	For "health authority" substitute "district council".

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Regulations, but is intended to indicate their general purport.)

These regulations amend and modify various regulations made under the Food and Drugs Act (Northern Ireland) 1958 to take account of the reorganisation of health and social services and local government which take effect on 1st October 1973.