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The Food Safety (Act of Accession concerning the Czech Republic and other States) (Consequential Amendments) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2004

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Coming into operation	*8th September 2004*

The Department of Health, Social Services and Public Safety(**1**), being a Department designated(**2**) for the purposes of section 2(2) of the European Communities Act 1972(**3**) in relation to measures relating to food (including drink) including the primary production of food, in exercise of the powers conferred on it by the said section 2(2), and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, after consultation as required by Article 9 of Regulation (EC) No. 178/2002 of the European Parliament and of the Council laying down the general principles and requirements of food law, establishing the European Food Safety Authority and laying down procedures in matters of food safety(**4**), hereby makes the following Regulations:

Citation and commencement

1. These Regulations may be cited as The Food Safety (Act of Accession concerning the Czech Republic and other States) (Consequential Amendments) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2004, and shall come into operation on 8th September 2004.

Amendment of the Quick-frozen Foodstuffs Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1990

2.—(1) The Quick-frozen Foodstuffs Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1990(**5**) shall be amended in accordance with paragraph (2).

(2) In regulation 5 (labelling of quick-frozen foodstuffs), there shall be inserted at the end the following paragraph –

> "(5) In this regulation "Council Directive 89/108/EEC" means Council Directive 89/108/EEC on the approximation of the laws of Member States relating to quick-frozen foodstuffs

(**1**) Formerly the Department of Health and Social Services; *see*S.I. 1999/283 (N.I. 1), Article 3
(**2**) S.I. 2003/2901
(**3**) 1972 c. 68
(**4**) O.J. No. L31, 1.2.2002, p. 1
(**5**) S.R. 1990 No. 455, to which there are amendments not relevant to these Regulations

for human consumption(**6**) as amended by amendments up to and including those effected by the Act concerning the conditions of accession of the Czech Republic, the Republic of Estonia, the Republic of Cyprus, the Republic of Latvia, the Republic of Lithuania, the Republic of Hungary, the Republic of Malta, the Republic of Poland, the Republic of Slovenia and the Slovak Republic and the adjustments to the Treaties on which the European Union is founded(**7**).".

Amendment of the Egg Products Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1993

3.—(1) The Egg Products Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1993(**8**) shall be amended in accordance with paragraph (2).

(2) In each of paragraphs (a)(ii) and (b)(iii) of sub-paragraph (2) of paragraph 1 of Schedule 10 (marking of egg products) the following list of abbreviations shall be substituted for the existing list of abbreviations set out in each of those paragraphs: "CEE – EØF – EWG – EOK – EEC – EEG – ETY – EHS – EMÜ – EEK – EEB – EGK – KEE – EGS".

Amendment of the Food Labelling Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1996

4.—(1) The Food Labelling Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1996(**9**) shall be amended in accordance with paragraph (2).

(2) In the definition of "Directive 2000/13" in paragraph (1) of regulation 2 (interpretation) the phrase "and the Act concerning the conditions of accession of the Czech Republic, the Republic of Estonia, the Republic of Cyprus, the Republic of Latvia, the Republic of Lithuania, the Republic of Hungary, the Republic of Malta, the Republic of Poland, the Republic of Slovenia and the Slovak Republic and the adjustments to the Treaties on which the European Union is founded" shall be inserted immediately before the words "and as read with".

Amendments to the Food Safety (Fishery Products and Live Shellfish) (Hygiene) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1998

5.—(1) The Food Safety (Fishery Products and Live Shellfish) (Hygiene) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1998(**10**) shall be amended in accordance with paragraphs (2) and (3).

(2) In the first indent of paragraph 2(1) of Part I of Chapter VII of Schedule 3 (production and placing on the market conditions for fishery products) the following list of abbreviations shall be substituted for the existing list of abbreviations set out in that indent: "B /CZ /DK /D /EE /EL/ E/F/ IRL / I / CY / LV / LT / L / HU / MT / NL / AT / PL / P / SI – / SK / FI / SE / UK".

(3) In the third indent of paragraph 2(1) of Part I of Chapter VII of Schedule 3 the following list of abbreviations shall be substituted for the existing list of abbreviations set out in that indent: "CE – EC – EG – EK – EF – EY – ES – EÜ – KB – KE – WE".

Amendment of the Medical Food Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2000

6.—(1) The Medical Food Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2000(**11**) shall be amended in accordance with paragraph (2).

(2) At the end of the definition of "the Directive" in regulation 2 (interpretation) the following text shall be inserted –

(**6**) O.J. No. L40, 11.2.89, p. 34
(**7**) O.J. No. L236, 23.9.2003, p. 33
(**8**) S.R. 1993 No. 329, to which there are amendments not relevant to these Regulations
(**9**) S.R. 1996 No. 383, amended by S.R. 2003 No. 448; there are other amending instruments but none is relevant
(**10**) S.R. 1998 No. 207, to which there are amendments not relevant to these Regulations
(**11**) S.R. 2000 No. 187