STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

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Pesticides (Maximum Residue Levels in Crops, Food and Feeding Stuffs) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2004

Made - - - -	*29th April 2004*
Coming into operation	*16th June 2004*

The Department of Agriculture and Rural Development, being a Department designated(**1**) for the purposes of section 2(2) of the European Communities Act 1972(**2**) in relation to the common agricultural policy of the European Community, in exercise of the powers conferred on it by the said section 2(2) and of every other power enabling it in that behalf, hereby makes the following Regulations:

Citation, commencement and interpretation

1.—(1) These Regulations may be cited as the Pesticides (Maximum Residue Levels in Crops, Food and Feeding Stuffs) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2004 and shall come into operation on 16th June 2004.

(2) The Interpretation Act (Northern Ireland) 1954(**3**) shall apply to these Regulations as it applies to an Act of the Northern Ireland Assembly.

Amendment to the Pesticides (Maximum Residue Levels in Crops, Food and Feeding Stuffs) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2002

2.—(1) The Pesticides (Maximum Residue Levels in Crops, Food and Feeding Stuffs) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2002(**4**) shall be amended in accordance with this regulation.

(2) In regulation 2(1), for the definition of "the Residues Directives" there shall be substituted the following definition:

(**1**) S.I. 2000/2812
(**2**) 1972 c. 68
(**3**) 1954 c. 33 (N.I.)
(**4**) S.R. 2002 No. 20 as amended by S.R. 2002 No. 27, S.R. 2002 No. 250, S.R. 2003 No. 123, S.R. 2003 No. 379 and S.R. 2003 No. 435

""the Residues Directives" means Council Directive 86/362/EEC(**5**), Council Directive 86/363/EEC(**6**) and Council Directive 90/642/EEC(**7**), in each case amended as at the date of the making of the Pesticides (Maximum Residue Levels in Crops, Food and Feeding Stuffs) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2004.".

(3) In Schedule 1, in column 2, for the residue for Metalaxyl-M there shall be substituted "metalaxyl-M".

(4) In Part II of Schedule 2 –

(a) in the column headed Prochloraz, for the entry for food group 3, Pulses, in relation to the product Peas for "3" there shall be substituted "0.3";

(b) for the columns relating to the pesticides Abamectin, 2,4-D and Diquat there shall be substituted the columns of maximum permitted levels for residue of those pesticides as specified in the Schedule to these Regulations.

(5) On 1st December 2004 –

(a) in Schedule 1, in column 2, for the residue of Parathion-methyl there shall be substituted "parathion-methyl (sum of parathion-methyl and para-oxon-methyl expressed as Parathion-methyl)";

(b) in Part I of Schedule 2, the column for the pesticide Parathion-methyl shall be deleted;

(c) in Part II of Schedule 2 –

(i) there shall be inserted, in the appropriate place to preserve the alphabetical ordering, from left to right the column of maximum permitted levels for residue of the pesticide Parathion-methyl as specified in the Schedule to these Regulations;

(ii) for the column relating to the pesticide Acephate there shall be substituted the column of maximum permitted levels for residue of the pesticide Acephate as specified in the Schedule to these Regulations.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Agriculture and Rural Development on 30th April 2004.

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(**5**) O.J. No. L221, 7.8.86, p. 37. The last amending instrument is Commission Directive 2003/118/EC (O.J. No. L327, 16.12.2003, p. 25)
(**6**) O.J. No. L221, 7.8.86, p. 43. The last amending instrument is Commission Directive 2003/118/EC (O.J. No. L327, 16.12.2003, p. 25)
(**7**) O.J. No. L350, 14.12.90, p. 71. The last amending instrument is Commission Directive 2003/118/EC (O.J. No. L327, 16.12.2003, p. 25)

SCHEDULE

Regulation 2(5)

Group to which food belongs	*Groups include the following products*	*Abamectin*	*Acephate* Applying from 1 December 2004	*Diquat*	*Parathion-methyl* Applying from 1 December 2004	*2,4-D*
1. Fruit, fresh, dried or uncooked, preserved by freezing not containing added sugar: nuts						
(i) CITRUS FRUIT						
	Grapefruit	0.01*	0.02*	0.05*	0.02*	1
	Lemons	0.01*	0.02*	0.05*	0.02*	1
	Limes	0.01*	0.02*	0.05*	0.02*	1
	Mandarins (inc clementines & similar hybrids)	0.01*	0.02*	0.05*	0.02*	1
	Oranges	0.01*	0.02*	0.05*	0.02*	1
	Pomelos	0.01*	0.02*	0.05*	0.02*	1
	Others	0.01*	0.02*	0.05*	0.02*	1
(ii) TREE NUTS (shelled or unshelled)						
	Almonds	0.02*	0.02*	0.05*	0.02*	0.05*
	Brazil nuts	0.02*	0.02*	0.05*	0.02*	0.05*
	Cashew nuts	0.02*	0.02*	0.05*	0.02*	0.05*
	Chestnuts	0.02*	0.02*	0.05*	0.02*	0.05*
	Coconuts	0.02*	0.02*	0.05*	0.02*	0.05*
	Hazelnuts	0.02*	0.02*	0.05*	0.02*	0.05*
	Macadamia nuts	0.02*	0.02*	0.05*	0.02*	0.05*
	Pecans	0.02*	0.02*	0.05*	0.02*	0.05*
	Pine nuts	0.02*	0.02*	0.05*	0.02*	0.05*
	Pistachios	0.02*	0.02*	0.05*	0.02*	0.05*
	Walnuts	0.02*	0.02*	0.05*	0.02*	0.05*
	Others	0.02*	0.02*	0.05*	0.02*	0.05*
(iii) POME FRUIT						
	Apples	0.01*	0.02*	0.05*	0.02*	0.05*
	Pears	0.01*	0.02*	0.05*	0.02*	0.05*
	Quinces	0.01*	0.02*	0.05*	0.02*	0.05*

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	Others	0.01*	0.02*	0.05*	0.02*	0.05*
(iv) STONE FRUIT						
	Apricots	0.01*	0.02*	0.05*	0.02*	0.05*
	Cherries	0.01*	0.02*	0.05*	0.02*	0.05*
	Peaches (inc nectarines & similar hybrids)	0.01*	0.02*	0.05*	0.02*	0.05*
	Plums	0.01*	0.02*	0.05*	0.02*	0.05*
	Others	0.01*	0.02*	0.05*	0.02*	0.05*
(v) BERRIES AND SMALL FRUIT						
	(a) (a) *Table & wine grapes*					
	Table grapes	0.01*	0.02*	0.05*	0.02*	0.05*
	Wine grapes	0.01*	0.02*	0.05*	0.02*	0.05*
	Strawberries (other than wild) (b)	0.01	0.02*	0.05*	0.02*	0.05*
	(c) (c) *Cane Fruit* (other than wild)					
	Blackberries	0.01*	0.02*	0.05*	0.02*	0.05*
	Dewberries	0.01*	0.02*	0.05*	0.02*	0.05*
	Loganberries	0.01*	0.02*	0.05*	0.02*	0.05*
	Raspberries	0.01*	0.02*	0.05*	0.02*	0.05*
	Others	0.01*	0.02*	0.05*	0.02*	0.05*
	(d) (d) *Other small fruit & berries* (other than wild)					
	Bilberries	0.01*	0.02*	0.05*	0.02*	0.05*
	Cranberries	0.01*	0.02*	0.05*	0.02*	0.05*
	Currants (red, black & white)	0.01*	0.02*	0.05*	0.02*	0.05*
	Gooseberries	0.01*	0.02*	0.05*	0.02*	0.05*
	Others	0.01*	0.02*	0.05*	0.02*	0.05*
	(e) *Wild berries* (e)	0.01*	0.02*	0.05*	0.02*	0.05*

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	& wild fruit					
(vi) MISCELLANEOUS FRUIT						
	Avocados	0.01*	0.02*	0.05*	0.02*	0.05*
	Bananas	0.01*	0.02*	0.05*	0.02*	0.05*
	Dates	0.01*	0.02*	0.05*	0.02*	0.05*
	Figs	0.01*	0.02*	0.05*	0.02*	0.05*
	Kiwi fruit	0.01*	0.02*	0.05*	0.02*	0.05*
	Kumquats	0.01*	0.02*	0.05*	0.02*	0.05*
	Litchis	0.01*	0.02*	0.05*	0.02*	0.05*
	Mangoes	0.01*	0.02*	0.05*	0.02*	0.05*
	Olives (table consumption)	0.01*	0.02*	0.05*	0.02*	0.05*
	Olives (oil extract)	0.01*	0.02*	0.05*	0.02*	0.05*
	Papaya	0.01*	0.02*	0.05*	0.02*	0.05*
	Passion fruit	0.01*	0.02*	0.05*	0.02*	0.05*
	Pineapples	0.01*	0.02*	0.05*	0.02*	0.05*
	Pomegranates	0.01*	0.02*	0.05*	0.02*	0.05*
	Others	0.01*	0.02*	0.05*	0.02*	0.05*
2. Vegetables, fresh or uncooked, frozen or dry						
(i) ROOT AND TUBER VEGETABLES						
	Beetroot	0.01*	0.02*	0.05*	0.02*	0.05*
	Carrots	0.01*	0.02*	0.05*	0.02*	0.05*
	Celeriac	0.01*	0.02*	0.05*	0.02*	0.05*
	Horseradish	0.01*	0.02*	0.05*	0.02*	0.05*
	Jerusalem artichokes	0.01*	0.02*	0.05*	0.02*	0.05*
	Parsnips	0.01*	0.02*	0.05*	0.02*	0.05*
	Parsley root	0.01*	0.02*	0.05*	0.02*	0.05*
	Radishes	0.01*	0.02*	0.05*	0.02*	0.05*