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Bovine Offal (Prohibition) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1995

Made	*30th March 1995*
Coming into operation . .	*28th April 1995*

The Department of Agriculture in exercise of the powers conferred on it by Articles 15(1) and (2) and 72(1) and (4) of the Food (Northern Ireland) Order 1989(**a**) and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf and after consultation in accordance with Article 72(2) of that Order with such organisations as appears 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 Bovine Offal (Prohibition) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1995 and shall come into operation on 28th April 1995.

Amendment of the Bovine Offal (Prohibition) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1990

2. The Bovine Offal (Prohibition) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1990(**b**) shall be amended as provided in regulations 3 to 5.

3. In regulation 2(1) (Interpretation)—

(*a*) after the definition of "excepted premises" there shall be inserted the following definition:—

" "excluded matter" in relation to any bovine animal which has died or been slaughtered in the United Kingdom means any part of such an animal which does not consist of or contain any specified bovine offal;";

(*b*) for the definition of "specified bovine offal" there shall be substituted the following definition:—

" "specified bovine offal" in relation to a bovine animal means—

(*a*) where the animal is over six months of age and has died or been slaughtered in the United Kingdom, the brain, spinal cord, spleen, thymus, tonsils and intestines;

(**a**) S.I. 1989/846 (N.I. 6) as amended by S.I. 1991/762 (N.I. 7) Art 51(4) and Schedule 4
(**b**) S.R. 1990 No. 30