STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

2013 No. 296

FOOD

The Contaminants in Food (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2013

Made - - - -	*12th December 2013*
Coming into operation	*17th January 2014*

The Department of Health, Social Services and Public Safety(**1**) makes the following Regulations in exercise of the powers conferred by Articles 15(1), 16(1) and (2), 25(1)(a) and 3 and 47(2) of the Food Safety (Northern Ireland) Order 1991(**2**).

In accordance with Article 47(3A) of that Order, it has had regard to relevant advice given by the Food Standards Agency.

Citation and commencement

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Contaminants in Food (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2013 and come into operation on 17th January 2014.

Amendment of the Contaminants in Food Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2013

2.—(1) The Contaminants in Food Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2013(**3**) are amended in accordance with paragraph (2).

(2) For regulation 2(3) substitute—

"(3) Subject to regulation 2(4), any reference to an EU instrument is a reference to it as amended at the date of making these Regulations.".

(**1**) Formerly the Department of Health and Social Services; see S.I. 1999/283 (N.I.1) Article 3(6)
(**2**) S.I. 1991/762 (N.I.7) as amended by S.I. 1996/1663 (N.I.12), paragraphs 26 to 42 of Schedule 5 and Schedule 6 to the Food Standards Act 1999 c.28 and S.R. 2004 Nos. 482 and 505
(**3**) S.R. 2013 No. 229