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WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

REGULATIONS, DATED 28TH OCTOBER 1974, MADE BY THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE UNDER SECTION 8 OF THE WEIGHTS AND MEASURES ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1967.

The Department of Commerce, in exercise of the powers conferred upon it by section 8(1) of the Weights and Measures Act (Northern Ireland) 1967(**a**) and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, hereby makes the following regulations:—

Citation and commencement

1. These regulations may be cited as the Weights and Measures (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1974 and shall come into operation on 1st December 1974.

Amendment of 1967 *Regulations*

2. The Weights and Measures Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1967(**b**) are hereby amended as follows:—

In regulation 5(1)—

(*a*) after sub-paragraph (*b*)(vi) there shall be added the following:—

"(vii) a capacity measure marked with an indication of its purported value in units of both the imperial system and the metric system."; and

(*b*) sub-paragraph (*c*) is hereby revoked.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Commerce for Northern Ireland this 28th day of October 1974.

(L.S.)

E. Simpson,
Assistant Secretary.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

These regulations enable capacity measures marked with the purported value in both imperial and metric units of capacity measurement to be passed as fit for use for trade if they are made in accordance with an approved pattern or authorised modification under section 6 of the Weights and Measures Act (Northern Ireland) 1967.

(a) 1967. c. 6 (N.I.). (b) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1967, No. 237.