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EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES

Butter Subsidy

REGULATIONS, DATED 24TH APRIL 1974, MADE BY THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES AND THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE UNDER SECTION 2(2) AND (5) OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES ACT 1972.

The Department of Health and Social Services and the Department of Agriculture, acting jointly, in exercise of the powers conferred on them by section 2(2) and (5) of the European Communities Act 1972(a) as applying subject to the provisions of Article 2(1) of, and the Schedule to, the European Communities (Designation) Order 1972(b), and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf, hereby make the following regulations:

Citation and commencement

1. These regulations, which may be cited as the Butter Subsidy Amendment (Northern Ireland) Regulations 1974, shall be read as one with the Butter Subsidy (Northern Ireland) Regulations 1974(c) (hereinafter referred to as "the principal regulations") and shall come into operation on 1st May 1974.

Amendment of the principal regulations

2.—(1) In regulations 3(2), 4(2) and 5(1) of the principal regulations for the words "4½ pence" there shall be substituted the words "6 pence".

(2) Nothing in this regulation shall affect the operation of the principal regulations in relation to a butter token issued for any period prior to the date of coming into operation of this regulation notwithstanding that it may have been accepted by a supplier after that date.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Health and Social Services for Northern Ireland this 24th day of April 1974.

(L.S.) *C. G. Oakes,*
Assistant Secretary.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Agriculture for Northern Ireland this 24th day of April 1974.

(L.S.) *J. C. Chalmers,*
Assistant Secretary.

(a) 1972. c. 68.
(b) S.I. 1972, No. 1811.
(c) S.R. (N.I.) 1974, No. 14.