

1976 No. 309

WELFARE FOODS

Welfare Foods (Amendment No. 2) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1976

Made 14th October 1976

Coming into operation 15th November 1976

The Department of Health and Social Services(a) in exercise of the powers conferred upon it by section 1(3) of the Welfare Foods Act (Northern Ireland) 1968(b) with the consent of the Department of Finance(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 Welfare Foods (Amendment No. 2) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1976 and shall come into operation on 15th November 1976.

Interpretation

2. In these regulations the expression "the principal regulations" means the Welfare Foods Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1975(c) as amended by the Welfare Foods (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1976(d) and other words and expressions have the same meaning as in the principal regulations.

Amendment of the principal regulations

3.—(1) In regulation 6 (Milk for young children in day care) of the principal regulations the present paragraph shall be re-numbered "(1)" and after it shall be inserted—

"(2) The Department may make arrangements for a child who has not started school at the age of 5 years and 1 month to continue to receive milk under paragraph (1) of this regulation for such period as may elapse until he starts full-time education."

(2) In Schedule 2 (entitlement to welfare food other than liquid milk) of the principal regulations in column (3):—

(a) for "20p" there shall be substituted "40p",

(b) for "5p" there shall be substituted "8p", and

(c) for "6p" in each place where it occurs there shall be substituted "10p".

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Health and Social Services for Northern Ireland on 14th October 1976.

(L.S.)

W. J. Sloane

Assistant Secretary

(a) Formerly Ministry: see 1973 c. 36 Sch. 5 para. 8(1)

(b) 1968 c. 26 (N.I.)

(c) S.R. 1975 No. 287 (II, p. 1378)

(d) S.R. 1976 No. 116

The Department of Finance for Northern Ireland hereby consents to these regulations.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Finance for Northern Ireland on 14th October 1976.

(L.S.)

F. G. Dougall

Assistant Secretary

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

These Regulations amend the Welfare Foods Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1975, as amended by the Welfare Foods (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1976, by:

1. enabling children in day care to receive free milk until they start full time education; (Regulation 3(1)), and
2. increasing the prices at which National Dried Milk, Children's Vitamin Drops and Vitamin Tablets for expectant and nursing mothers may be bought as follows:
 - i National Dried Milk: from 20p to 40p per pack,
 - ii Children's Vitamin Drops: from 5p to 8p per bottle,
 - iii Mother's Vitamin Tablets: from 6p to 10p per container. (Regulation 3(2)).

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These Orders have been exempted from printing by the Statutory Rules Act (Northern Ireland) 1958. Summaries are given in the List of Statutory Rules of a Local Character under the heading ROADS.