

## 1993 No. 9

## FOOD

**The Olive Oil (Marketing Standards) (Amendment)  
Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1993**

*Made* . . . . . 13th January 1993

*Coming into operation* . . . . . 12th February 1993

The Department of Health and Social Services for Northern Ireland, being a designated Department(a) for the purposes of section 2(2) of the European Communities Act 1972(b) in relation to the common agricultural policy of the European Economic Community, in exercise of the powers conferred on it by the said section 2(2) and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, hereby makes the following Regulations:

*Citation, commencement and interpretation*

1.—(1) These Regulations may be cited as the Olive Oil (Marketing Standards) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1993 and shall come into operation on 12th February 1993.

(2) In these Regulations “the principal Regulations” means the Olive Oil (Marketing Standards) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1987(c).

(3) The Interpretation Act (Northern Ireland) 1954(d) shall apply to these Regulations as it applies to a Measure of the Northern Ireland Assembly.

*Amendment of the principal Regulations*

2.—(1) The principal Regulations shall be amended in accordance with paragraphs (2) to (6).

(2) In regulation 2(1) in the definition of “the Council Regulation”, for “Council Regulation (EEC) No. 1915/87” there shall be substituted “Council Regulations (EEC) No. 1915/87(e) and (EEC) No. 356/92(f)”.

(3) In regulation 2(1), in the definition of “oil”, immediately after “the Annex to that Regulation” there shall be inserted “as read with Commission Regulation (EEC) No. 2568/91 (as amended)(g)”.

(4) In regulation 3(1) immediately after “as read with the Annex thereto” there shall be inserted “and with Commission Regulation (EEC) No. 2568/91 (as amended)”.

(a) S.I. 1972/1811

(b) 1972 c. 68

(c) S.R. 1987 No. 431

(d) 1954 c. 33 (N.I.)

(e) O.J. No. L183, 3.7.87, p. 7

(f) O.J. No. L39, 15.2.92, p. 1

(g) O.J. No. L248, 5.9.91, p. 1, as amended by Commission Regulation (EEC) No. 3682/91, O.J. No. L349, 18.12.91, p. 36 and Commission Regulation (EEC) No. 1429/92, O.J. No. L150, 2.6.92, p. 17

(5) In regulation 3(3) immediately after “with that Annex” there shall be inserted “and with Commission Regulation (EEC) No. 2568/91 (as amended)”.

(6) Immediately after regulation 5 there shall be inserted the following regulation—

*“Methods of analysis*

5A. Where, for the purposes of enforcing these Regulations, an analysis is made of any oil, the method, or methods, of such analysis shall be that, or those, prescribed by Commission Regulation (EEC) No. 2568/91 (as amended).”.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Health and Social Services for Northern Ireland on 13th January 1993.

(L.S.)

*J. Scott*

Assistant Secretary

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EXPLANATORY NOTE

*(This note is not part of the Regulations.)*

These Regulations amend the Olive Oil (Marketing Standards) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1987 (“the principal Regulations”).

The amendments made by these Regulations—

- (1) implement those provisions of Council Regulation (EEC) No. 356/92 (O.J. No. L39, 15.2.92, p. 1) and Commission Regulation (EEC) No. 2568/91 (O.J. No. L248, 5.9.91, p. 1) (as amended by Commission Regulation (EEC) No. 1429/92, O.J. No. L150, 2.6.92, p. 17) which introduced changes to the definitions of categories of olive oil contained in Regulation No. 136/66/EEC of the Council (O.J. No. 172, 30.8.66, p. 3025/66; O.J./S.E. 1965-66, p. 221) (as earlier amended) (regulation 2(2)-(5)), and
- (2) require that where any analysis of olive oil is made for the purposes of the principal Regulations the method, or methods, used shall be those prescribed by Council Regulation (EEC) No. 2568/91 (as amended) (regulation 2(6)).

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These Orders have been exempted from printing by the Statutory Rules (Northern Ireland) Order 1979. Summaries are given in the List of Statutory Rules of a Local Character under the heading ROADS.