
STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

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FOOD

Colours in Food Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1996

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COLOURS IN FOOD REGULATIONS (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1996

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SCHEDULE Permitted Colours

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- SCHEDULE** Foods which may not contain added colours, except where specifically provided for in Schedules 3, 4 or 5
1. Unprocessed foodstuffs
 2. All bottled or packed waters
 3. Milk, semi-skimmed and skimmed milk, pasteurised or sterilised (including UHT...)
 4. Chocolate milk
 5. Fermented milk (unflavoured)
 6. Preserved milks as mentioned in Directive 76/118/EEC
 7. Butter-milk (unflavoured)
 8. Cream and cream powder (unflavoured)

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9. Oils and fats of animal or vegetable origin
 10. Eggs and egg products as defined in Article 2(1) of...
 11. Flour and other milled products and starches
 12. Bread and similar products
 13. Pasta and gnocchi
 14. Sugar, including all mono- and disaccharides
 15. Tomato paste and canned and bottled tomatoes
 16. Tomato-based sauces
 17. Fruit juice and fruit nectar as mentioned in Directive 93/77/EEC...
 18. Fruit, vegetables (including potatoes) and mushrooms — canned, bottled or...
 19. Extra jam, extra jelly, and chestnut purée as mentioned in...
 20. Fish, molluscs and crustaceans, meat, poultry and game as well...
 21. Cocoa products and chocolate components in chocolate products as mentioned...
 22. Roasted coffee, tea, chicory; tea and chicory extracts; tea, plant,...
 23. Salt, salt substitutes, spices and mixtures of spices
 24. Wine and other products defined by Regulation (EEC) No. 822/87...
 25. Korn, Kornbrand, fruit spirit drinks, fruit spirits, Ouzo, Grappa, Tsikoudia...
 26. Sambuca, Maraschino and Mistra as defined in Regulation (EEC) No....
 27. Sangria, Clarea and Zurra as mentioned in Regulation (EEC) No....
 28. Wine vinegar
 29. Foods for infants and young children as mentioned in Directive...
 30. Honey
 31. Malt and malt products
 32. Ripened and unripened cheese (unflavoured)
 33. Butter from sheep and goats' milk
- SCHEDULE 3 **Foods to which only certain permitted colours may be added**
- SCHEDULE 4 **Colours permitted for use in certain foods only**
- SCHEDULE 5 **Further permitted colours in certain foods**
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- SCHEDULE 6 **Revocations**
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