STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

1997 No. 108

Eggs (Marketing Standards) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1997

Citation, commencement and interpretation

1.—(1) These Regulations may be cited as the Eggs (Marketing Standards) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1997 and shall come into operation on 31st March 1997.

(2) The Interpretation Act (Northern Ireland) 1954(1) shall apply to these Regulations as it applies to a measure of the Northern Ireland Assembly.

Amendment of the Eggs (Marketing Standards) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1995

2. The Eggs (Marketing Standards) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1995(**2**) shall be amended in accordance with regulations 3 to 5.

3. In regulation 4 (Enforcement authorities) there shall be inserted at the end the following paragraph—

"(5) In this regulation "sale" includes possession for sale and offer, exposure or advertisement for sale.".

4. After regulation 7 (United Kingdom official mark) there shall be inserted the following regulation—

"7A.—(1) The official mark for the purposes of the bands and labels referred to in Article 21(2) of Commission Regulation (EEC) No. 1274/91 shall consist of the letters "UK", each letter being 1 centimetre high and surrounded by a line describing an oval.

(2) Paragraph (1) shall not apply in the case of any band or label affixed outside Northern Ireland.".

5. In the Schedule (Community Provisions) there shall be inserted in paragraph 2 at the end the following entry—

"(g) Commission Regulation (EC) No. 2401/95

O.J. No. L246, 13.10.95, p. 6".

(1) 1954 c. 33 (N.I.)

⁽²⁾ S.R. 1995 No. 382

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