
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1998 No. 314 (S.12)

**PUBLIC HEALTH, ENGLAND AND WALES
PUBLIC HEALTH, SCOTLAND
PUBLIC HEALTH, NORTHERN IRELAND
CONTAMINATION OF FOOD**

**The Food Protection (Emergency Prohibitions)
(Oil and Chemical Pollution of Fish)
Order 1997 (Revocation) Order 1998**

Made - - - - *16th February 1998*
Laid before Parliament *17th February 1998*
Coming into force in accordance with article 1

The Secretary of State, in exercise of the powers conferred on him by section 1(1) and (2) and section 24(1) and (3) of the Food and Environment Protection Act 1985(1) and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, hereby makes the following Order:

Citation and commencement

1. This Order may be cited as the Food Protection (Emergency Prohibitions) (Oil and Chemical Pollution of Fish) Order 1997 (Revocation) Order 1998 and shall come into force at 17.00 hours on 16th February 1998.

Revocation

2. The Food Protection (Emergency Prohibitions) (Oil and Chemical Pollution of Fish) Order 1997(2) insofar as remaining in force is hereby revoked.

(1) [1985 c. 48](#); section 1(1) and (2) were amended by section 51(2)(a) and (b) of the Food Safety Act [1990 \(c. 16\)](#) and section 24(1) was amended by paragraph 29 of Schedule 3 to that Act; section 1(2) defines “designating authority” and section 24(1) defines “the Ministers”.

(2) [S.I.1997/2509](#); amended by [S.I. 1997/2735](#).

Status: This is the original version (as it was originally made). This item of legislation is currently only available in its original format.

Pentland House,
Edinburgh
16th February 1998

J R Wildgoose
Assistant Secretary, Scottish Office

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Order)

This Order revokes the Food Protection (Emergency Prohibitions) (Oil and Chemical Pollution of Fish) Order 1997 insofar as it remains in force.

That Order contains emergency prohibitions restricting various activities in order to prevent human consumption of food rendered unsuitable for that purpose by virtue of fish and shellfish having been affected by oil and other chemical pollutants. The prohibitions were removed in so far as applying to round fish by the Food Protection (Emergency Prohibitions) (Oil and Chemical Pollution of Fish) Order 1997 (Partial Revocation) Order 1997. This Order removes the remaining prohibitions applying to flatfish and shellfish.