

---

STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

---

**2008 No. 1284**

**CONSUMER PROTECTION**

**The Cosmetic Products (Safety) Regulations 2008**

<i>Made</i>	- - - -	<i>13th May 2008</i>
<i>Laid before Parliament</i>		<i>13th May 2008</i>
<i>Coming into force</i>		<i>18th June 2008</i>

**THE COSMETIC PRODUCTS (SAFETY) REGULATIONS 2008**

1. Citation, Commencement and revocation
  2. Transitional provisions
  3. Interpretation
  4. General safety requirement
  5. Substances prohibited in cosmetic products
  6. Substances subject to restrictions and conditions
  7. Colouring agents
  8. Preservatives
  9. UV Filters
  10. Restrictions on animal testing
  11. No person shall test a finished cosmetic product on an...
  12. Labelling requirements
  13. (1) Where a cosmetic product other than soap is supplied...
  14. The supply of a cosmetic product in respect of which...
  15. Responsible persons and competent authorities
  16. Information to be made accessible to competent authority
  17. Where the place of manufacture or initial importation into the...
  18. Qualified persons
  19. Medical treatment
  20. Authorisation by the Secretary of State
  21. Requests for confidentiality
  22. Contravention of these Regulations
  23. Enforcement
  24. Any test of goods purchased under section 28 or seized...
  25. Proceedings
  26. Amendment to Legislative and Regulatory Reform (Regulatory Functions) Order 2007
- Signature

## SCHEDULE 1 — Regulations revoked

## SCHEDULE 2 — LIST OF AMENDING DIRECTIVES IMPLEMENTED BY THESE REGULATIONS

1. Council Directive 82/368/EEC (O.J. No. L167, 15.6.82, p.1).
2. Commission Directive 82/147/EEC (O.J. No. L63, 6.3.82, p.26).
3. Commission Directive 83/191/EEC (O.J. No. L109, 26.4.83, p.25).
4. Commission Directive 83/341/EEC (O.J. No. L188, 13.7.83, p.15).
5. Council Directive 83/574/EEC (O.J. No. L332, 28.11.83, p.38).
6. Commission Directive 83/496/EEC (O.J. L275, 8.10.83, p.20).
7. Commission Directive 84/415/EEC (O.J. No. L228, 25.8.84, p.31).
8. Commission Directive 85/391/EEC (O.J. L224, 22.8.85, p.40).
9. Commission Directive 86/179/EEC (O.J. No. L138, 24.5.86, p.40).
10. Commission Directive 86/199/EEC (O.J. No. L149, 3.6.86, p.38).
11. Commission Directive 87/137/EEC (O.J. No. L56, 26.2.87, p.20).
12. Commission Directive 88/233/EEC (O.J. L105, 26.4.88, p.11).
13. Council Directive 88/667/EEC (O.J. No. L382, 31.12.88, p.46).
14. Commission Directive 89/174/EEC (O.J. No. L64, 8.3.89, p.10).
15. Directive 89/679/EEC (O.J. No. L398, 30.12.89, p.25).
16. Commission Directive 90/121/EEC (O.J. No. L71, 17.3.90, p.40).
17. Commission Directive 91/184/EEC (O.J. No. L91, 12.4.91, p.59).
18. Commission Directive 92/8/EEC (O.J. No. L70, 17.3.92, p.23).
19. Commission Directive 92/86/EEC (O.J. No. L325, 11.11.92, p.18).
20. Commission Directive 93/47/EEC (O.J. No. L203, 13.8.93, p.24).
21. Council Directive 93/35/EEC (O.J. No. L151, 23.6.93, p.32).
22. Commission Directive 94/32/EC (O.J. No. L181, 15.7.94, p.31).
23. Commission Directive 95/34/EC (O.J. No. L167, 18.7.95, p.19).
24. Commission Directive 96/41/EC (O.J. No. L198, 8.8.96, p.36).
25. Commission Directive 97/18/EC (O.J. No. L114, 1.5.97, p.43).
26. Commission Directive 97/45/EC (O.J. No. L196, 24.7.97, p.77).
27. Commission Directive 98/16/EC (O.J. No. L77, 14.3.98, p.44).
28. Commission Directive 98/62/EC (O.J. No. L253, 15.9.98, p.20).
29. Commission Directive 2000/6/EC (O.J. No. L56, 1.3.00, p.42).
30. Commission Directive 2000/11/EC (O.J. No. L65, 14.3.00, p.22).
31. Commission Directive 2000/41/EC (O.J. No. L145, 20.6.00, p.25).
32. Commission Directive 2002/34/EC (O.J. No. L102, 18.4.02, p.19).
33. Commission Directive 2003/1/EC (O.J. No. L5, 10.1.03, p.14).
34. Commission Directive 2003/16/EC (O.J. No. L46, 20.2.03, p.24).
35. Commission Directive 2003/15/EC (O.J. No. L66, 11.3.03, p.26).
36. Commission Directive 2003/80/EC (O.J. No. L238, 25.9.03, p.23).
37. Commission Directive 2003/83/EC (O.J. No. L238, 25.9.03, p.23).
38. Commission Directive 2004/87/EC (O.J. No. L287, 8.9.2004, p.4).
39. Commission Directive 2004/88/EC (O.J. No. L287, 8.9.2004, p.5).
40. Commission Directive 2004/94/EC (O.J. No. L24, 7.9.2000 p.28).
41. Commission Directive 2004/93/EC (O.J. No. L300, 25.9.2004, p.13).
42. Commission Directive 2005/9/EC (O.J. No. L27, 29.1.2005, p.46).
43. Commission Directive 2005/42/EC (O.J. No. L158, 21.6.2005, p.17).
44. Commission Directive 2005/52/EC (O.J. No. L234, 10.9.2005, p.9).
45. Commission Directive 2005/80/EC (O.J. No. L303, 22.11.2005, p.32).
46. Commission Directive 2006/65/EC (O.J. No. L198, 20.7.2006, p.11).
47. Commission Directive 2006/78/EC (O.J. No. L271, 30.9.2006, p.56).

48. Commission Directive 2007/1/EC (O.J. No. L25, 1.2.2007, p.9).
49. Commission Directive 2007/17/EC (O.J. No.L82, 23.3.2007, p.27).
50. Commission Directive 2007/22/EC (O.J. No. L101, 18.4.2007, p.11).
51. Commission Directive 2007/53/EC (O.J. No. L226, 30.8.2007, p.19).
52. Commission Directive 2007/54/EC (O.J. No. L226, 30.8.2007, p.21).
53. Commission Directive 2007/67/EC (O.J. No. L305, 23.11.2007, p.22).

SCHEDULE 3 — LIST OF SUBSTANCES WHICH MUST NOT FORM PART OF THE COMPOSITION OF COSMETIC PRODUCTS (UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFIED)

SCHEDULE 4 —

PART 1 — LIST OF SUBSTANCES WHICH COSMETIC PRODUCTS MUST NOT CONTAIN EXCEPT SUBJECT TO RESTRICTIONS AND CONDITIONS

PART 2 — SUBSTANCES LISTED IN PART 2 OF ANNEX III TO THE DIRECTIVE WHICH ARE PROVISIONALLY ALLOWED

SCHEDULE 5 —

PART 1 — LIST OF COLOURING AGENTS ALLOWED FOR USE IN COSMETIC PRODUCTS

#### Field of Application

PART 2 — LIST OF COLOURING AGENTS PROVISIONALLY ALLOWED FOR USE IN COSMETIC PRODUCTS

#### Field of application

SCHEDULE 6 — LIST OF PRESERVATIVES WHICH COSMETIC PRODUCTS MAY CONTAIN

PART 1 — LIST OF PRESERVATIVES ALLOWED

PART 2 — LIST OF PRESERVATIVES PROVISIONALLY ALLOWED

SCHEDULE 7 —

PART 1 — List of permitted UV filters which cosmetic products contain

PART 2 — LIST OF UV FILTERS WHICH COSMETIC PRODUCTS MAY PROVISIONALLY CONTAIN

SCHEDULE 8 — SUPPLEMENTARY PROVISIONS ABOUT LABELLING OF COSMETIC PRODUCTS

PART 1

Symbol in Annex VIII of the Directive which is required for the purposes of Regulation 13(3)

PART 2

Symbol in Annex VIII of the Directive which is required for the purposes of Regulation 12(1)(b)

SCHEDULE 9 —

PART 1 — PARTICULARS TO BE INCLUDED WITH A REQUEST FOR CONFIDENTIALITY

---

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

---

1. In this Schedule, “common ingredients nomenclature” means the labelling nomenclature...
2. The particulars to be included with a request for confidentiality...  
PART 2 — PROCEDURE FOR GRANT OF REGISTRATION NUMBER
3. The registration number referred to in regulation 21(5) shall consist...
4. The code allocated to the United Kingdom is 06.

#### SCHEDULE 10 — SAMPLING AND TESTING

1. In this Schedule— “Annex A” means the Annex to Commission...
2. An enforcement authority intending to purchase a cosmetic product shall...
3. The immediate container, if any, of a cosmetic product purchased...
4. As soon as an enforcement authority has purchased a cosmetic...
5. (1) Subject to sub-paragraph (2), the provisions of Part 1...
6. (1) Any test to determine whether a cosmetic product contains...

Explanatory Note