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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**2010 No. 740**

**CONSUMER PROTECTION  
ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION  
PUBLIC HEALTH**

**The Detergents Regulations 2010**

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<i>for the purpose of regulation 9</i>		<i>1st January 2015</i>
<i>for the purpose of remainder</i>		<i>6th April 2010</i>

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Explanatory Note

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**Changes and effects yet to be applied to :**

- Sch. 2 word substituted by S.I. 2019/672 reg. 2(11)(b)
- Sch. 2 words omitted by S.I. 2019/672 reg. 2(11)(a)
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- reg. 2(1) words omitted by S.I. 2019/672 reg. 2(2)(b)
- reg. 3 omitted by S.I. 2019/672 reg. 2(3)
- reg. 4(5)(a) words substituted by S.I. 2019/672 reg. 2(4)(a)
- reg. 4(5)(b) words substituted by S.I. 2019/672 reg. 2(4)(b)
- reg. 6 omitted by S.I. 2019/672 reg. 2(5)
- reg. 7(1) substituted by S.I. 2019/672 reg. 2(6)
- reg. 8(1) omitted by S.I. 2019/672 reg. 2(7)
- reg. 8(2) omitted by S.I. 2019/672 reg. 2(7)
- reg. 11(1) words substituted by S.I. 2019/672 reg. 2(8)
- reg. 12(1) words substituted by S.I. 2019/672 reg. 2(9)
- reg. 13 words substituted by S.I. 2019/672 reg. 2(10)