

Regulation (EC) No 1935/2004 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 27 October 2004 on materials and articles intended to come into contact with food and repealing Directives 80/590/EEC and 89/109/EEC

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ANNEX I

List of groups of materials and articles which may be covered by specific measures

Active and intelligent materials and articles Adhesives Ceramics
Cork Rubbers...

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- (1) [OJ C 117, 30.4.2004, p. 1.](#)
- (2) Opinion of the European Parliament of 31 March 2004 (not yet published in the Official Journal) and Council Decision of 14 October 2004.
- (3) [OJ L 40, 11.2.1989, p. 38.](#) Directive as amended by Regulation (EC) No 1882/2003 of the European Parliament and of the Council ([OJ L 284, 31.10.2003, p. 1.](#)).
- (4) Council Directive 89/107/EEC of 21 December 1988 on the approximation of the laws of the Member States concerning food additives authorised for use in foodstuffs intended for human consumption ([OJ L 40, 11.2.1989, p. 27.](#)). Directive as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 1882/2003.
- (5) [OJ L 31, 1.2.2002, p. 1.](#) Regulation as amended by Regulation (EC) No 1642/2003 ([OJ L 245, 29.9.2003, p. 4.](#)).
- (6) Commission Directive 80/590/EEC of 9 June 1980 determining the symbol that may accompany materials and articles intended to come into contact with foodstuffs ([OJ L 151, 19.6.1980, p. 21.](#)). Directive as last amended by the 2003 Act of Accession
- (7) [OJ L 165, 30.4.2004, p. 1.](#) Regulation as corrected in [OJ L 191, 28.5.2004, p. 1.](#)
- (8) [OJ L 145, 31.5.2001, p. 43.](#)
- (9) [OJ L 184, 17.7.1999, p. 23](#)

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- Regulation applied (with modifications) by [S.I. 2023/959 reg. 4\(a\)Sch. 1](#)
- Art. 15(5) omitted by [S.I. 2019/704 reg. 24\(b\)](#) (This amendment not applied to legislation.gov.uk. Reg. 24 substituted immediately before IP completion day by S.I. 2020/1504, regs. 1(2), 16(4))
- Art. 15(6) omitted by [S.I. 2019/704 reg. 24\(b\)](#) (This amendment not applied to legislation.gov.uk. Reg. 24 substituted immediately before IP completion day by S.I. 2020/1504, regs. 1(2), 16(4))

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- Art. 15(1)(c) words omitted by [S.I. 2019/704 reg. 24\(a\)\(i\)](#) (This amendment not applied to legislation.gov.uk. Reg. 24 substituted immediately before IP completion day by S.I. 2020/1504, regs. 1(2), 16(4))
- Art. 15(1)(e) words substituted by [S.I. 2019/704 reg. 24\(a\)\(ii\)](#) (This amendment not applied to legislation.gov.uk. Reg. 24 substituted immediately before IP completion day by S.I. 2020/1504, regs. 1(2), 16(4))
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