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(2) These regulations and the Public Health (Condensed Milk) Regulations, 1925 and 1927, shall be construed together and may be cited together as the Public Health (Condensed Milk) Regulations, 1925 to 1953.

2. The Public Health (Condensed Milk) Regulations, 1925 (a) as amended (b) shall be further amended as follows :----

by adding to the proviso to regulation 4 thereof the following subparagraph :---

" (c) during the period until 31st December, 1955, the provisions of paragraph (2) of this regulation shall not apply as respects full cream unsweetened condensed milk imported by the Minister of Food and intended for human consumption which contains not less than 7.8 per cent. of milk fat and not less than 25.5 per cent. of all milk solids including fat."

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Health and Local Government for Northern Ireland this twenty-ninth day of October, 1953, in the presence of

(L.S.)

W. McCaughey,

Assistant Secretary.

#### Preservatives, etc. in Food

REGULATIONS, DATED 29TH OCTOBER, 1953, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNDER THE PUBLIC HEALTH Acts (Northern Ireland), 1878 to 1949, the Public Health (REGULATIONS AS TO FOOD) ACT, 1907, AND THE BUTTER AND MARGARINE ACT, 1907.

## 1953. No. 143

The Ministry of Health and Local Government for Northern Ireland, in exercise of the powers conferred upon it by the Public Health Acts (Northern Ireland), 1878 to 1949, the Public Health (Regulations as to Food) Act, 1907 (c), and the Butter and Margarine Act, 1907 (d), and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, hereby makes the following regulations, so far as they apply to officers of customs and excise, with the consent of the Commissioners of Customs and Excise.

1.—(1) These regulations shall come into operation on the eleventh day of November, 1953, and may be cited as the Public Health (Preservatives, etc. in Food) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1953.

<sup>(</sup>a) S. R. & O. (N.I.), 1925, No. 169.
(b) S. R. & O. (N.I.), 1927, No. 151; S. R. & O. (N.I.), 1943, No. 71.
(c) 7 E.7, C.32. (d) 7 E.7, C.21.

#### Preservatives etc. in Food

(2) These regulations and the Public Health (Preservatives, etc. in Food) (Northern Ireland) Regulations, 1927 to 1940, shall be construed together and may be cited together as the Public Health (Preservatives, etc. in Food) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1927 to 1953.

The Public Health (Preservatives, etc. in Food) (Northern Ireland) Regulations, 1927 (a), as amended (b), shall be further amended as follows :-

(1) by adding to paragraph (iv) of the proviso to paragraph (1) of regulation 4 thereof the following sub-paragraphs :---

- " (c) so as to prohibit the presence in citrus fruit of diphenyl in consequence of its being wrapped outside the United Kingdom in wrappers treated with diphenyl.
  - (d) so as to prohibit the presence in any article of food of diphenyl introduced in the preparation of such article by the use of citrus fruit which contains diphenyl in consequence of its being wrapped outside the United Kingdom in wrappers treated with diphenyl.";

(2) by adding to paragraph (iv) of the proviso to paragraph (1) of regulation 11 thereof the following sub-paragraph :---

" (c) so as to prohibit the presence in citrus fruit of diphenyl in consequence of its being wrapped outside the United Kingdom in wrappers treated with diphenyl; so, however, that this exemption shall not apply as respects citrus fruit in wrappers containing diphenyl in quantities equivalent to more than 40 milligrammes per 100 square inches.";

(3) by substituting in the table in Part I of the first schedule thereto for the figure "40" where it appears in the third column of item 6 (relating to jam) the figure "100";

" Food	Preservative	Parts per Million
18. Dehydrated Vegetables :		
(a) Potatoes	Sulphur dioxide	550
(b) Runner beans, turnips, spinac swedes, peas, parsnips, carrot		
	Sulphur dioxide	2,000
(c) Cabbage	Sulphur dioxide	3,000
19. Margarine	Boron preservative (ex- pressed as boric acid)	2,500 ";

(4) by adding to the said table the following items :-----

(a) S. R. & O. (N.I.), 1927, No. 18.
(b) S. R. & O. (N.I.), 1927, No. 69; S. R. & O. (N.I.), 1927, No. 98; S. R. & O. (N.I.), 1927, No. 137; S. R. & O. (N.I.), 1928, No. 134; S. R. & O. (N.I.), 1929, No. 173; S. R. & O. (N.I.), 1930, No. 165; S. R. & O. (N.I.), 1931, No. 93; S. R. & O. (N.I.), 1932, No. 136; S. R. & O. (N.I.), 1939, No. 178; S. R. & O. (N.I.), 1940, No. 81.

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(5) by adding to Part I of the first schedule thereto, immediately after the table therein, the following paragraph :---

"Item 19 in the above table, relating to margarine, shall have effect only during such period as any rationing scheme is in operation for that commodity by virtue of any Order made pursuant to the Defence (General) Regulations, 1939, and two months thereafter."

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Health and Local Government for Northern Ireland this twenty-ninth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and fifty-three, in the presence of

(L.S.)

### W. McCaughey, Assistant Secretary.

The Commissioners of Customs and Excise hereby consent to the foregoing Regulations so far as they apply to the officers of customs and excise.

Signed by Order of the Commissioners of Customs and Excise.

#### L, E. Greener,

Assistant Secretary for Customs and Excise.

# PUBLIC HEALTH AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT Welfare Authorities

Minimum Weekly Charges for Residential Accommodation

REGULATIONS, DATED 24TH JULY, 1953, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNDER SECTION FIVE OF THE WELFARE SERVICES ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1949.

#### 1953. No. 103

The Ministry of Health and Local Government, in exercise of the powers conferred upon it by section five of the Welfare Services Act (Northern Ireland), 1949, hereby makes the following regulations :---

1. These regulations may be cited as the Welfare Authorities (Charges for Residential Accommodation) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1953.

2. The Interpretation Act, 1921, shall apply for the purpose of the interpretation of these regulations in like manner as it applies to the . interpretation of an Act of the Parliament of Northern Ireland.

3. The minimum charge which a person shall be liable to pay for accommodation provided by or on behalf of a Welfare Authority, for the purposes of sub-section (3) of section five of the Welfare Services Act (Northern Ireland), 1949, shall be twenty-six shillings per week.

4. Where accommodation is provided for a child accompanied by a person over the age of sixteen, the minimum charge which that person shall be liable to pay for the accommodation of that child shall be such one of the following sums as is appropriate :---