

# Food Act 1984

## **1984 CHAPTER 30**

#### **PART VII**

GENERAL AND SUPPLEMENTAL

## Interpretation and operation

## 131 Interpretation: "food"

- (1) In this Act, unless the context otherwise requires, "food "includes drink, chewing gum and other products of a like nature and use, and articles and substances used as ingredients in the preparation of food or drink or of such products, but does not include—
  - (a) water, live animals or birds;
  - (b) fodder or feeding stuffs for animals, birds or fish; or
  - (c) articles or substances used only as drugs.
- (2) For the purposes of this Act, except section 16 and without prejudice to the provisions of section 47—
  - (a) the supply of food, otherwise than by sale, at, in or from any place where food is supplied in the course of a business shall be deemed to be a sale of that food, and references to purchasing and purchasers shall be construed accordingly; and
  - (b) where in connection with any business in the course of which food is supplied the place where food is served to the customer is different from the place where the food is consumed, both those places shall be deemed to be places in which food is sold.