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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**1991 No. 1476**

**The Food Safety (Exports) Regulations 1991**

**Amendment of the Materials and Articles in Contact with Food Regulations 1987**

3.—(1) After the last regulation in the Materials and Articles in Contact with Food Regulations 1987<sup>(1)</sup> there shall be inserted the following regulation numbered sequentially—

**“Defences in relation to exports**

In any proceedings under these Regulations it shall be a defence for the person charged to prove that the material or article in respect of which the offence is alleged to have been committed—

- (a) was intended for export and complied with the importing country’s domestic legislation relevant to the alleged offence ; or
  - (b) was intended for export and was prepared and labelled for sale before 26th July 1991.”.
- (2) Regulation 3(c) of those Regulations shall be revoked.