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FOOD, ENGLAND AND WALES

The Eggs (Marketing Standards) (Amendment) (England and Wales) Regulations 2006

<i>Made</i> - - - -	<i>14th June 2006</i>
<i>Laid before Parliament</i>	<i>14th June 2006</i>
<i>Coming into force</i> - -	<i>15th June 2006</i>

The Secretary of State is designated(a) for the purposes of section 2(2) of the European Communities Act 1972(b) in relation to the common agricultural policy of the European Community.

He makes the following Regulations exercising the powers conferred by that section:

Title, commencement and extent

1.—(1) These Regulations may be cited as the Eggs (Marketing Standards) (Amendment) (England and Wales) Regulations 2006.

(2) These Regulations come into force on 15th June 2006.

(3) These Regulations extend to England and Wales only.

Amendments to the Eggs (Marketing Standards) Regulations 1995

2.—(1) The Eggs (Marketing Standards) Regulations 1995(c) are amended as follows.

(2) Omit regulations 7 and 7A (United Kingdom official mark).

(3) For the Schedule, substitute the text set out in the Schedule to these Regulations.

The National Assembly for Wales (Transfer of Functions) Order 1999

3. The reference to the Eggs (Marketing Standards) Regulations 1995 in Schedule 1 to the National Assembly for Wales (Transfer of Functions) Order 1999(d) shall be read as a reference to those Regulations as amended by these Regulations.

(a) S.I. 1972/1811.

(b) 1972 c.68.

(c) S.I. 1995/1544, relevant amending instruments are S.I. 1996/1725, 1997/1414, 1998/1665.

(d) S.I. 1999/672, to which there are amendments not relevant to these Regulations.

14th June 2006

Jeff Rooker
Minister of State
Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs

SCHEDULE

Regulation 2(3)

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Regulations 2(1) and 4

COMMUNITY PROVISIONS

<i>(1)</i> Regulations of the European Communities	<i>(2)</i> Official Journal of the European Communities: References	<i>(3)</i> Provisions
1. Council Regulation (EEC) No. 1907/90 on certain marketing standards for eggs, as last amended by Council Regulation (EC) No. 1039/2005	OJ No. L173, 6.7.90, p.5 OJ No. L172, 5.7.2005, p.1	Articles 2(1), 3, 4, 5(1) and (2), 6(1) and (2), 7(1)(a) and (b) and (2), 8, 9, 10(1), (2)(e), and (3), 11(1) and 12 to 16
2. Commission Regulation (EC) No. 2295/2003 introducing detailed rules for implementing Council Regulation (EEC) No. 1907/90, as last amended by Commission Regulation (EC) No. 89/2006	OJ No. L340, 24.12.2003, p.16 OJ No. L15, 20.1.2006, p.30	Articles 1, 2, 3(3) and (4), 5 to 8, 9(1) to (4), 10 to 13, 14(1) and (2), 15, 16, 17(1), 18 to 22, 23(2) and (3), 25 to 27 and 35 to 37.
3. Council Regulation (EEC) No. 2782/75 on the production and marketing of eggs for hatching and of farmyard poultry chicks, as last amended by Commission Regulation (EC) No. 2916/95	OJ No. L282, 1.11.75, p.100 OJ No. L305, 19.12.95, p.49	Articles 2,3, 5(1) and (2), 6 to 8, 9(1), and 11 to 15
4. Commission Regulation (EEC) No. 1868/77 laying down detailed rules of application for Regulation (EEC) No. 2782/75, as last amended by Commission Regulation (EC) No. 3239/94	OJ No. L209, 17.8.77, p.1 OJ No. L338, 28.12.94, p.48”	Articles 2 and 3

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Regulations)

These Regulations amend the Eggs (Marketing Standards) Regulations 1995 (S.I. 1995/1544) (“the 1995 Regulations”).

The 1995 Regulations provide for the enforcement and execution of certain provisions of Council Regulation (EEC) No. 1907/90 (OJ No. L173, 6.7.90, p.5) and Commission Regulation (EEC) No. 1274/91 (OJ No. L121, 16.5.91, p.11) relating to marketing standards for eggs and Regulation (EEC) No. 2782/75 of the Council (OJ No. L282, 1.11.75, p.100) and Commission Regulation (EEC) No. 1868/77 (OJ No. L209, 17.8.77, p.1) relating to the production and marketing of eggs for hatching and of farmyard poultry chicks. Since the 1995 Regulations were last amended Commission Regulation (EEC) No. 1274/91 has been repealed and replaced by Commission Regulation (EC) No. 2295/2003 (OJ No. L340, 24.12.2003, p.16). This has itself since been amended. Council Regulation (EEC) No. 1907/90, Council Regulation (EEC) No. 2782/75 and Commission Regulation (EEC) No. 1868/77 have also been amended. These Regulations amend the 1995 Regulations, by —

- (a) omitting regulations 7 and 7A (relating to the United Kingdom official mark); and
- (b) replacing the Schedule with an updated Schedule of Community provisions.

A full regulatory impact assessment has not been produced for this instrument because of time constraints.

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