#### STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

## 2020 No. 1637

# The Agricultural Products, Food and Drink (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2020

### PART 4

Amendment of subordinate legislation: amendments coming into force on IP completion day

#### **CHAPTER 2**

Amendment of subordinate legislation so far as it extends to Great Britain

#### The Spirit Drinks Regulations 2008

- 10.—(1) The Spirit Drinks Regulations 2008 are amended as follows.
- (2) In regulation 1—
  - (a) in the heading, for "and commencement" substitute ", commencement and extent";
  - (b) number the existing paragraph as paragraph (1);
  - (c) after paragraph (1) (as numbered by sub-paragraph (b)), insert—
    - "(2) They extend to Great Britain.".
- (3) In regulation 3(1)—
  - (a) in the definition of "food authority" omit sub-paragraph (b);
  - (b) in the definition of "registered geographical indication", for the words from "Annex" to "any" substitute "the";
  - (c) in the definition of "relevant court", for sub-paragraphs (c) and (d) substitute—
    - "(a) in relation to England and Wales, a magistrates' court;
    - (b) in relation to Scotland, a sheriff;".
- (4) In regulation 5—
  - (a) in paragraph (1)—
    - (i) after "responsible" insert "in Great Britain";
    - (ii) after "market", in both places it occurs, insert "in Great Britain";
    - (iii) for "technical file (if any)" substitute "GB product specification".
- (5) In regulation 6—
  - (a) in paragraph (1) omit "Article 24(1) of";
  - (b) in paragraph (2)—
    - (i) omit "Article 24(1) of";
    - (ii) for the words from "being" to the end substitute—

#### "being-

- (a) imported into, or exported from, Great Britain;
- (b) moved into Great Britain from Northern Ireland;
- (c) moved from Great Britain into Northern Ireland";
- (c) in paragraph (4), for the words from "being" to the end substitute—

#### "being-

- (a) imported into, or exported from, Great Britain;
- (b) moved into Great Britain from Northern Ireland;
- (c) moved from Great Britain into Northern Ireland".
- (6) In regulation 7(2), for the words from "being" to the end substitute—

#### "being-

- (a) imported into, or exported from Great Britain;
- (b) moved into Great Britain from Northern Ireland;
- (c) moved from Great Britain into Northern Ireland".
- (7) In regulation 10—
  - (a) for paragraph (2) substitute—
    - "(2) The authorised officer may take with them such other person as they consider necessary.";
  - (b) omit paragraph (14);
  - (c) for paragraph (15) substitute—
    - "(15) In this regulation, a reference to a justice of the peace includes, in Scotland, a reference to the sheriff.".
- (8) For regulation 12(16) substitute—
  - "(16) The procedure in a magistrates' court under this regulation is by way of complaint, and, in England and Wales, the Magistrates' Courts Act 1980 applies to the proceedings.".
- (9) For regulation 14(2) substitute—
  - "(2) The procedure on an appeal to a magistrates' court under paragraph (1) is by way of complaint, and in England and Wales, the Magistrates' Courts Act 1980 applies to the proceedings."

#### The Wine Regulations 2011

- 11.—(1) The Wine Regulations 2011 are amended as follows.
- (2) For any reference to "European Regulations" substitute "retained EU Regulations".
- (3) After regulation 1(3) insert—
  - "(4) All the other provisions extend to Great Britain.".
- (4) In regulation 2—
  - (a) in paragraph (1)(a), for "EU instruments" substitute "any of the Regulations listed in the definition of "the retained EU Regulations" in paragraph (2)";
  - (b) in paragraph (2)—
    - (i) in the definition of "the Agency", in sub-paragraph (a), for ", Wales and Northern Ireland" substitute "and Wales";

- (ii) omit the definition of "premises" and after the definition of "authorised officer" insert—
  - ""premises" includes any land or vehicle;".
- (5) In regulation 3—
  - (a) for paragraph (1) substitute—
    - "(1) The local authority enforces the retained EU Regulations in relation to retail sale.";
  - (b) omit paragraphs (4) and (8).
  - (c) after paragraph (9) insert—
    - "(10) In this regulation—
      - (a) "general customs official" means a general customs official designated under section 3(1) of the Borders, Citizenship and Immigration Act 2009(1);
      - (b) "local authority" means an authority (other than the council of a non-metropolitan district) that is a food authority for the purposes of the Food Safety Act 1990(2).".
- (6) In regulation 4—
  - (a) in paragraph (1)—
    - (i) at the beginning insert "In respect of Great Britain,";
    - (ii) omit ", and acts as the Member State for,";
  - (b) in paragraph (2)—
    - (i) in sub-paragraph (a)(i) omit "or Member State";
    - (ii) omit sub-paragraph (b);
  - (c) in paragraph (3) omit sub-paragraph (b).
- (7) For regulation 8(4) substitute—
  - "(4) An authorised officer entering any premises by virtue of this regulation or regulation 9 may be accompanied by such other person as the officer considers necessary.".
- (8) In regulation 9—
  - (a) in paragraph (1), in the words before sub-paragraph (a) omit the words from "or in Northern" to "writing,";
  - (b) for paragraph (5) substitute—
    - "(5) In this regulation, in Scotland, a reference to a justice of the peace includes a sheriff.".
- (9) In regulation 16(2) omit sub-paragraph (d).

#### The Quality Schemes (Agricultural Products and Foodstuffs) Regulations 2018

- **12.**—(1) The Quality Schemes (Agricultural Products and Foodstuffs) Regulations 2018 are amended as follows.
  - (2) In regulation 1—
    - (a) in the heading, for "and commencement" substitute ", commencement and extent";

<sup>(1) 2009</sup> c. 11.

<sup>(2) 1990</sup> c. 16; section 5 of the Act was amended by paragraph 16(1) of Schedule 9 to the Local Government (Wales) Act 1994 (c. 19), paragraph 163(2) of Schedule 13 to the Local Government etc. (Scotland) Act 1994 (c. 39), paragraphs 7, 8 and 9 of Schedule 5 to the Food Standards Act 1999 (c. 28) and Part 1 of Schedule 3 to the Public Health etc. (Scotland) Act 2008 (asp 5).

- (b) number the existing paragraph as paragraph (1);
- (c) after paragraph (1) (as numbered by sub-paragraph (b)) insert—
  - "(2) The following provisions extend to Great Britain—
    - (a) this Part and Parts 2 to 4;
    - (b) regulations 22 and 23.".
- (3) In regulation 2(1)(b), for "in regulation 3(2)(c)(iv)" substitute "where otherwise specified".
- (4) For regulation 3(2) substitute—
  - "(2) The Secretary of State is responsible for exercising the functions of the designated authority for the purposes of Articles 13(3), 24(2) and 34.".
- (5) For regulation 6(4) substitute—
  - "(4) For the purposes of these Regulations any authority (other than the council of a non-metropolitan district) that is a food authority for the purposes of the Food Safety Act 1990 is eligible for appointment as an enforcement authority.".
- (6) In regulation 10—
  - (a) in paragraph (4)—
    - (i) for the first comma substitute "or";
    - (ii) omit "or lay magistrate in Northern Ireland";
    - (iii) for ", sheriff or lay magistrate," substitute "or sheriff";
  - (b) for paragraph (8)(a) substitute—
    - "(a) be accompanied by such other persons as the authorised officer considers necessary;".
- (7) In regulation 12—
  - (a) in paragraph (1)—
    - (i) for sub-paragraph (a) substitute—
      - "(a) has marketed, or is marketing or intending to market, a product—
        - (i) under a registered PDO or PGI which has not been labelled in a way described in Article 12 of Regulation 1151/2012 as read with Article 16(4) of that Regulation and Article 2 of, and the Annex to, Regulation 664/2014(3), or
        - (ii) under a registered TSG which has not been labelled in a way described in Article 23 of Regulation 1151/2012 as read with Article 25(4) of that Regulation and Article 2 of, and the Annex to, Regulation 664/2014;".
    - (ii) in sub-paragraph (j), for the words from "or (3)" to "2 of" substitute "to (3) of Regulation 668/2014(4) as read with Article 2 of, and the Annex to,";
  - (b) in paragraph (2)(e), for ", 16 or, as the case may be, 17" substitute "or 16 as the case may be";
  - (c) in paragraph (3), for "to 17" substitute "and 16".

<sup>(3)</sup> EUR 2014/664. Prospective amendments were included in S.I. 2019/865. They would have come into force on IP completion day. Those prospective amendments are omitted by regulation 6 of this instrument and replaced, in relation to Great Britain, on IP completion day with the amendments in regulation 22 of, and Schedule 5 to, this instrument.

<sup>(4)</sup> EUR 2014/668. Prospective amendments were included in S.I. 2019/865. They would have come into force on IP completion day. Those prospective amendments are omitted by regulation 6 of this instrument and replaced, in relation to Great Britain, on IP completion day with the amendments in regulation 23 of, and Schedule 6 to, this instrument.

- (8) In regulation 13—
  - (a) in paragraph (3)(e), for ", 16 or, as the case may be, 17" substitute "or 16 as the case may be";
  - (b) in paragraph (4), for "to 17" substitute "and 16".
- (9) In regulation 14—
  - (a) in paragraph (4)(c)(i), for ", 16 or, as the case may be, 17" substitute "or 16 as the case may be";
  - (b) in paragraph (5), for "to 17" substitute "and 16".
- (10) Omit regulation 17.
- (11) In regulation 20, in the words before sub-paragraph (a), for "to 17" substitute "and 16".
- (12) Omit regulation 21.
- (13) In regulation 22—
  - (a) in paragraph (1)—
    - (i) in sub-paragraph (a), after "years" insert "in Great Britain";
    - (ii) in sub-paragraph (b), for "national opposition procedure" substitute "opposition procedure referred to in Article 51";
  - (b) in paragraph (2), for the words from "Secretary" to the end substitute "registration takes effect".