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AGRICULTURE

**Marketing of Poultry and Eggs (Metrication) Regulations
(Northern Ireland) 1979**

Made 28th November 1979

Coming into operation 1st January 1980

The Department of Agriculture, in exercise of the powers conferred on it by Article 20 of the Agriculture (Miscellaneous Provisions) (Northern Ireland) Order 1977(a) and of every other power enabling it in that behalf, after consultation with such organisations as appear to it appropriate as representing any interests concerned, hereby makes the following regulations:—

Citation and commencement

1. These regulations may be cited as the Marketing of Poultry and Eggs (Metrication) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1979 and shall come into operation on 1st January 1980.

Adoption of metric units

2. In the enactments listed in the first column in the Schedule the units of measurement set out in the second column shall be replaced by the units of measurement set out in the third column.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Agriculture for Northern Ireland on 28th November 1979.

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S. R. Armstrong
Assistant Secretary

SCHEDULE

<i>Enactment</i>	<i>Existing Units</i>	<i>Substituted Units</i>
Marketing of Poultry Act (Northern Ireland) 1949 c. 14 (N.I.)		
Section 5	Imperial standard pounds Imperial standard ounces	kilogrammes grammes
Marketing of Eggs Rules (Northern Ireland) 1966 S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1966 No. 150		
Regulation 41(3)	0° (Zero) Fahrenheit	minus 18° celsius

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Regulations, but is intended to indicate their general purport.)

These regulations substitute metric units for imperial units in enactments relating to the marketing of poultry and eggs.