

SCHEDULE 3

Regulation 12

Special identification mark for untreated meat from restricted animals and Newcastle disease restricted poultry

1. The identification mark for untreated meat from restricted animals must be—
 - (a) a diagonal cross, superimposed on the health mark or identification mark applied under article 5 of Regulation (EC) 853/2004 of the European Parliament and of the Council laying down specific hygiene rules for food of animal origin⁽¹⁾ or article 4 of Commission Regulation (EC) No. 2076/2005 laying down transitional arrangements for the implementation of Regulation (EC) No. 853/2004, (EC) No.854/2004 and (EC) No.882/2004 of the European Parliament and of the Council and amending Regulations (EC) No. 853/2004 and (EC) No. 854/2004⁽²⁾, consisting of two straight lines intersecting at the centre of the stamp and enabling the information on the existing mark to remain legible, or
 - (b) a single oval stamp, 6.5 cm wide and 4.5 cm high, upon which the following information is legible:
 - [^{F1}(i) on its upper part the letters UK(NI);]
 - (ii) in the centre, the approval number of the slaughterhouse or game handling establishment;
 - (iii) on the lower part, the letters EC;
 - (iv) two straight lines crossing at the centre of the stamp in such a way that the information is not obscured;
 - (v) information which identifies the veterinarian who inspected the meat.

Textual Amendments

- F1** Sch. 3 para. 1(b)(i) substituted (31.12.2020) by The Agriculture, Animals and Aquaculture (Health, Identification, Welfare, Trade etc.) (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2020 (S.R. 2020/324), regs. 1(3), 13

Commencement Information

- I1** Sch. 3 para. 1 in operation at 21.11.2008, see reg. 1

2. If the single oval stamp referred to in paragraph (1)(b) is used—
 - (a) the letters must be at least 0.8 cm high;
 - (b) the figures must be at least 1 cm high; and
 - (c) the application of the mark must be supervised by a veterinary inspector.

Commencement Information

- I2** Sch. 3 para. 2 in operation at 21.11.2008, see reg. 1

3. Restricted meat from poultry must be marked with an identification mark which is—

(1) OJ No.L 226, 25.6.2004, p.22
(2) OJ No.L 338, 22.12.2005, p.83

Changes to legislation: The Products of Animal Origin (Disease Control) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2008, SCHEDULE 3 is up to date with all changes known to be in force on or before 14 September 2024. There are changes that may be brought into force at a future date. Changes that have been made appear in the content and are referenced with annotations. (See end of Document for details) View outstanding changes

^{F2}(a) ^{F3} ...

- (b) the mark described in the Annex to Commission Decision [2007/118/EC](#) laying down detailed rules in relation to an alternative identification mark pursuant to Council Directive [2002/99/EC](#)(**3**)

Textual Amendments

- F2** Sch. 3 para. 3(a) omitted (11.4.2019) by virtue of [The Animal Health and Welfare \(Amendment\) Regulations \(Northern Ireland\) 2019 \(S.R. 2019/82\)](#), reg. 1, **Sch. 3 para. 31(a)**
- F3** Word in Sch. 3 para. 3 omitted (11.4.2019) by virtue of [The Animal Health and Welfare \(Amendment\) Regulations \(Northern Ireland\) 2019 \(S.R. 2019/82\)](#), reg. 1, **Sch. 3 para. 31(b)**

Commencement Information

- I3** Sch. 3 para. 3 in operation at 21.11.2008, see [reg. 1](#)

4. The identification mark may be applied according to the methods in paragraphs 9, 10, 11 and 13 of section 1 (c) of Annex II to Regulation EC No. 853/2004 laying down specific hygiene rules for food of animal origin(**4**)

Commencement Information

- I4** Sch. 3 para. 4 in operation at 21.11.2008, see [reg. 1](#)

(3) OJ No.L 51, 20.02.2007, p.19
(4) OJ No.L 226, 25.06.2004, p.22

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- Sch. 3 para. 1(b)(iii) omitted by [S.I. 2019/111 reg. 12\(3\)](#) (This amendment not applied to [legislation.gov.uk](#). Reg. 12(3) revoked immediately before IP completion day by [S.R. 2020/324](#), reg. 1(2), Sch.)

Changes and effects yet to be applied to the whole Rule associated Parts and Chapters:

Whole provisions yet to be inserted into this Rule (including any effects on those provisions):

- Sch. 3 para. 3A inserted by [S.R. 2009/229 reg. 15](#)
- reg. 3(9) inserted by [S.R. 2009/229 reg. 4\(b\)](#)
- reg. 9(6)(7) inserted by [S.R. 2009/229 reg. 6\(c\)](#)
- reg. 11(3) inserted by [S.R. 2009/229 reg. 7\(b\)](#)
- reg. 16(2A) inserted by [S.R. 2009/229 reg. 11\(g\)](#)
- reg. 19(4) inserted by [S.R. 2009/229 reg. 12](#)