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STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

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**2003 No. 383**

**Honey Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2003**

**Transitional provisions**

**11.** In any proceedings for an offence under these Regulations it shall be a defence for the person charged to prove that –

- (a) the food concerned was marked or labelled before 1st August 2004; and
- (b) the matters constituting the alleged offence would not have constituted an offence under the Honey Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1976 as they stood immediately before the coming into operation of these Regulations.