
EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Regulations)

These Regulations transpose Council [Directive 2001/114/EC](#) relating to certain partly or wholly dehydrated preserved milk for human consumption (OJ No L 15, 17.1.02, p 19). They also revoke and replace the Condensed Milk and Dried Milk Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2003 ([SR 2003 No.300](#)) and revoke the Condensed Milk and Dried Milk (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2008 ([SR 2008 No.42](#)) and Schedule 7 paragraphs 18 and 19 of the Food Hygiene Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2006 ([SR 2006 No.3](#)).

The Regulations—

- (a) define condensed milk and dried milk products and the reserved descriptions that apply to them (regulation 2 and Schedules 1 and 2);
- (b) prohibit the labelling with reserved descriptions of food other than the designated condensed and dried milk products to which they relate (regulation 3);
- (c) set out the labelling requirements for designated condensed and dried milk products (regulation 4);
- (d) set out the manner of marking or labelling the designated condensed and dried milk products with the particulars required by regulation 4 (regulation 5);
- (e) apply certain provisions of the Food Safety (Northern Ireland) Order 1991 ([S.I. 1991/762 \(N.I.7\)](#) as amended) with modifications. This includes the application of Article 9(1) (with modifications) and (2), enabling an improvement notice to be served to require compliance with regulations 3, 4 or 5. The provisions, as applied, make the failure to comply with an improvement notice an offence (regulation 6 and Schedule 3);
- (f) impose an obligation on district councils to enforce these Regulations (regulation 7); and
- (g) revoke previous Regulations, as set out above (regulation 8).

Changes to legislation:

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the The Condensed Milk and Dried Milk Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2018.