

value of his scholarship as calculated in accordance with Paragraph 3 then the value thus calculated shall be increased, subject to a maximum of £75, for each year of age by which he exceeds 25 at the same 31st August, by £15.

7. Personal income of a mature scholar for the purpose of Paragraph 3 shall be income accruing during the academic year in respect of which the award is being assessed.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

These Regulations provide for increases in the scholarships payable to students following teacher-training courses.

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FOOD AND DRUGS

Composition and Labelling

Preservatives in Milk

REGULATIONS, DATED 29TH AUGUST, 1962, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNDER SECTIONS 20 AND 68 OF THE FOOD AND DRUGS ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1958.

The Ministry of Health and Local Government in exercise of the powers conferred upon it by Sections 20 and 68 of the Food and Drugs Act (Northern Ireland), 1958(a), having consulted with such organisations as appear to it to be representative of interests substantially affected by these regulations, hereby makes the following regulations:—

Citation and commencement

1. These regulations may be cited as the Milk (Preservatives) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1962, and shall come into operation on the 19th day of November, 1962.

Interpretation

2.—(1) In these regulations—

“deterioration”, in relation to food, means deterioration due to the action of bacteria, yeasts or moulds;

“milk” means milk intended for sale or sold for human consumption, or intended for manufacture into products for sale for human consumption, and includes skimmed milk but does not include cream, dried milk or condensed milk;

“preservative” means any substance which is capable of inhibiting, retarding or arresting the process of fermentation, acidification or other deterioration of food or of masking any of the evidence of putrefaction but does not include—

(a) 1958. c. 27.

- (a) common salt (sodium chloride);
 - (b) lecithin, sugars or tocopherols;
 - (c) nicotinic acid or its amide;
 - (d) vinegar or acetic acid, lactic acid, ascorbic acid, citric acid, malic acid, phosphoric acid, polyphosphoric acid or tartaric acid or the calcium, potassium or sodium salts of any of the acids specified in this sub-paragraph;
 - (e) glycerol, alcohol or potable spirits, iso-propyl alcohol, propylene glycol, monoacetin, diacetin or triacetin;
 - (f) herbs or hop extract;
 - (g) spices or essential oils when used for flavouring purposes;
- “skimmed milk” includes separated milk or machine-skimmed milk, partly skimmed, separated or machine-skimmed milk and butter milk.

(2) For the purposes of these regulations, the supply of food, otherwise than by sale, at, in or from any place where food is supplied in the course of a business shall be deemed to be a sale of that food.

(3) These regulations shall not apply to any milk intended for exportation to any place outside the United Kingdom.

Prohibition of sale of milk containing preservative

3.—(1) No person shall add any preservative to milk.

(2) No person shall sell any milk to which any preservative has been added.

Penalties

4. If any person contravenes or fails to comply with any of the provisions of these regulations he shall be guilty of an offence and shall be liable on summary conviction—

- (a) to a fine not exceeding one hundred pounds or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding three months, or to both such fine and such imprisonment; and
- (b) in the case of a continuing offence, to a further fine not exceeding five pounds for each day during which the offence continues after conviction.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Health and Local Government for Northern Ireland this 29th day of August, nineteen hundred and sixty-two.

(L.S.)

Wm. J. Morgan,
Minister of Health and Local Government.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

These regulations prohibit the addition of any preservative to milk and the sale of any milk to which such an addition has been made.