
SCOTTISH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2003 No. 293

The Fruit Juices and Fruit Nectars (Scotland) Regulations 2003

Transitional provision

9. In any proceedings for an offence under these Regulations it shall be a defence for the accused to prove that—

- (a) the food concerned was marked or labelled before 12th July 2004; and
- (b) the matters constituting the alleged offence would not have constituted an offence under the Fruit Juices and Fruit Nectars (Scotland) Regulations 1977(1) if those Regulations had been in force when the food was marked or labelled.

(1) S.I.1977/1026, amended by S.I. 1977/1833, 1981/1320, 1982/1619, 1983/270, 1985/1068, 1990/2625, 1991/1284 and 1476, 1992/2596, 1995/236, 3124, 3187 and 3267, 1996/1499, 1997/1413, and 1999/1136.