



Food Act 1984

1984 CHAPTER 30

[^{F1}PART I

FOOD GENERALLY

Composition and labelling of food

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Regulations as to describing food.

- (1) The Ministers may make regulations for imposing requirements as to, and otherwise regulating—
- (a) the labelling, marking or advertising of food intended for sale for human consumption; and
 - (b) the descriptions which may be applied to such food.
- This provision is without prejudice to section 6.
- (2) Regulations made under this section—
- (a) may apply to cream, and to any food containing milk (but shall not otherwise apply to milk);
 - (b) may provide for any purpose authorised by paragraph (c) of section 4(1) in the case of regulations under that section.

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Textual Amendments

- F1** Pts. I, II (ss. 1–49) repealed (E.W.) (with savings for ss. 15 and 21) by [Food Safety Act 1990 \(c. 16, SIF 53:1, 2\)](#), ss. 54, 59, [Sch. 4 paras. 7, 8](#), [Sch. 5](#) (but (3.4.1992) as regards ss. 16–20; [S.I. 1992/57, art. 2](#) and not coming into force as regards s.13 so far as it relates to the Food Hygiene (Amendment) Regulations 1990 until either 1.4.1991 or 1.4.1992 as mentioned in [S.I. 1990/2372](#))
- F2** [S. 7](#): Pts. I, II (ss. 1–49) repealed (E.W.) (with savings for ss. 15 and 21) by [Food Safety Act 1990 \(c. 16, SIF 53:1, 2\)](#), ss. 54, 59, [Sch. 4 paras. 7, 8](#), [Sch. 5](#) but (*prosp.*) as regards ss. 16–20, and not

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coming into force as regards s. 13 so far as it relates to the Food Hygiene (Amendment) Regulations 1990 until either 1.4.1991 or 1.4.1992 as mentioned in [S.I. 1990/2372](#)).

F3 [S. 7\(3\)](#) repealed (N.I.) (4.11.1991) by [S.I. 1991/762](#), art. 51(4), [Sch.4](#); [S.R. 1991/175](#), art. 2(2).

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