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## STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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# 1977 No. 932

## The Measuring Container Bottles (EEC Requirements) Regulations 1977

PROSPECTIVE

### Defences

**12.** Where an offence under Regulation 10(1)(a) or 10(1)(b) is alleged to have been committed it shall be a defence for any person charged with the offence to prove that he took all reasonable precautions and exercised all due diligence to avoid the commission of the offence.

### Commencement Information

**11** [Reg. 12](#) in operation at 29.6.1977, see [reg. 1](#)

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- [reg. 12 coming into force by S.I. 1977/932 reg. 1](#)

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- [Blanket amendment words substituted by S.I. 2011/1043 art. 3-68-10](#)

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- [Sch. para. 1\(c\) inserted by S.I. 2020/1460 Sch. 2 para. 1\(2\)\(a\)](#)
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- [Sch. 1 Sch. renumbered as Sch. 1 by S.I. 2019/696 Sch. 4 para. 10](#)
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- [reg. 2\(1A\)\(1B\) inserted by S.I. 2019/696 Sch. 4 para. 2\(3\)](#)
- [reg. 5\(2A\) inserted in earlier amending S.I. 2019/696, Sch. 4 para. 5 by S.I. 2020/1460 Sch. 3 para. 4\(2\)\(b\)](#)
- [reg. 5\(2A\) words substituted by S.I. 2021/1273 reg. 8Sch. 2 para. \(a\)](#)
- [reg. 5\(2A\) words substituted by S.I. 2022/1393 reg. 3Sch. 2 para. \(a\)](#)
- [reg. 7A inserted by S.I. 2019/696 Sch. 4 para. 7](#)
- [reg. 7B7C inserted in earlier amending provision S.I. 2019/696, Sch. 4 para. 7 by S.I. 2020/1460 Sch. 3 para. 4\(3\)](#)
- [reg. 7B\(1\) words substituted by S.I. 2021/1273 reg. 7Sch. 1 para. \(a\)](#)
- [reg. 7B\(1\) words substituted by S.I. 2022/1393 reg. 2Sch. 1 para. \(a\)](#)