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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**1991 No. 2564**

**CUSTOMS AND EXCISE**

**The Spirits Regulations 1991**

*Made - - - - 11th November 1991*

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*Coming into force 1st January 1992*

**THE SPIRITS REGULATIONS 1991**

**PART I**

Preliminary

1. Citation, commencement and revocation
2. Application
3. Interpretation

**PART II**

Approval of plant and processes and entry of premises

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5. Entry of premises
6. Variations to plant or processes
7. Examination of plant
8. General provisions as to plant

**PART III**

Conduct of processes

9. Special conditions and requirements
10. Distillation periods
11. Produce of distillation periods
12. Provisions as to wort or wash etc.
13. Sugar
14. Gravity of wort or wash
15. Ascertainment of original gravity after fermentation has commenced (1st method)

*Status: This is the original version (as it was originally made).*

16. Ascertainment of original gravity after fermentation has commenced (2nd method)

PART IV

Taking account of spirits produced

17. Taking account
18. Ascertainment of strength of spirits
19. Ascertainment of volume of spirits
20. Application of regulations 18 and 19

PART V

Distillers' records

21. Entry books
22. Notice of commencement of process
23. Preservation and production of records
24. Requirements in respect of distillation periods
25. Quarterly distillery returns

PART VI

Warehousing

26. Warehousing  
Signature

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SCHEDULE 1 — REVOCATIONS

SCHEDULE 2 — TABLE FOR DETERMINING THE ORIGINAL GRAVITY OF WORT AT 20°C

Explanatory Note