#### WELSH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

# 2004 No. 554 (W.57) FOOD, WALES

# The Miscellaneous Food Additives (Amendment) (Wales) Regulations 2004

Made - - - - 2nd March 2004
Coming into force - - 5th March 2004

The National Assembly for Wales in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 16(1)(a), 17(1), 26(1) and (3) and 48(1) of, and paragraph 1 of Schedule 1 to, the Food Safety Act 1990 M1 and now vested in the Assembly M2 and having had regard in accordance with section 48(4A) of that Act, to relevant advice given by the Food Standards Agency and after consultation as required by article 9 of Regulation (EC) No. 178/2002 of the European Parliament and of the Council laying down the general principles and requirements of food law, establishing the European Food Safety Authority and laying down procedures in matters of food safety M3 and in accordance with section 48(4) and (4B) of that Act, makes the following Regulations:

# **Marginal Citations**

M1 1990 c. 16.

M2 Functions of "the Ministers" so far as exercisable in relation to Wales were transferred to the National Assembly for Wales by the National Assembly for Wales (Transfer of Functions) Order 1999 (S.I. 1999/672) as read with section 40(3) of the Food Standards Act 1999 (1999 c. 28).

**M3** OJ No. L31, 1.2.2002, p.1.

#### Title, commencement and application

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Miscellaneous Food Additives (Amendment) (Wales) Regulations 2004, shall apply to Wales only and shall come into force on 5th March 2004.

### Amendment of the Miscellaneous Food Additives Regulations 1995

**2.** In Schedule 3 to the Miscellaneous Food Additives Regulations 1995 <sup>M4</sup>, in the entry for E425 for the words in the third column of that entry, there shall be substituted the words "Foods in general (except those referred to in Schedules 6, 7 and 8, and jelly confectionery, including jelly mini-cups)".

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Marginal Citations
M4 S.I. 1995/3187, amended by S.I. 1997/1413, S.I. 1999/1136, S.I. 2001/1787 (W.128), S.I. 2002/329 (W.42) and S.I. 2003/945 (W.126).
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#### **Consequential amendments**

- **3.**—(1) Paragraph (2) of regulation 3 (consequential amendments) of the Miscellaneous Food Additives (Amendment) (Wales) Regulations 2003 M5 shall be omitted.
- (2) In the Regulations listed below, in so far as they apply to Wales, references to the Miscellaneous Food Additives Regulations 1995 shall be construed as references to those Regulations as amended by the Miscellaneous Food Additives (Amendment) Regulations 1997 M6, the Miscellaneous Food Additives (Amendment) Regulations 1999 M7, the Coffee Extracts and Chicory Extracts (Wales) Regulations 2001 M8, the Miscellaneous Food Additives (Amendment) (Wales) Regulations 2001 M9 the Sweeteners in Food (Amendment) (Wales) Regulations 2001 M10, the Colours in Food (Amendment) (Wales) Regulations 2001 M11, the Miscellaneous Food Additives (Amendment) (Wales) Regulations 2002 M12, the Sweeteners in Food (Amendment) (Wales) Regulations 2003 M14, the Sweeteners in Food (Amendment) (Wales) Regulations 2003 M15, the Specified Sugar Products (Wales) Regulations 2003 M16, the Fruit Juices and Fruit Nectars (Wales) Regulations 2003 M17, the Condensed Milk and Dried Milk (Wales) Regulations 2003 M18, the Cocoa and Chocolate Products (Wales) Regulations 2003 M19, the Honey (Wales) Regulations 2003 M18, the Jam and Similar Products (Wales) Regulations 2004 M21 and these Regulations:

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the Mineral Hydrocarbons in Food Regulations 1966 M22;
the Food Additives Labelling Regulations 1992 M23;
the Food Labelling Regulations 1996 M24;
the Meat Products and Spreadable Fish Products Regulations 1984 M25.
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Marginal Citations
 M5
       S.I. 2003/945 (W.126).
       S.I. 1997/1413.
 M7
       S.I. 1999/1136.
 M8
       S.I. 2001/1440 (W.102).
       S.I. 2001/1787 (W.128).
 M10 S.I. 2001/2679 (W.220).
 M11 S.I. 2001/3909 (W.321).
 M12 S.I. 2002/329 (W.42).
 M13 S.I. 2002/330 (W.43).
 M14 S.I. 2003/945 (W.126).
 M15 S.I. 2003/1713 (W.181).
 M16 S.I. 2003/3047 (W.290).
 M17 S.I. 2003/3041 (W.286).
 M18 S.I. 2003/3053 (W.291).
 M19 S.I. 2003/3037 (W.285).
 M20 S.I. 2003/3044 (W.288).
 M21 S.I. 2004/553 (W.56)
 M22 S.I. 1966/1073; the relevant amending instrument is S.I. 1995/3187.
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Status: Point in time view as at 05/03/2004.

Changes to legislation: There are currently no known outstanding effects for the The Miscellaneous Food Additives (Amendment) (Wales) Regulations 2004 (revoked). (See end of Document for details)

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M23 S.I. 1992/1978; the relevant amending instrument is S.I. 1995/3187.
M24 S.I. 1996/1499; to which there are amendments not relevant to these Regulations.
M25 S.I. 1984/1566; the relevant amending instrument is S.I. 1995/3187.
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Signed on behalf of the National Assembly for Wales under section 66(1) of the Government of Wales Act 1998 M26.

2nd March 2004

D. Elis-Thomas
The Presiding Officer of the National Assembly

Marginal Citations M26 1998 c. 38.

#### EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Regulations)

- **1.** These Regulations, which apply to Wales only, amend the Miscellaneous Food Additives Regulations 1995, as already amended ("the principal Regulations") which apply to the whole of Great Britain.
- **2.** These Regulations implement European Parliament and Council Directive 2003/52/EC<sup>M27</sup> amending Directive 95/2/EC<sup>M28</sup> as regards the conditions of use for a food additive E425 Konjac.

#### **Marginal Citations**

**M27** OJ No. L178, 17.7.2003, p.23.

**M28** OJ No. L61, 18.3.1995, p.1.

- **3.** These Regulations provide for E425 Konjac to be used in Foodstuffs in general (except in certain foods as are specified in the principal Regulations) but not in jelly confectionery. Jelly confectionery includes jelly mini-cups.
- **4.** A regulatory impact assessment has not been prepared in respect of these Regulations as the instrument will have no effect on the costs of business. A transposition note setting out how the main elements of Directive 2003/52 are transposed in these regulations has been prepared and placed in the library of the National Assembly for Wales. Copies may be obtained from the Food Standards Agency, 11th Floor Southgate House, Wood Street, Cardiff, CF10 1EW.

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