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**FOOD AND DRUGS****Miscellaneous Amendments**

REGULATIONS, DATED 27TH SEPTEMBER 1973, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES UNDER SECTION 68 OF THE FOOD AND DRUGS ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1958.

The Ministry of Health and Social Services, on behalf of the Secretary of State and in exercise of the powers conferred upon it by section 68 of the Food and Drugs Act (Northern Ireland) 1958(a), having consulted with such organisations as appear to it to be representative of interests substantially affected by these regulations, hereby makes the following regulations:—

*Citation and commencement*

1. These regulations may be cited as the Food and Drugs (Miscellaneous Amendments) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1973, and shall come into operation on 1st October 1973.

*Amendment of regulations*

2. The regulations mentioned in columns 1 and 2 of the Schedule shall have effect subject to the modifications and repeals specified in column 3.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Health and Social Services for Northern Ireland this 27th day of September 1973.

(L.S.)

*G. Buchanan,*  
Assistant Secretary.

## SCHEDULE

## Modifications and repeals

Column 1 <i>Statutory Rules and Orders</i>	Column 2 <i>Relevant provision</i>	Column 3 <i>Modification</i>
Condensed Milk Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1961 S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1961, No. 31	Regulation 8	For "health authority" substitute "district council".
Skimmed Milk with Non-Milk Fat Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1961 S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1961, No. 190	Regulation 7(2)	For "health authority" substitute "district council".
Emulsifiers and Stabilisers in Food Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1962 S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1962, No. 90	Regulation 9(3)	For "health authority" substitute "district council".
Preservatives in Food Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1962 S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1962, No. 173.	Regulation 8(2)	For "health authority" substitute "district council".
Slaughterhouses (Hygiene) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1963 S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1963, No. 162	Regulation 2  Regulation 20(1) and (2)	For "health authority" substitute "district council".  For the words "medical officer of the health authority" substitute "the chief administrative medical officer of the Health and Social Services Board".
Soft Drinks Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1964 S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1964, No. 94	Regulation 16(2)	For "health authority" substitute "district council".

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Food Hygiene (General) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1964  S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1964, No. 129.	Regulation 2(1)	For the definition of "hospital" substitute— " "hospital" means any institution for the reception and treatment of persons suffering from illness, any maternity home, any institution for the reception and treatment of persons during convalescence or persons requiring medical rehabilitation, any institution for providing dental treatment and maintained in connection with a dental school, and clinics, dispensaries and out-patient departments maintained in connection with any such institution or home;"
	Regulation 10(1)—proviso	For the words "appropriate medical officer of health accordingly" there shall be substituted "chief administrative medical officer of the Health and Social Services Board within whose area the food business is situated".
	Regulation 10(2)	Delete.
	Regulation 36(1)(2) (3) and (4)	For "health authority" substitute "district council".
Bread and Flour Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1964  S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1964, No. 172	Regulation 32(2)	For "health authority" substitute "district council".
Dried Milk Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1965  S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1965, No. 44	Regulation 6(2)	For "health authority" substitute "district council".