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Education (Nutritional Standards for School Lunches) (England) Regulations 2006

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1. Structured Information Line

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2. Member State

United Kingdom

3. Department Responsible

Department of Trade and Industry: Standards and Technical Regulations Directorate

3. Originating Department

Department for Education and Skills

4. Notification Number

2006/0261/UK – C50A



5. Title

Education (Nutritional Standards for School Lunches) (England) Regulations 2006

6. Products Concerned

Food and drink in school lunches

7. Notification Under Another Act

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8. Main Content

These draft regulations set out the nutritional standards for food and drink that must apply to school lunches in all local authority maintained primary and secondary schools in England from September 2006.

9. Brief Statement of Grounds

The nutritional standards for school lunches are a key element of the Government's programme to improve the quality of food provided in schools. Better food in schools will make a major contribution to improving the health of children and young people. Healthier food in schools will also help stop the rise in obesity in children and young people which is a Government target (Public Service Agreement) shared between the Department for Education and Skills and the Department of Health. Heart disease, stroke, joint problems and type 2 diabetes are all direct effects of obesity which has increased in children aged 2 to 10 years from 9.6% in 1995 to 13.7% in 2003.

10. Reference Documents - Basic Texts

a) New nutritional standards for school lunches and other school food were announced by the Government on 19 May 2006 in the attached document – "Nutritional Standards for School Lunches and Other School Food". Annex A of that document sets out the standards that will be covered by these Regulations.

11. Invocation of the Emergency Procedure

No

12. Grounds for the Emergency

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13. Confidentiality

No

14. Fiscal measures

No

15. Impact assessment

The impact assessment is attached.



16. TBT and SPS aspects

TBT Aspect

No

The draft does not have a significant effect on international trade.

SPS Aspect

No

The draft is not a sanitary or phytosanitary measure in the sense of Annex A of the SPS Agreement.

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