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## **The Fertilisers (Mammalian Meat and Bone Meal) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1996**

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Invocation of the Emergency Procedure : Yes

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#### 2. Member State

United Kingdom



### 3. Department Responsible

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### 3. Originating Department

Department of Agriculture Northern Ireland

### 4. Notification Number

96/0369/UK

### 5. Title

The Fertilisers (Mammalian Meat and Bone Meal) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1996

### 6. Products Concerned

Mammalian meat and bone meal in agricultural fertiliser

### 7. Notification Under Another Act

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### 8. Main Content

The draft Regulations amend the Fertilisers (Mammalian Meat and Bone Meal) (Northern Ireland) Regulations 1996, by replacing the definition of mammalian meat and bone meal (MBM) in those Regulations with a definition which is more precise.

### 9. Brief Statement of Grounds

The Spongiform Encephalopathy Advisory Committee (SEAC) advised on the measures needed to minimise any theoretical risk to the public from BSE. The proposed amendment provides for a more precise definition of MBM, which widens the scope of the material caught by the definition, although only marginally.

### 10. Reference Documents - Basic Texts

The Fertilisers (Mammalian Meat and Bone Meal) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1996.

### 11. Invocation of the Emergency Procedure

Yes

### 12. Grounds for the Emergency

These Regulations were drafted and sent out for consultation in accordance with Section 84 of the Agriculture Act 1970 on 7 August 1996 comments were invited by 28 August 1996. The Regulations need to be enacted without delay because they further increase the assurance of protection of the public against the theoretical risks of BSE.

### 13. Confidentiality



No

**14. Fiscal measures**

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