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Weights and Measures (Prescribed Stamp)(Amendment) Regulations

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5. Title

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6. Products Concerned

Weighing or measuring equipment, in particular capacity measures of plastic, which are required to be passed as fit for use for trade and stamped under the Weights and Measures Act 1985.

7. Notification Under Another Act

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8. Main Content

The proposed Regulations will amend the Weights and Measures (Prescribed Stamp) Regulations 1968 to

(a) prescribe the stamp which is to be affixed to weighing or measuring equipment which has been passed as fit for use for trade by any person (not only inspectors of weights and measures as currently authorised) authorised to stamp such equipment by or under section 11 of the Weights and Measures Act 1985; and

(b) remove the requirement for a date mark on capacity measures of plastic, so that these measures are treated the same as those of glass, earthenware and enamelled metal.

The UK will fulfil its obligation under Article 12 of Directive 83/189/EEC (as amended) when these Regulations are published.

9. Brief Statement of Grounds

The proposed amending Regulations are needed to prescribe the stamp to be used by any authorised person and not to restrict that prescription to only inspectors of weights and measures; and to apply the same stamping requirements to capacity measures of plastic as already apply to measures of other materials.

10. Reference Documents - Basic Texts

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Weights and Measures (Prescribed Stamp) Regulations 1968, SI



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11. Invocation of the Emergency Procedure

No

12. Grounds for the Emergency

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13. Confidentiality

No

14. Fiscal measures

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