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Education (Nutritional Standards for School Food) (England) Regulations 2007

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Message

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No abre el plazo - Nezahajuje odklady - Fristerne indledes ikke - Kein Fristbeginn - Viivituste perioodi ei avata - Καμμία έναρξη προθεσμίας - Does not open the delays - N'ouvre pas de délais - Non fa decorrere la mora - Neietekmē atlikšanu - Atidėjimai nepradedami - Nem nyitja meg a késéseket - Ma' jiftaħx il-perijodi ta' dawmien - Geen termijnbegin - Nie otwiera opóźnień - Nao inicia o prazo - Neotvorí oneskorenia - Ne uvaja zamud - Мääräaika ei ala tästä - Inleder ingen frist - Не се предвижда период на прекъсване - Nu deschide perioadele de stagnare - Nu deschide perioadele de stagnare.

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1. Structured Information Line

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2. Member State

UK

3. Department Responsible

Department of Trade and Industry: Standards and Technical Regulations Directorate

3. Originating Department

Department for Education and Skills

4. Notification Number

2007/0226/UK - C50A

5. Title

Education (Nutritional Standards for School Food) (England) Regulations 2007

6. Products Concerned

Food and drink provided in school lunches and at times 'other than lunch' e.g. breakfast and after-school clubs, vending machines, tuck-shops.

7. Notification Under Another Act

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8. Main Content

The technical regulations set out: 'food based' standards for school lunches (interim) and other school food and drink that must apply in all local authority maintained primary and secondary schools in England from September 2007; final food based and nutrient based standards for school lunches will come into force no later than September 2008 in primary schools and 2009 in secondary schools.

9. Brief Statement of Grounds

The nutritional standards for school food are a key element of the Government's programme to improve the quality of food and drink 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

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. 2006/0261/UK

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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