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THE PLASTIC MATERIALS AND ARTICLES IN CONTACT WITH FOOD (SCOTLAND) REGULATIONS 2008

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SCHEDULE 1 Supplementary Provisions Relating to Annexes II and III In Sections A and B of Annexes II and III...

- 2. If a substance appearing in the Annexes as an individual...
- 3. (1) The items identified in Section A or B of...
- 4. In the case of substances listed in Section B of...
- 5. Where an entry in column 4 of the Annexes (restrictions...

SCHEDULE 2 Provisions Applicable when Testing Compliance with the Migration Limits

- 1. General Provisions
- 2. Where any migration test specified in this Schedule and, where...
- 3. (1) Subject to sub paragraph (2), any testing of migration...
- 4. (1) Any sample of plastic material or article shall be...
- 5. Where a plastic material or article is intended to come...
- 6. Special provisions relating to the fat reduction factor
- 7. (1) Correction by the FRF does not apply-
- 8. If use of the FRF under paragraph 6 or 7(2)...

- 9. Special provisions relating to the correction of specific migration in stimulant D
- 10. Special provisions relating to overall migration
- 11. (1) Where a plastic material or article is intended to...
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- 1. Subject to paragraphs 2, 3 and 4 of this Part,...
- 2. Subject to paragraphs 3 and 4 of this Part, substitute...
- 3. Subject to paragraph 4 of this Part, alternative tests as...
- 4. In migration testing it is permissible to–

PART 2 Food Simulants to be used in Migration

- Testing
- 1. Subject to Parts 3, 4, 5 and 7, the simulants...
- 2. For the purposes of this Schedule a reference to an...
- 3. The characteristics of rectified olive oil referred to in the...
- 4. The fatty food simulants referred to in the Table are-...
- 5. Where fatty food simulant specified in paragraph 4 is used...

PART 3 Selection of Food Simulants

- 1. Testing, reduction factors and definition of food types
- 2. (1) Where a test is carried out on a plastic...
- 3. Food types are defined in Table 1 as follows- Table...
- 4. Selection of simulants for testing materials and articles intended for contact with all food types
- 5. Selection of simulants for testing materials and articles which are already in contact with a known food
- 6. Selection of simulants for testing materials and articles which are accompanied by a specific indication
- 7. The simulant or simulants to be used in testing a...
- 8. A specific indication referred to in paragraph 7 is expressed...
 - PART 4 Simulants to be used in relation to a Specific Food or Group of Foods
- 1. For the purposes of this Schedule a simulant is specified...
- For the purposes of this Schedule a simulant is specific 2. For the purposes of this Part– (a) a reduction factor...
- Where a reduction factor is specified in the Table in...
- Where a reduction factor is specified in the rable in...
 (1) Where the letter "a" is shown in brackets after...
- 5. Where a food is listed in the Table under both...
 - PART 5 Migration Test Conditions (Times and Temperatures)
- 1. General criteria
- 2. Where the plastic material or article being tested is intended...
- 3. For the purposes of this Part the worst foreseeable conditions...
- 4. Volatile migrants
- 5. Special cases
- 6. Where the carrying out of a migration test under contact...
- 7. Where, in actual use, the plastic material or article being...
- 8. The Table to this part shall be read with the...

PART 6 Substitute Fat Test for Overall and Specific

- Migration
- 1. Subject to paragraphs 2, 4 and 5, all the test...

- 2. Test conditions other than those specified in the Table to...
- 3. For each test- (a) a new test specimen shall be...
- 4. Where carrying out a migration test causes any physical or...
- 5. Any test conditions in the Table to this Part which...
- 6. The Table to this part shall be read with the...

PART 7 Alternative Fat Tests for Overall and Specific Migration

- 1. Subject to paragraph 2 of this Part the conditions which...
- 2. The condition in paragraph 1(a) does not have to be...
- The migration tests referred to in paragraphs 2 and 3...
 SCHEDULE 4 Information to be contained in a declaration of compliance
- 1. The identity and address of the business operator which manufactures...
- 2. The identity of the materials, the articles or the substances...
- 3. The date of the declaration.
- 4. Confirmation that the plastic materials or articles meet relevant requirements...
- 5. Adequate information relative to the substances used for which restrictions...
- 6. Adequate information relative to the substances which are subject to...
- 7. Specifications on the use of the material or article, such...
- 8. Confirmation that, when a plastic functional barrier is used in... Explanatory Note