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FOOD AND DRUGS

LABELLING—SCOTLAND

The Skimmed Milk with Non-Milk Fat (Scotland) (Amendment) Regulations 1966

Made - - -	*21st July* 1966
Laid before Parliament	*2nd August* 1966
Coming into Operation	*3rd August* 1966

In exercise of the powers conferred upon me by sections 7 and 56 of the Food and Drugs (Scotland) Act 1956(a), and of all other powers enabling me in that behalf, and after consultation with such organisations as appear to me to be representative of interests substantially affected by these regulations and after reference to the Scottish Food Hygiene Council under section 25 of the said Act (insofar as the regulations relate to the labelling, marking or description of food), I hereby make the following regulations:—

Commencement and Interpretation

1.—(1) These regulations shall come into operation on the 3rd August 1966, and may be cited as the Skimmed Milk with Non-Milk Fat (Scotland) (Amendment) Regulations 1966.

(2) The Interpretation Act 1889(b) shall apply for the interpretation of these regulations as it applies for the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

Amendment of Principal Regulations

2. The Skimmed Milk with Non-Milk Fat (Scotland) Regulations 1960(c) shall have effect as though for paragraph 5 of Part II of schedule 2 thereto the following paragraph were substituted:—

"5. S.M.A. shall contain—

(*a*) if sold in powder form—
- (i) not less than 11.6 per cent. of protein derived from milk;
- (ii) not less than 27.0 per cent. of fat;
- (iii) 92 $\pm$ 28 international units of vitamin D per ounce;
- (iv) not less than 321 international units of vitamin A per ounce whether present as such or as its esters;
- (v) not less than 11.5 mg. of ascorbic acid per ounce; or

(*b*) if sold in liquid form—
- (i) not less than 2.6 per cent. of protein derived from milk;
- (ii) not less than 6.2 per cent. of fat;
- (iii) 22.5 $\pm$ 7.0 international units of vitamin D per fluid ounce;
- (iv) not less than 140 international units of vitamin A per fluid ounce whether present as such or as its esters;
- (v) not less than 2.8 mg. of ascorbic acid per fluid ounce."

William Ross,
One of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.

St. Andrew's House,
Edinburgh, 1.
21st July 1966.

(a) 1956. c. 30. (b) 1889. c. 63. (c) S.I. 1960/2437 (1960 II, p. 1491).

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the regulations.)

These regulations amend and extend schedule 2 to the Skimmed Milk with Non-Milk Fat (Scotland) Regulations 1960 to exempt S.M.A. sold in liquid as well as in powder form from the requirement of regulation 3(1) of those regulations, that labels on containers should bear the words "UNFIT FOR BABIES" (or "NOT TO BE USED FOR BABIES").