STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS.

S.I. No. 278 of 2019

EUROPEAN UNION (PLASTICS AND OTHER MATERIALS) (CONTACT WITH FOOD) (AMENDMENT) REGULATIONS 2019
I, MICHAEL CREED, Minister for Agriculture Food and the Marine, in exercise of the powers conferred on me by section 3 of the European Communities Act 1972 (No. 27 of 1972), for the purpose of giving full effect to Commission Regulation (EU) 2018/831 of 5 June 2018 and Commission Regulation (EU) 2019/37 of 10 January 2019, hereby make the following Regulations:

1. These Regulations may be cited as the European Union (Plastics and other materials) (Contact with food) (Amendment) Regulations 2019.

2. The European Union (Plastics and other materials) (Contact with food) Regulations 2017 are amended—

(a) in Regulation 2 (1) by the substitution, for the definition of “Plastics Regulation” (inserted by the European Union (Plastics and other materials) (Contact with Food) (Amendment) Regulations 2018), of—


Notice of the making of this Statutory Instrument was published in “Iris Oifigiúil” of 28th June, 2019.
(b) by the substitution, in Regulation 4 (12) (inserted by the European Union (Plastics and other materials) (Contact with Food) (Amendment) Regulations 2018), for “5 years” of “3 years”, and

(c) by the substitution, in Regulation 13 (1) (inserted by the European Union (Plastics and other materials) (Contact with Food) (Amendment) Regulations 2018), for “5 years” of “3 years”.

GIVEN under my Official Seal,

MICHAEL CREED,
Minister for Agriculture, Food and the Marine.
EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the instrument and does not purport to be a legal interpretation).

These Regulations amend the European Union (Plastics and other materials) (Contact with food) Regulations 2017 to take account of developments at EU level.