

FOOD (ISSUANCE OF HEALTH CERTIFICATE FOR EXPORT OF FISH AND FISH PRODUCT TO THE EUROPEAN UNION) (AMENDMENT) REGULATIONS 2010

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IN exercise of the powers conferred by section 34 of the **Food Act 1983**[*Act 281*], the Minister makes the following regulations:

1. Citation and commencement

(1) These regulations may be cited as the **Food (Issuance of Health Certificate for Export of Fish and Fish Product to the European Union) (Amendment) Regulations 2010**.

(2) These regulations come into operation on 19 March 2010.

2. Amendment of regulation 4

The **Food (Issuance of Health Certificate for Export of Fish and Fish Product to the European Union) Regulations 2009**[*P.U. (A) 92/2009*], which are referred to as the "principal Regulations" in these Regulations, are amended in regulation 4 by substituting for subregulation (2) the following subregulation:

"(2) The applicant under subregulation (1) shall make a declaration that:-

(a) he has obtained his supply of fish from, or his supply of fish product from fish supplied by an owner of a culture system or fishing vessel in respect of which a fish quality certificate under the **Fisheries (Quality Control of Fish for Export to the European Union) Regulations 2009**[*P.U. (A) 91/2009*] has been issued and is still valid; and

(b) he has complied with the European Union requirements in relation to the fish and fish product that:-

(i) the fish is supplied by an owner of a fishing vessel which has been landed in a landing site which is in compliance with the European Union requirements;

(ii) the fish and semi-processed fish product is obtained from an independent refrigerated store or processing premises which is in compliance with the European Union requirements;

(iii) the imported raw materials of fish and fish product is obtained from sources approved by the European Union which shall be accompanied by a health certificate issued by the competent authority of the exporting country;

(iv) the ice used in the transportation or processing of fish and fish product is obtained from ice producing premises which is in compliance with the European Union requirements;

(v) the vehicle used in transporting the fish and fish product or ice is in compliance with the European Union requirements; or

(vi) the processing or preparation of the fish and fish product is carried out in an export premises which is in compliance with European Union requirements."