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FOOD, DRUGS AND DRINKING WATER ACT, 1972 (ACT NO. XL OF 1972)

Bakeries (Use of Fuel) Regulations, 1989

IN exercise of the powers conferred by section 16 of the Food, Drugs and Drinking Water Act, 1972, the Minister for Social Policy, on the advice of the Council of Health, has made the following regulations:—

Citation.

1. These regulations may be cited as the Bakeries (Use of Fuel) Regulations, 1989.

Interpretation.

2. In these regulations, unless the context otherwise requires, "bakery" includes a bakehouse or any similar establishment by whatever name called.

Permissible fuel.

3. No person shall, in preparing food for sale for human consumption by cooking, baking or applying any other form of heat treatment in any bakery —

(a) use any fuel other than lead-free fuel supplied by the Enemalta Corporation or by any other approved agent for such purposes; or

(b) use any such fuel as referred to in paragraph (a) above after it had already been used for any purpose other than cooking or baking or heat treatment in any bakery; or

(c) use any wooden material containing any paint thereon.

Keeping of prohibited fuel.

4. (1) The licensee of any bakery or any baker shall not keep or permit to be kept at a bakery, or in its immediate precincts, any prohibited scrap wooden material, or any fuel which had been used for purposes other than the cooking or baking of food, or any other fuel which is otherwise prohibited under these regulations.

(2) The presence of any wooden material or prohibited fuel inside or in the immediate precints of a bakery shall be deemed as if the wood or fuel was being kept by the licensee or by a baker for use as fuel for cooking, baking or other form of heat treatment, unless he can prove that he had taken adequate steps to inform the public that he no longer requested the supply of such wood or fuel, that he had not actually taken in or used such wood or fuel at his bakery, and that he had immediately informed the Police authorities of his finding such wood or fuel in the immediate precincts of his bakery.

Prohibited sales.

5. No person may sell, offer, expose, advertise for sale, or supply by way of compensation or otherwise, any food which has been cooked, baked or had any other form of heat treatment applied to it contrary to the provisions of these regulations.

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