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**CERTIFICATES OF APPOINTMENT OF INSPECTORS  
REGULATIONS**

**Subsidiary  
1978/013**

Regulations made under s.24.

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**(LN. 1978/013)**

**9.2.1978**

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Title.

1. These regulations may be cited as the Certificates of Appointment of Inspectors Regulations.

### **Interpretation.**

2. In these Regulations –

“certificate” means a certificate of appointment as an inspector;

“inspector” means an inspector of weights and measures appointed under section 17 of the Act.

### **Certificate of appointment.**

3.(1) Certificates shall be issued by the Consumer Protection Officer.

(2) The form of certificate for inspectors shall be that set out in the Schedule.

### **Surrender of certificate.**

4.(1) If the holder of a certificate ceases to be an inspector he shall, within seven days of such cessation, or on the requirement of the Consumer Protection Officer, whichever shall be the earlier, surrender his certificate to the Consumer Protection Officer.

(2) The Consumer Protection Officer may at any time, whether or not the holder of a certificate has ceased to be an inspector, require the holder of the certificate to surrender such certificate for withdrawal and the holder of the certificate so required shall surrender his certificate to the Consumer Protection Officer forthwith.

(3) A person who neglects or fails to comply with any of the provisions of this regulation is guilty of an offence and is liable on summary conviction to a fine of £25.

### **Offences.**

5. A person who–

- (a) uses a certificate for any purpose not being the person to whom such certificate was issued;

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- (b) being the holder of a certificate, knowingly uses such certificate for any purpose other than for the purposes of the Act ;
- (c) having ceased to be an inspector, uses a certificate for any purpose whether or not at the time of such use he is guilty of an offence under regulation 4; or
- (d) having been required to surrender his certificate by the Consumer Protection Officer, fails to do so,

is guilty of an offence and is liable on summary conviction to imprisonment for three months and to a fine of £100.

**Consent of Attorney-General.**

6. No prosecution for an offence against these Regulations shall be commenced without the consent in writing of the Attorney-General.

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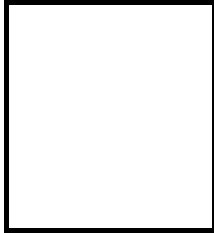
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SCHEDULE

Section 3(2).

WEIGHTS AND MEASURES ACT.

This is to certify that



.....  
(whose photograph is affixed hereto)

has been appointed as an Inspector of Weights  
and Measures under section 17 of the Weights  
and Measures Act.

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Signature of Holder.

Consumer Protection Officer.