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S. I. NUMBER	TITLE	ACT	EFFECT	DATE COMING INTO FORCE
2020/484	<u>The Consumer Protection (Enforcement) (Amendment etc.) Regulations 2020</u>	Enterprise Act 2002 and European Communities Act 1972	<p>This instrument implements Regulation (EU) 2017/2394 of the European Parliament and of the Council on cooperation between national authorities responsible for the enforcement of consumer protection laws and repealing Regulation (EC) 2006/2004 (“the new CPC Regulation”) into UK law, where such implementation is necessary.</p> <p>While the new CPC Regulation is directly applicable in the UK, this instrument ensures that it operates correctly. It ensures that competent authorities have, in domestic law, the investigation and enforcement powers necessary to perform the functions required by the new CPC Regulation. The instrument ensures that those powers can be exercised in relation to EU laws (as implemented in domestic law) which have been brought in scope of the CPC Regulation for the first time. The UK is required to implement the CPC Regulation because the Regulation came into force on 17th January 2020 when the UK was still a member of the EU.</p>	02/06/2020

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2020/485	<u>The Ecodesign for Energy-Related Products (Amendment) Regs 2020</u>	European Communities Act 1972	Ecodesign requirements set minimum energy efficiency requirements for energy using products. New and updated EU ecodesign requirements for external power supplies (e.g. laptop chargers) which the UK agreed and voted in favour of in January 2019 have applied in the UK since 1 April 2020, repealing and replacing the previous external power supplies requirements. The purpose of the Ecodesign for Energy-Related Products (Amendment) Regs 2020 ("the 2020 Regs") is to amend the Ecodesign for Energy-Related Products Regs 2010 ("the 2010 Regs") so that the UK Market Surveillance Authority can enforce the new ecodesign requirements for external power supplies in the UK.	26/05/2020
2020/541	<u>The Food Information (Amendment) (England) Regulations 2020</u>	Food Safety Act 1990 and European Communities Act 1972	This instrument makes provision to enforce Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) No 2018/775 by introducing offences and penalties relating to food information provided to consumers in England. Specifically, it enforces Article 26.3 of Regulation (EU) No 1169/2011 of the European Parliament and of the Council ("the EU Regulation"). Article 26.3 requires either the indication of the country of origin of the primary ingredient, or the indication that the country of origin is different, when it is different from the given origin of the food.	18/06/2020

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2020/586	<u>The Weights and Measures Act 1985 (Definitions of 'Metre' and 'Kilogram') (Amendment) Order 2020</u>	Weights and Measures Act 1985	This Order amends the definitions of the metre and the kilogram in Schedule 1 to the Weights and Measures Act 1985, to come into force on 13th June 2020. It completes the UK implementation of Commission Directive 2019/1258, thereby ensuring definitions of units forming part of the International System of Units (SI units) are consistent across UK legislation. The Commission Directive amends Council Directive 80/181/EEC, which defines the units of measurement to be used in the European Union and, by virtue of the Withdrawal Agreement, the UK, reflecting new international definitions adopted under the International System of Units. This Order is associated with the Weights and Measures Act 1985 (Amendment) and Units of Measurement Regs 1986 (Amendment) Regs 2019 (SI 2019/1211), which also implements the Commission Directive and also comes into force on 13 th June 2020.	13/06/2020
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