

THE AGRICULTURAL PRODUCE (GRADING AND MARKING)  
(CANNED FRUITS) (AMENDMENT) REGULATIONS, 1935,  
DATED JULY 15, 1935, MADE BY THE MINISTER OF  
AGRICULTURE AND FISHERIES AS TO GRADE DESIGNA-  
TIONS AND GRADE DESIGNATION MARKS FOR CANNED  
FRUITS.

1935 No. 750

18 & 19 Geo. 5. c. 19. In exercise of the powers conferred on him by the Agricultural Produce  
21 & 22 Geo. 5. c. 40. (Grading and Marking) Acts, 1928 and 1931, the Minister of Agriculture  
and Fisheries hereby makes the following Regulations :—

Definitions of quality. 1. The First Schedule to the Agricultural Produce (Grading and Marking) (Canned Fruits) Regulations, 1934,(a) shall be read and have effect as if the amendments and additions described in the Schedule hereto were inserted in and formed part of the first mentioned Schedule.

Grade designation marks. 2. In any certificate issued by the National Mark Committee under the Agricultural Produce (Grading and Marking) (General) Regulations, 1928,(b) authorizing the marking of containers of canned fruits with the grade designation marks prescribed by the Agricultural Produce (Grading and Marking) (Canned Fruits) Regulations, 1934, references to the latter shall be construed as references to the said Regulations as hereby amended.

Date of coming into operation. 3. These Regulations shall come into operation on the 15th July, 1935, but without prejudice to anything done under the Agricultural Produce (Grading and Marking) (Canned Fruits) Regulations, 1934, before the coming into operation of these Regulations.

Short title. 4. These Regulations may be cited as the Agricultural Produce (Grading and Marking) (Canned Fruits) (Amendment) Regulations, 1935.

In witness whereof the Official Seal of the Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries is hereunto affixed this fifteenth day of July, 1935.

(L.S.)

Charles J. H. Thomas,  
Secretary.

SCHEDULE

AMENDMENTS AND ADDITIONS TO THE FIRST SCHEDULE OF THE AGRICULTURAL PRODUCE (GRADING AND MARKING) (CANNED FRUITS) REGULATIONS, 1934.

Part 1(a) : *General Characteristics applicable to all Fruits.*

The words "of good flavour," shall be inserted in line 4 after the words "of good and generally uniform colour".

(a) S.R. & O. 1934 No. 719, p. 443 above.

(b) S.R. & O. 1928 No. 674, p. 391 above.

*Agricultural Produce (Grading and Marking) (Canned Fruits)*

*Part 1(b) : Special Characteristics of Particular Fruits.*

The following additional requirement shall be inserted in the third column :—

“Canned fruits bearing any one of the grade designations specified in the Table hereto shall have weights, as ascertained immediately after the contents of the can have been allowed to drain for five minutes on a fine sieve, or widest transverse diameters, such as to show that the weights or widest transverse diameters of the raw fruit at the time of packing were not less than the appropriate minimum specified in the Table hereto.”

TABLE

Grade Designation	Minimum for Individual Fruits	
	Weight	Widest Transverse Diameter
Select Strawberries ... ..	$\frac{3}{16}$ ths. ounce*	—
Select Dessert Gooseberries ... ..	—	$\frac{3}{8}$ ths. inch
"    "    Golden Plums ... ..	}	1 $\frac{3}{16}$ ths. inches
"    "    Victoria Plums ... ..		
"    "    Red Plums ... ..		
"    "    Purple Plums ... ..		
"    "    Greengages ... ..		
"    "    Victoria Plums (Halves) ... ..		
"    "    Damsons ... ..	}	$\frac{1}{16}$ ths. inch
"    "    Cherries ... ..		
Select Morello (or Morella) Cherries		

\* This minimum shall not be applicable to Select Strawberries packed in "Picnic" cans.

*Part 2 : Approved Varieties of Fruit.*

The following additional varieties of fruit shall be included :—

Apples ... ..	Wellington
Gooseberries ... ..	Whitesmith