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The Food Labelling Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1996 - Low Alcohol Descriptors

Status: Closed
Date launched: 18 April 2018
Closing date: 11 July 2018

Consultation target audience

Alcohol industry, healthcare professionals, heath education bodies, enforcement officers, charities, consumer groups and other interested stakeholders who may have an interest in the policy and legislation on food labelling. This consultation applies to Northern Ireland only. Similar consultations will be carried out in England, Scotland and Wales.

Consultation subject

We welcome stakeholders' views on how best to continue to communicate information to the public about low alcohol products, so that adults can make informed choices when they purchase drinks, including alcohol.

Consultation purpose

This consultation provides interested parties with an opportunity to provide feedback on the proposals to use guidance rather than legislation, views on the current low alcohol descriptors and on whether to extend the range of descriptors to drinks above 1.2% ABV.

Consultation pack

Northern Ireland

PDF
[View Food Labelling Regulations Northern Ireland (1996) as PDF(Open in a new window)](#)
(174.77 KB)

Comments and views

All comments and views should be sent to:

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Publication of response summary

Within three months of a consultation ending we aim to publish a summary of responses received and provide a link to it from this page.

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Further information

This consultation has been prepared in accordance with [HM Government Consultation Principles](#). If an Impact Assessment has been produced, this is included in the consultation documents. If no Impact Assessment has been provided, the reason will be given in the consultation document.