

# Proposal to introduce rules for indicating the country of origin or place of provenance of the primary ingredient of a food

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## Summary of responses

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### Who will this consultation be of most interest to?

Local Authorities and Food Business Operators in Wales selling pre-packed foods in cases where the country of origin or the place of provenance of the primary ingredient is not the same as that of the food.

### What is the subject of this consultation?

Draft Welsh Regulations are being prepared to provide for the enforcement of the directly applicable Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) No 2018/775 which lays down detailed rules requiring the country of origin or place of provenance of a primary ingredient to be indicated where it is not the same as the origin of the food as a whole. Implementing Regulation (EU) 2018/775 will have effect from 1 April 2020.

The EU Regulation builds on the general country of origin requirements in the EU Food Information to Consumer Regulation (EU) No 1169/2011.

### What is the purpose of this consultation?

To seek comments from industry, enforcement authorities, consumers and other interested stakeholders on a proposed statutory instrument that will provide for implementation and enforcement for Implementing Regulation (EU) 2018/775 on the rules for indicating the country of origin or place of provenance of the primary ingredient of a food.

## Consultation pack

### Wales

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## Comments and views

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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.