

**CONTROL OF GOODS (IMPORT OF RADIOACTIVE SUBSTANCES) REGULATIONS**

G.N. 76/1967

*under s. 3*

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Control of Goods (Import of Radioactive Substances) Regulations. Citation

2. In these Regulations, unless the context otherwise requires— Interpretation

“radioactive substance” means any substance which consists of or contains any radioactive chemical element whether natural or artificial and whose specific activity exceeds 0.002 of a microcurie per gramme of parent radioactive chemical element of substance and which has a total activity of more than 0.1 microcurie;

“appropriate designation”, in relation to a substance, constituent or ingredient, means the accepted scientific name or other name descriptive of the nature of the substance, constituent or ingredient.

3. The Minister may, by notice published in the Gazette, issue open import licences authorizing, subject to any other law, the import into Malawi of any radioactive substance. Open import licences

4. No person shall import into Malawi any radioactive substance unless— Restriction on import of radioactive substance

(a) he is authorized to do so in terms of an open import licence issued in terms of regulation 3; or

(b) he has obtained a licence to do so from the Secretary for Economic Affairs,

and there is clearly and legibly written on the container in which the substance is placed or on a label affixed thereto—

(i) the appropriate designation of the substance or of each of the active constituents thereof or of each of the ingredients of which it has been compounded; and

(ii) if the appropriate designation of each of the active constituents or the ingredients is written on the container or label, the appropriate quantitative particulars of such constituents or ingredients.

5. Applications for the issue of a licence in terms of regulation 4 (b) shall contain the following information— Application for licence

(a) name and address of the importers;

(b) purpose for which the radioactive substance is to be used (medical, research, industrial or educational);

(c) description of use to be made of radioactive substance;

(d) name and address of person or persons responsible for using radioactive substance;

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- (e) qualifications of person or persons responsible for using radioactive substance;
- (f) appropriate designation of radioactive substance;
- (g) physical state of radioactive substance (liquid, gas or solid);
- (h) activity in millicuries on arrival in Malaŵi;
- (i) radiation at surface of the container;
- (j) whether source of radiation is sealed or unsealed;
- (k) type of radiation;
- (l) half-life;
- (m) place of origin, e.g. Harwell, etc.;
- (n) port and date of arrival in Malaŵi;
- (o) mode of transport and number of vehicle if by road;
- (p) address of place where radioactive substance is to be used;
- (q) proposed means of final disposal.

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**CONTROL OF GOODS (IMPORT AND EXPORT)  
(COMMERCE) REGULATIONS**

**CONTROL OF GOODS (IMPORT OF COSMETICS)  
ORDER**

*under reg. 3*

*of the Control of Goods (Import and Export) (Commerce)  
Regulations*

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| Citation                            | <b>1.</b> This Order may be cited as the Control of Goods (Import of Cosmetics) Order.   |
| Interpretation                      | <b>2.</b> In this Order—<br>“cosmetic” means any skin care or skin lightening preparation and any complexion creams.   |
| Prohibition of imports of cosmetics | <b>3.</b> No person shall import into Malaŵi or sell or offer for sale or distribute or otherwise deal in—<br><ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) any cosmetic with a level of hydroquinone above 2 per cent mass to mass;</li> <li>(b) any cosmetic the use of which is prohibited, restricted or otherwise controlled in the country or export or manufacture;</li> <li>(c) any cosmetic, except in a properly sealed container on which there is marked, clearly and legibly in the English language—<br/> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) the ingredients contained in such cosmetic and the percentage or volume level of each of the ingredients;</li> </ul> </li> </ul> |