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Notice is hereby given that the Minister for Social and Family Affairs has made the following Regulations:

S.I. No. 552 of 2008.

**SOCIAL WELFARE (AGREEMENT WITH
 THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA ON SOCIAL SECURITY)
 ORDER 2008.**

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B. LACEY,
 Secretary General.

DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL AND FAMILY AFFAIRS.

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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORT
 AN ROINN IOMPAIR

S.I. No. 553 of 2008.

**MERCHANT SHIPPING (SAFETY CONVENTION)
 (COUNTRIES OF ACCEPTANCE) ORDER 2008.**

This Order lists countries and territories to which the International Convention for the Safety of Life at Sea, 1974 extends.

It replaces the Merchant Shipping (Safety Convention) (Countries of Acceptance) Order 1985 (S.I. No. 272 of 1985) and the Merchant Shipping (Safety Convention) (Countries of Acceptance) Order 1992 (S.I. No. 307 of 1992).

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JULIE O'NEILL,
 Secretary General.

Department of Transport.

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The Minister for Health and Children has made the following Statutory Instrument.

S.I. No. 554 of 2008.

**MEDICAL PRACTITIONERS ACT 2007
(COMMENCEMENT) (No. 3) ORDER 2008.**

(This note is not part of the instrument and does not purport to be a legal instrument).

The Order brings into operation, on 31 December 2008, certain provisions of the Medical Practitioners Act 2007, as amended by the Health (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 2007.

The provisions concerned allow for the dissolution of the Postgraduate Medical and Dental Board; the transfer of its staff, property and liabilities to the Health Service Executive; the assignment of certain functions relating to medical and dental education and training, and the repeal of certain related provisions in the Medical Practitioners Act 1978.

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The Minister for Health and Children has made the following Statutory Instrument.

S.I. No. 555 of 2008.

**MEDICAL PRACTITIONERS ACT 2007
(TRANSFER DAY) ORDER 2008.**

(This note is not part of the instrument and does not purport to be a legal instrument).

The Order provides for 1 January, 2009, to be the transfer day for the purposes of the dissolution of the Postgraduate Medical and Dental Board (the Board) in accordance with the provisions of the Medical Practitioners Act 2007, as amended by the Health (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 2007. The staff, property and liabilities of the Board and any contractual arrangements or legal matters of which the Board is a party will transfer to the Health Service Executive with effect from the transfer day.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE ENVIRONMENT, HERITAGE & LOCAL GOVERNMENT.

The Minister for the Environment, Heritage & Local Government has made the following Regulations:

S.I. No. 556 of 2008.

**WASTE MANAGEMENT (BATTERIES AND
ACCUMULATORS) (AMENDMENT)
REGULATIONS 2008.**

These Regulations transpose European Parliament and Council Directive 2008/103/EC of 19 November, 2008, amending Directive 2006/66/EC on batteries and accumulators and waste batteries and accumulators as regards placing batteries and accumulators on the market which amends European Parliament and Council Directive 2006/66/EC on batteries and accumulators and waste batteries and accumulators and repealing Directive 91/157/EEC.

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S.I. No. 557 of 2008.

**SHANNON TOWN BOUNDARY ALTERATION
ORDER 2008.**

S.I. No. 558 of 2008.

**SHANNON TOWN BOUNDARY ALTERATION
SUPPLEMENTARY ORDER 2008.**

The Minister for the Environment, Heritage and Local Government in exercise of the powers conferred on him by sections 3, 31(1) and 34 of the Local Government Act 1991 (No. 11 of 1991) has signed an Order to extend Shannon Town Council's administrative boundary with effect from 1 January 2009. The Order is accompanied by a Supplementary Order containing supplementary provisions.

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GERALDINE TALLON,
Secretary General,
Department of the Environment, Heritage and Local
Government.

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S.I. No. 559 of 2008.

NATIONAL BEEF ASSURANCE SCHEME ACT 2000
(APPROVAL) REGULATIONS 2008.

I, Brendan Smith, Minister for Agriculture, Fisheries and Food in exercise of the powers conferred on me by section 1(5) and 8(1) of the National Beef Assurance Scheme Act 2000 (No. 2 of 2000) as adapted by the Agriculture and Food (Alteration of Name of Department and Title of Minister) Order 2007 (S.I. No. 705 of 2007), hereby order as follows:

1. This Order may be cited as the National Beef Assurance Scheme Act 2000 (Approval) Order 2008.

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B. HICKEY,
Department of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food.

17 December, 2008.

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S.I. No. 564 of 2008.

EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES (MARKETING OF
VEGETABLE PROPAGATING AND PLANTING
MATERIAL, OTHER THAN SEED) (AMENDMENT)
REGULATIONS 2008.

Under the European Communities Act 1972 (No. 27 of 1972) the Minister for Agriculture, Fisheries and Food has made Regulations as above, dated 12 December, 2008.

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TOM MORAN,
Secretary General,
Department of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food,
Dublin 2.

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S.I. No. 565 of 2008.

EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES (PESTICIDE RESIDUES)
REGULATIONS 2008.

Under the European Communities Act 1972 (No. 27 of 1972) the Minister for Agriculture, Fisheries and Food has made Regulations as above, dated 12 December, 2008.

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TOM MORAN,
Secretary General,
Department of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food,
Dublin 2.

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GOVERNMENT NOTICE

The Minister for Enterprise, Trade and Employment, Mary Coughlan, T.D., has made the following Regulations:

S.I. No. 566 of 2008.

EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES (PREPACKED
PRODUCTS) REGULATIONS 2008.

These Regulations transpose Directive 2007/45/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 5 September, 2007, laying down rules on nominal quantities for prepacked products, repealing Council Directives 75/106/EEC and 80/232/EEC and amending Council Directive 76/211/EEC. The effect of the regulations is to deregulate from 11th April, 2009, almost all of the rules on nominal quantities for prepacked products. These rules are sometimes called range of sizes legislation and their purpose is to restrict the sizes in which certain products can be placed on the market. From 11th April, 2009, the only mandated sizes for products will be for those wines and spirits specified in the Annex to the Directive. As a consequence of this Directive, Orders made under the Merchandise Marks Act, 1970, which specify that certain products can only be placed on the market in certain nominal quantities will be revoked. The regulations come into operation on 11th April, 2009.

Copies of the Regulations may be purchased direct from the Government Publications Sale Office, Sun Alliance House, Molesworth Street, Dublin 2, or by mail order from Government Publications, Postal Trade Section, Unit 20, Lakeside Retail Park, Claremorris, Co. Mayo.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENTERPRISE, TRADE AND
EMPLOYMENT.

December 2008.

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GOVERNMENT NOTICE

The Tánaiste and Minister for Enterprise, Trade and Employment, Mary Coughlan, T.D., has made the following Order:

S.I. No. 567 of 2008.

MERCHANDISE MARKS ACT 1970 (PREPACKED
GOODS) (MARKING AND QUANTITIES)
(REVOCAATION) ORDER 2008.

This Statutory Instrument revokes all the Orders made under the Merchandise Marks Act, 1970 since 1973, which specify the nominal quantities for prepacked products. The present Order arises from the transposition of Directive 2007/45/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 5 September, 2007, laying down rules on nominal quantities for prepacked products, repealing Council Directives 75/106/EEC and 80/232/EEC and amending Council Directive 76/211/EEC. The effect of the Directive is to deregulate from 11th April, 2009, almost all of the rules on nominal quantities for prepacked products. These rules are sometimes called range of sizes legislation and their purpose is to restrict the sizes in which certain products can be placed on the market. From 11th April, 2009, the only mandated sizes for prepacked products will be for those wines and spirits specified in the Annex to the Directive. The Order comes into operation on 11th April, 2009.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENTERPRISE, TRADE AND
EMPLOYMENT.

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S.I. No. 570 of 2008.

AVIATION REGULATION ACT 2001 (LEVY No. 9)
REGULATIONS 2008.

The Commission for Aviation Regulation in exercise of the powers conferred on it by Section 23(1) of the Aviation Regulation Act 2001 (No. 1 of 2001) has made Regulations entitled Aviation Regulation Act 2001 (Levy No. 9) Regulations 2008.

These Regulations provide for the imposition of a levy on certain classes of undertaking for the purposes of meeting the expenses incurred by the Commission in the discharge of its functions under the Act.

Copies of the Regulations may be purchased from the Government Publications Sale Office, Sun Alliance House, Molesworth Street, Dublin 2, or from Postal Trade Section, Claremorris, Co. Mayo.

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BALLINASLOE TOWN COUNCIL
PARKING PLACES BYE LAWS AND CAR PARK
BYE LAWS 2008

Ballinasloe Town Council has made Bye-Laws under the Road Traffic Acts 1961-1994, to facilitate the introduction of Pay Parking in Ballinasloe. A copy of the Bye-Laws are available for public inspection free of charge at the offices of Ballinasloe Town Council, Civic Offices, Ballinasloe, Co. Galway, between the hours of 9.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. and 2.00 p.m. to 5.00 p.m. — Monday to Friday.

These Bye Laws will come into effect on 12th January, 2008.

A. FARRELL,
Town Clerk.

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