

Statutory Instrument No. 40 of 1985

CONTROL OF GOODS, PRICES AND OTHER CHARGES ACT
(Cap. 43:07)

**CONTROL OF GOODS (RESTRICTION ON IMPORTATION
OF WHEAT FLOUR) REGULATIONS, 1985**
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IN EXERCISE of the powers conferred on the Minister of Commerce and Industry by section 3 of the Control of Goods, Prices and Other Charges Act, the following Regulations are hereby made.

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| <p>1. These Regulations may be cited as the Control of Goods (Restriction on Importation of Wheat Flour) Regulations, 1985.</p> | <p>Citation</p> |
| <p>2. For the purposes of these Regulations "authorised officer" means the officer in the Ministry of Commerce and Industry who is charged with the responsibility of issuing permits for the importation of wheat flour into Botswana.</p> | <p>Person authorised to issue permits</p> |
| <p>3. (1) No person shall import wheat flour except under and in accordance with a written permit issued under these Regulations.</p> <p>(2) Notwithstanding the provisions of subregulation (1) an import permit shall not be required for the importation of wheat flour donated to the Botswana Government or any organisation or person for purposes of drought relief.</p> | <p>Restriction on importation of wheat flour</p> |
| <p>4. An application for a permit to import wheat flour shall be made to the authorised officer and such application shall contain such information and be accompanied by such documents as may be specified by the officer.</p> | <p>Application for import permit</p> |
| <p>5. Where the authorised officer is satisfied that an applicant for a permit under regulation 4 is a fit and proper person and that such person has complied with all the conditions specified for the issue of a permit he may authorise such person to import wheat flour on such conditions as may be specified in the permit.</p> | <p>Issue of import permit</p> |
| <p>6. Any person aggrieved by the refusal of the authorised officer to issue him with an import permit under these Regulations may appeal to the Permanent Secretary of the Ministry of Commerce and Industry whose decision thereon shall be final.</p> | <p>Appeal against refusal to issue import permit</p> |

Penalties 7. Any person who imports any wheat flour into Botswana without an import permit or contravenes any provision contained in a permit issued to him shall be guilty of an offence and on conviction thereof shall be liable to the penalties prescribed in section 5 of the Act.

MADE this 18th day of March, 1985.

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Minister of Commerce and Industry.

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