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RULE ADOPTIONS

**LAW AND PUBLIC SAFETY
DIVISION OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS
OFFICE OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES**

N.J.A.C. 13:47K

Notice of Extension of Chapter Expiration Date

Commodities in Package Form; Weights and Measures

Take notice that Governor Chris Christie has been informed by the Director of the Division of Consumer Affairs that the rules governing the sale and labeling of consumer and nonconsumer commodities, N.J.A.C. 13:47K, are due to expire on September 5, 2013, as provided in N.J.S.A. 52:14B-5.1 and N.J.A.C. 1:30-6.4.

The regulations at issue set forth requirements for the sale and labeling of consumer and nonconsumer commodities in accordance with Title 51 of the Revised Statutes. The Office of Weights and Measures enforces both the State and Federal packaging and labeling laws. Enforcement of these laws is necessary and important to provide a level playing field for merchants and consumers, protect our citizens, and recognize Federal uniformity to avoid any impediment to interstate commerce.

Therefore, on August 28, 2013, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 52:14B-5.1.d, Governor Chris Christie directed that the rules at N.J.A.C. 13:47K continue in effect beyond September 5, 2013 for a period of 270 days. This will extend the expiration date for the existing rules to June 2, 2014.