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An Act to secure the provision of free period products.

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Be it enacted by the Oireachtas as follows:

Short title, collective title and commencement

- 1. (1) This Act may be cited as the Free Provision of Period Products Act 2021.
 - (2) This Act shall come into operation on the day of its passing.

Interpretation

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2. In this Act, "period products" means manufactured articles the purpose of which is to absorb or collect menstrual flow.

Purpose of Act

3. Everyone who needs to use period products may obtain them free of charge.

The Period Products Scheme

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4. The Minister for Health may, by regulation, make a scheme to set out and regulate access to free period products by those who need access to such products.

Regulations

5. Every regulation made under this Act shall be laid before each House of the Oireachtas as soon as may be after it is made and, if a resolution annulling the regulation is passed by either such House within the next 21 days on which that House has sat after the regulation is laid before it, the regulation shall be annulled accordingly, but without prejudice to the validity of anything previously done under the regulation.

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