

# PREVENTION OF FOOD ADULTERATION (... AMENDMENT) RULES, 2006

MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE

(Department of Health)

## NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 19th January, 2006

**\*G.S.R. 27(E).**– The following draft of certain rules further to amend the Prevention of Food Adulteration Rules, 1955, which the Central Government, after consultation with the Central Committee for Food Standards, proposes to make, in exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of section 23 of the Prevention of Food Adulteration Act, 1954 (37 of 1954), is hereby published, as required by the said sub-section, for the information of all persons likely to be affected thereby, and notice is hereby given that the said draft rules will be taken into consideration after the expiry of a period of sixty days from the date on which copies of the Official Gazette in which this notification is published, are made available to the public;

Objections or suggestions, if any, may be addressed to the Secretary, Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Government of India, Nirman Bhavan, New Delhi-110 011.

The objection and suggestion which may be received from any person with respect to the said draft rules before the expiry of the period so specified will be considered by the Central Government;

### DRAFT RULES

1. (1) These rules may be called the **Prevention of Food Adulteration (.....Amendment) Rules, 2006**.

(2) They shall come into force on the date of their final publication in the Official Gazette.

2. In the Prevention of Food Adulteration Rules, 1955 (hereinafter referred to as said rules), in rule 42, in sub-rule (ZZZ) (2), after the words, "Acesulfame-K", the word "Sucralose" shall be inserted.

3. In the said rules, in rule 47, in the Table -

(a) against serial no.3, relating to Acesulfame Potassium, in the column 3 and 4, following entries shall be inserted after the existing entries, namely -

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3	4
Ready to serve tea and coffee based beverages	600 ppm
Ice lollies / ice candy	800 ppm

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(b) against serial no. 4, relating to sucralose, in the column 3 and 4, following entries shall be inserted after the existing entries, namely -

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3	4
Ready to serve tea and coffee based beverages	600 ppm
Ice lollies / ice candy	800 ppm

Vegetable juice	250 ppm
Vegetable nectar	250 ppm
Concentrates for vegetable juice	1250 ppm
Concentrate for vegetable nectar	1250 ppm

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4. In the said rules, in rule 49, after sub-rule (30), the following shall be inserted namely:-

"(31) No person shall sell any food product wherein artificial sweetener is permitted under PFA Rules, except under packed condition and as per the labelling requirements prescribed under rule 42 of PFA Rules, 1955".

5. In the said rules, in rule 64-B, for the serial number "35". Fruits and Vegetables products", the following shall be substituted, namely:-

"35. Fruits and Vegetables products except those where Monosodium Glutamate is permitted under Appendix - C of PFA Rules, 1955."

6. In the said rules, in the Appendix C,-

(a) in the Table 2, in the entry against serial no. C relating to preservatives, the entry under column 4 relating to "sweets", the words and figures "100 ppm maximum" shall be substituted with the following words and figures "1000 ppm maximum".

(b) in the Table 3, in the entry against serial no. 4 relating to Soups, Bullions and Taste Makers, under column 6 relating to flavour enhancer, the following shall be added after the existing entry, namely:-

"Di-Sodium 5 - Inosinate."

(c) in the Table 8, against serial no. G.5 relating Xanthan Gum, the entry under column for product "Tomato Puree & Paste", the following shall be inserted namely:-

"0.5 percent maximum"

(c) in the Table 8, after serial no. "I", the following shall be added namely:-

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Sl. No.	Name of Additives							Carbonated water, soft drink concentrate				
J	Sequesterant											
	Sodium hexa meta phosphate							1000 ppm maximum in carbonated water only				

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