

PREVENTION OF FOOD ADULTERATION

GSR 427(E)

-Notification (17th June 2009)

Whereas the draft of certain rules further to amend the Prevention of Food Adulteration Rules, 1955, were published, as required by the sub-section (1) of the section 23 of the Prevention of Food Adulteration Act, 1954 (37 of 1954), in the Gazette of India, Extraordinary, *vide* notification of the Government of India in the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare (Department of Health and Family Welfare), number G.S.R. 498(E), dated the 4th July, 2008, inviting objections and suggestions from all persons likely to be affected thereby before the expiry of sixty days from the date on which copies of the Official Gazette containing the said notification, were made available to the public;

And whereas, the copies of the said Gazette were made available to the public on the 8th July, 2008;

And whereas, objections or suggestions received from the public within the specified period on the said draft rules have been considered by the Central Government including the Expert Group constituted for validation of methods for estimation of pesticides in carbonated water;

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by section 23 of the Prevention of Food Adulteration Act, 1954 (37 of 1954), the Central Government, after consultation with the Central Committee for Food Standards, hereby makes the following rules further to amend the Prevention of Food Adulteration Rules, 1955, namely:

- (1) These rules may be called the **Prevention of Food Adulteration (First Amendment) Rules, 2009**.
- (2) They shall come into force on the date of their publication in the Official Gazette.

2. In the Prevention of Food Adulteration Rules, 1955, in rule 65, in sub-rule (2), in the table.-

(i) after serial number 4 and the entries relating thereto, the following serial number and entries relating thereto shall be inserted, namely:-

S.No.	Name of Insecticide	Food	Tolerance limit mg/kg (ppm)
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
“4(a)	D.D.T. (singly)	Carbonated Water	0.001
	D.D.D. (singly)	Carbonated Water	0.001
	D.D.E. (singly)	Carbonated Water	0.001”;

(ii) after serial number 9 and the entries relating thereto, the following serial number and entries relating thereto shall be inserted, namely:-

S.No.	Name of Insecticide	Food	Tolerance limit mg/kg (ppm)
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
“9(a)	Endosulfan A	Carbonated Water	0.001
9(b)	Endosulfan B	Carbonated Water	0.001
9(c)	Endosulfan-Sulphate	Carbonated Water	0.001”;

(iii) against serial number 15, in column (2),-

(a) against sub-heading (a) relating to Alfa (α) isomer, in columns (3) and (4), after the existing entries, the following entries shall respectively be inserted namely:-

(3)	(4)
“Carbonated Water	0.001”;

(b) against sub-heading (b) relating to Beta (β) isomer in columns (3) and (4), after the existing entries, the following entries shall respectively be insert namely:-

(3)	(4)
“Carbonated Water	0.001”;

(c) against sub-heading (c) relating to Gamma (γ) isomer, known as Lindane, in columns (3) and (4), after the existing entries, the following entries shall respectively be inserted, namely:-

(3)	(4)
“Carbonated Water	0.001”;

(d) against sub-heading (d) relating to delta (δ) isomer, in columns (3) and (4), after the existing entries, the following entries shall respectively be inserted, namely:

(3)	(4)
“Carbonated Water	0.001”;

(iv) against serial number 16, in columns (3) and (4), after the existing entries, the following entries shall respectively be inserted, namely:-

(3)	(4)
“Carbonated Water	0.001”;

(v) against serial number 23, in columns (3) and (4), after the existing entries, the following entries shall respectively be inserted, namely:-

(3)	(4)
“Carbonated Water	0.001”;

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Note : The Prevention of Food Adulteration Rules, 1955 were published in Part II, Section 3 of the Gazette of India *vide* Number S.R.O. 2106, dated the 12th September, 1955 and were last amended *vide* G.S.R. 754(E), dated 27th October, 2008.

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