PREVENTION OF FOOD ADULTERATION

NOTIFICATION

Dated 15th July, 2008

The following draft of certain rues 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 excise of the power conferred by the sub-section (1) and sub-section(1A) of section 23 of the said Act, 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 the copies of the Gazette of India in which this notification is published, are made available to the public;

The objections and suggestions which may be received from any person with respect to the said draft rules within the period specified above shall be considered by the Central Government;

Objections or suggestions, if any, may be forwarded to the Secretary, Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Government of India, Nirman Bhavan, New Delhi -11100001

Draft Rules

- 1. (1) These rules may be called the Prevention of Food Adulteration (3rd Amendment) rules ,2008.
 - (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, in rule 65, in sub-rule(2), in the table,-
 - (a) against serial number 41, relating to Cypermethrin (sum of isomers(fat soluble residue), in columns(3) and (4), after the existing entries, the following entries shall be inserted, namely:-

S.No.	Name of Insecticide	Food	Tolerance limit
			mg/Kg(ppm)
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
		"Rice	0.01"

(b) against serial number 42, relating to Decamethrin /Deltamethrin, in columns(3) and (4), after the existing entries, the following entries shall be inserted, namely:-

(3)	(4)
"Red gram	0.01
Mango	0.01
Tea	2.0"

- (c) in serial number 46, against item (c) relating to Mancozeb, in columns(3) and
- (4), after the entries the following entries shall be inserted namely:-

(3)	(4)
"Cumin	0.5"

(d) against serial number 80, relating to Propiconazol, in columns(3) and (4), after the existing entries, the following entries shall be inserted, namely:-

(3)	(4)
"Tea	0.1
Groundnut seed	0.1
Rice	0.05
Soyabean seed	0.01"

(e) against serial number 93, relating to Chlorimuron-ethyl, in columns(3) and (4), after the existing entries, the following entries shall be inserted, namely:-

(3)	(4)
"Rice	0.002
Soyabean seed	0.002"

(f) against serial number 96, relating to Lambdacyhalothrin, in columns(3) and

(4), after the existing entries, the following entries shall be inserted, namely:-

(3)	(4)
"Brinjal	0.20
Tomato	0.10
Rice	0.01
Bhindi	2.0
Red Gram	0.01
Bengal Gram	0.01
Chillies Green	0.05
Chillies Red	0.005
Groundnut seed	0.01
Onion	0.01"

(g) against serial number 107, relating to Thiamethoxam, in columns (3) and (4), after the existing entries, the following entries shall be inserted, namely:-

(3)	(4)	
"Acid lime	0.02"	

(h) against serial number 122, relating to Propargite in column (3) and (4), after the existing entries, the following entries shall be inserted, namely:-

(3)	(4)
"Chillies	2.0
Apple	2.0"

(i) after serial number 143 and the entries relating thereto, the following serial numbers and entries shall be namely:-

S.	Name of Insecticide	Food	Tolerance Limit
No.			Mg/kg (ppm)

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
"144.	Fipronil	Cotton seed oil	0.005
145.	Cinmethylin	Rice	0.05
146.	Paclobutrazoll	mango	0.01
147.	Fenproproximate	Chilli	1.0
		Tea (green)	0.02
148.	Difenoconazole	Chilies	0.002
		Rice	0.002
149.	Flusilazole	Rice	0.01
		Chilies	0.01
150.	Metalaxyl-M	Potato	0.01
151.	Hydrogen Cyanamide	Grapes	0.01
152.	Buprofezin	Cotton seed oil	0.01
		Chilies	0.01
		Mango	0.01
		Grapes	0.01
153.	Novaluron	Chilies	0.01
		Chickpea	0.01
154.	α-napthyl acetic acid	Tomato	0.10
		Chili	0.2
		Mango	0.05
		Cotton seed oil	0.05
		Grapes	0.05
155.	Methomyl	Tomato	0.05
	•	Pigeonpea seed	0.05
		Chili	0.05
		Groundnuts seed	0.05
		Grapes	0.05
156.	Flubendiamide	Cotton seed oil	0.10
		Rice	0.10
157.	Penconozole	Black Gram seed	0.02
		Mango	0.05
		Apple	0.02"

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Note:- The Prevention of Food Adulteration Rules, 1995 were published in the Gazette of India, Part II, Section 3, vide number S.R.O. 2106, dated the 12th September, 1955 and were last amended vide number G.S.R. 206(E) dated 25.03.2008.