

The following draft of certain regulations further to amend the Food Safety and Standards (Food Products Standards and Food Additives) Regulations, 2011, which the Food Safety and Standards Authority of India proposes to make with the previous approval of the Central Government in exercise of powers conferred under clause (e) of sub-section (2) of section 92 read with section 16 of the Food Safety and Standards Act, 2006 (34 of 2006), is hereby published as required under sub-section (1) of Section 92 of the said Act for the information of all persons likely to be affected thereby, and notice is hereby given that the said draft regulations shall be taken into consideration after the expiry of the period of thirty days from the date on which the 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 Chief Executive Officer, Food Safety and Standards Authority of India, Food and Drug Administration Bhawan, Kotla Road, New Delhi-110002 or send on the email address of the Food Authority at regulation@fssai.gov.in .

The objections and suggestions, which may be received from any person with respect to the said draft regulations before the expiry of the period so specified, will be considered by the Food Authority.

Draft Regulations

1. Short title and commencement.- (1) These regulations may be called the **Food Safety and Standards (Food Products Standards and Food Additives) Amendment Regulations, 2016**.

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

2. In the Food Safety and Standards (Food Products Standards and Food Additives) Regulations, 2011, in regulation 2.11, for sub-regulation 2.11.4, the following sub-regulation shall be substituted, namely: -

"2.11.4 SILVER LEAF (Chandi-ka-warq): food grade shall,-

- (i) be in the form of sheet of uniform thickness, free from creases and folds;
- (ii) have weight of silver foil upto 2.8 gm/Sq meter;
- (iii) have silver content of minimum 999/1000 fineness;
- (iv) not be manufactured using any material of animal origin at any stage;
- (v) be in accordance with the provisions of the Food Safety and Standards (Contaminants, Toxins and Residues) Regulations, 2011 and the Food Safety and Standards (Packaging and Labelling), Regulations, 2011".

Sd/-
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Note. - The principal regulations were published in the Gazette of India, Extraordinary, Part III, Section 4, vide notification number F.No.2-15015/30/2010, dated the 1st August, 2011 and subsequently amended vide notification numbers: -

- (i) F.No. 4/15015/30/2011, dated the 7th June, 2013;
- (ii) F.No. P.15014/1/2011-PFA/FSSAI, dated the 27th June, 2013;
- (iii) F.No. 5/15015/30/2012, dated the 12th July, 2013;
- (iv) F.No. P.15025/262/13-PA/FSSAI dated the 5th December, 2014;
- (v) F. No.1-83F/Sci.Pan-Noti/FSSAI-2012 dated the 17th February, 2015;
- (vi) F.No. 4/15015/30/2011, dated the 4th August, 2015;
- (vii) F.No P. 15025/263/13-PA/FSSAI, dated the 4th November, 2015;
- (viii) F.No. P.15025/264/13-PA/FSSAI, dated the 4th November, 2015;
- (ix) F.No P.15025/261/2013-PA/FSSAI, dated the 13th November, 2015;
- (x) F.No. P.15025/208/2013-PA/FSSAI, dated the 13th November, 2015;
- (xi) F.No. 7/15015/30/2012, dated the 13th November, 2015 and
- (xii) F.No.1-10(1)/Standards/SP(Fish and Fisheries Products)/FSSAI- 2013, dated 11th January, 2016.

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