PREVENTION OF FOOD ADULTERATION

NOTIFICATION Dated 20th April, 2009

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 power conferred by sub-section (1) and sub-section (1A) of section 23 of the Prevention of Food Adulteration Act, 1954 (37 of 1954), is hereby published as required by sub-section (1) 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 will 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-110001.

DRAFT RULES

- 1. (1) These rules may be called the Prevention of Food Adulteration (4th Amendment) Rules, 2009.
 - (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 15(c) relating to Gamma (γ) isomer known as Lindane, in columns (3) an (4), after the existing entries, the following entries shall be inserted, namely:-

(3) (4) "Sugarcane 0.1"

(b) against serial number 28, relating to Paraquat-Dichloride (Determined as paraquat cations), in columns (3) and (4), after the existing entries, the following entries shall be inserted, namely:-

(3) (4) "Tea 0.05" ;

(c) 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:-

(3) (4) Cotton seed oil 0.01"

(d) 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)
"Okra 0.05
Tomato 0.05"

(e) against serial number 74, relating to Fenpropathrin, in columns (3) and (4), after the existing entries, the following entries shall be inserted, namely:-

(3)	(4)
"Brinjal	0.2
Okara	0.5
Chillies	0.2
Tea (green/black)	1.0"

(f) against serial number 76, relating to Hexaconazole, in columns (3) and (4), after the existing entries, the following entries shall be inserted, namely:-

(3)	(4)
"Mango	0.02
Rice	0.02
Ground nut seed	0.02
Tea (black)	0.02
Grapes	0.1
Chillies	0.5
Potato	0.02
Soyabean	0.02"

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(g) against serial number 81, relating to Myclobutanil, in columns (3) and (4), after the existing entries, the following entries shall be inserted, namely:-

(3)	(4)
"Apple	0.01
Chilli	0.20";

(h) against serial number 96, relating to Lambdacyhalothrin, in columns (3) and (4), after the existing entries, the following entries shall be inserted, namely:-

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(3)	(4)
"C1	0.001
"Soyabean	0.001
Mango	0.002";

(i) against serial number 106, relating to Spinosad, in columns (3) and (4), after the existing entries, the following entries shall be inserted, namely:-

(3) (4)

"Red gram 0.01
Chilli 0.001";

(j) 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)
"Okra	0.50
Cotton seed oil	0.01
Brinjal	0.30
Tomato	0.01
Wheat	0.01
Tea Green/Black	0.01
Mango	0.01
Potato	0.01
Mustard Seed	0.01"

(k) against serial number 111, relating to Fenoxy-prop-p-ethyl, in columns (3) and (4), after the existing entries, the following entries shall be inserted, namely:- (3) (4)

"Rice 0.002";

(l) against serial number 133, relating to Indoxacarb, in columns (3) and (4), after the existing entries, the following entries shall be inserted, namely:-

(3)	(4)
"Tomato	0.05
Chillies	0.01
Pigeon pea	0.1"

(m) against serial number 135, relating to Lufentron, in columns (3) and (4), after the existing entries, the following entries shall be inserted, namely:-

(3)	(4)
"Cauliflower	0.1
Pigeon pea	0.1
Cotton seed	0.01";

(n) against serial number 141 relating to Tebuconazole, in columns (3) and (4), after the existing entries, the following entries shall be inserted, namely:-

(3)	(4)
"Rice	0.05
Green chill	ies 0.2
Groundnut	seed 0.05
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(o) against serial number 142 relating to Propineb, columns (3) and (4), after the existing entries, the following entries shall be inserted, namely:-

(3)	(4)
"Tomato	1.0";

(p) against serial number 143 relating to Thioclorprid and entries relating thereto, the following serial numbers and entries shall be inserted, namely:-

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
"144	Clothianidin	Cotton seed	0.02
		Cotton seed oil	0.02
		Rice	0.02
145	Flusilazole	Apple	0.05
		Grapes	0.05
146	Emamectin Benzoate	Cotton seed	0.02
		Cottonseed oil	0.02
		Okra	0.05
		Groundnut oil	0.05
147	Pyriproxyfen	Cotton Seed	0.02
		Cotton Seed oil	0.02
		Brinjal	0.02
		Okra	0.03
		Chillies green	0.02
		Chillies red	0.02
148	Mesosulfuron Methyl	Wheat	0.01
149	Iodosulfuron Methyl		
	Sodium	Wheat	0.01
150	Milbemectin	Chillies green	0.01
		Chillies red	0.01
151	Carfentrazone Ethyl	Wheat	0.01
152	Azoxystrobin	Grapes	0.5
153	Mepiquat Chloride	Potato	0.1
154	Metalaxyl M	Grapes	0.05
155	Pyrithiolac Sodium	Cotton Seed Oil	0.02
156	Dinocap	Mango	0.1
157	Oxadiargyl	Onion	0.1
		Cumin	0.005
158	Fipronil	Rice	0.001
		Chillies	0.001
		Sugarcane	0.01
		Cabbage	0.001
159	Thifluzamide	Rice	0.05
160	Pyridaly l	Cottonseed oil	0.02
		Cabbage	0.02
		Okra	0.02
161	Pencycuron	Rice	0.01
162	Flumite	Brinjal	0.5
		Tea green/black	0.05
163	Diafenthiuron	Cardamom	0.5
		Brinjal	1.00
		Chillies green	0.05
		Chillies red	0.05
164	Alpha cypermathrin	Cotton Seed oil	0.05".

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