



Praedixi Non-Alcoholic Beverages Digest

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1 BRAZIL

1.1 2021-09-06: FOOD ADDITIVES - REGULATORY OVERVIEW

ANVISA (National Health Surveillance Agency): Notice

Concepts: [Food labeling](#), [Flavor](#)

[Guidance GPROR/GGREG: Current legislation in the area of Foods \(September 2021\) \(Portuguese\)](#)

These libraries are documents that bring together all current standards of a given macro topic, divided by subtopics. The goal is to facilitate access and understanding of the Standard Regulations to the internal and external public, as well as improving the process of preparation and review of regulations. Be sure to also consult the Library of Cross-cutting Themes, which covers subjects applied to all macro-themes, such as: Company Operation Authorization (AFE), Certification of Good Manufacturing Practices (CBPF), Surveillance Inspection Fees Sanitary (TFVS), Request for Resources, etc.

1.2 2021-09-06: FOOD ADDITIVES - REGULATORY OVERVIEW

ANVISA (National Health Surveillance Agency): Notice

Concepts: [Milk](#), [Fermentation](#)

[Ordinance MAPA No 392/2021: Criteria for the destination of milk and dairy products that do not meet regulatory standards, in the form in which they are presented, including its use, industrial destination and destruction \(Portuguese\)](#)

Art. 1 Establish the criteria for the destination of milk and dairy products that do not meet regulatory standards, in the form in which they are presented, including their conditional use, industrial destination, condemnation and destruction when technically feasible. Art. 2 This Ordinance applies to establishments registered with the official inspection service. Art. 3 For the purposes of this Ordinance, it is considered: I - destination: refers to conditional use, industrial destination, condemnation, and destruction; II - conditional use: destination given by the official service to the raw material and to the product that does not comply with the legislation for the preparation of edible products, upon submission to specific treatments to ensure its innocuousness.

1.3 2021-09-22: FOOD STANDARDS - REGULATORY OVERVIEW

ANVISA (National Health Surveillance Agency): Notice

Concepts: [Honey](#)

[Press Release 2021: Federal Government sets rules for granting the Art Seal to bee products \(Portuguese\)](#)

Check out the full text of the ordinance that defines the regulation for granting the Art Seal to bee products and derivatives. The text defines requirements for raw materials, techniques, ingredients, processing and final product. With the Selo Arte, the producer will be able to sell throughout the national territory, increasing his income. The Ministry of Agriculture, Livestock and Supply published an ordinance



with the regulation so that bee products and derivatives are considered artisanal and, therefore, eligible for the granting of the Art Seal. Products from meliponiculture must be produced and managed exclusively in the geographical areas of natural occurrence of the species.

2 CHILE

2.1 2021-09-13: FOOD ADDITIVES - REGULATORY OVERVIEW

Professional Association/Organization: Notice

Concepts: [Food safety](#)

[WTO Notification: Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures - Replacement of heading and stamp with advanced electronic signature on health certificates for products for human consuming - Communication from Chile - G/SPS/GEN/1946](#)

This communication is to announce that the National Fisheries and Aquaculture Service (SERNAPESCA) of the Ministry of the Economy, Development and Tourism of the Republic of Chile will be replacing the official heading and stamp with which it issues its "health certificate for fishery and aquaculture products" (template available [here](#)) with an advanced electronic signature. 2. This amendment concerns certificates, processed through SERNAPESCA's online systems, for fishery and aquaculture products for human consumption, such as: chilled, refrigerated and frozen products processed from farmed salmonids, of extractive fishing species, bivalve mollusks from farming sites and oils. Canned goods, live animals and bivalve mollusks from natural beds are not covered by the systems; therefore, until they are, both the heading and stamps, as well as the advanced electronic signature, may be used in the meantime and are equally valid and official.

2.2 2021-09-07: FOOD ADDITIVES - REGULATORY OVERVIEW

Ministry of Health: Proposal

Concepts: [Fortification](#), [Milk](#), [Beverages](#)

[Draft - Modification of Supreme Decree No 977/96: Vitamin D Fortification in Milk, Flour and Plant-based beverages \(2021\) \(Spanish\)](#)

The necessary time is given for the food industry to adopt the new regulations. ARTICLE 2 Transitory: This decree will enter into force 24 months from its publication in the Official Gazette. Evidence of the urgent need to implement a public health program to correct the situation. This obligation applies to all dairy products, such as flavored milks, concentrated milks, powdered milks, yogurt, dairy drinks. The following dairy derivatives are excluded: -Concentrated milk: evaporated and sweetened condensed. -Cream. -Manjar or dulce de leche. " To implement health measures, universal vehicles were analyzed, that is, they are consumed by a large part of the population.



2.3 2021-09-21: FOOD LABELING- REGULATORY OVERVIEW

Ministry of Health: Proposal

Concepts: [Claims](#)

[Draft 2021: Amendment to Supreme Decree No. 977/96, Ministry of Health, Food Health Regulations, Article 516 and others relating to gluten-free labelling - G/TBT/N/CHL/569 \(Spanish\)](#)

The purpose of this proposal is to address the execution of the matters indicated in said Law, referring only to the labeling of food products declared as "Gluten Free", updating Supreme Decree No. 977/1996, Health Regulations de los Alimentos (RSA), of the Ministry of Health of Chile, mainly in the articles that refer to the provisions on the labeling "Gluten Free". This proposal is a text prepared by the technical department of the Ministry of Health, taking into account some of the comments received by various sectors interested in said regulation, including the national food industry sector, non-governmental organizations related to celiac disease and other public bodies related to this matter.

Similar Articles:

[Guidelines for the Good Manufacturing Practices program for Gluten-Free foods - G/TBT/N/CHL/569 \(Spanish\)](#)

3 CODEX

3.1 2021-09-13: FOOD ADDITIVES - REGULATORY OVERVIEW

Codex Alimentarius: Notice

Concepts: [Food safety](#), [Food additive](#)

[CCFA52 / Committee sends over 500 food additive provisions for adoption](#)

The Codex Committee on Food Additives has adopted its final report confirming consensus reached on recommendations that include over 500 food additive provisions already in the Codex step procedure and 90 proposed provisions that will all now proceed for consideration by the Codex Alimentarius Commission in November 2021.

3.2 2021-09-22: FOOD ADDITIVES - REGULATORY OVERVIEW

Codex Alimentarius: Notice

Concepts: [Food safety](#), [Food additive](#)

[REPORT OF THE 52nd SESSION OF THE CODEX COMMITTEE ON FOOD ADDITIVES - REP21/FA \(Virtual 1, 2, 3, 6, 7 and 10 September 2021\)](#)

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4 COLOMBIA

4.1 2021-09-02: FOOD STANDARDS - MONITORING

INVIMA (National Institute for Drug and Food Surveillance): Notice
Concepts: [Energy drink](#), [Caffeine](#)

[SEAB Meeting - Acta No 12/2021 \(3.1\): Relevant regulations on Energy \(caffeine content\) and Sport drinks \(Spanish\)](#)

The attached bibliographic information is not related to the pathologies mentioned in the name proposed on the label in Spanish. Management by bariatric surgery does not produce malabsorptive alterations in the stomach but in the intestine. Some health conditions mentioned in the name are not frequent in children. The presence of green tea is mentioned in the qualitative and quantitative composition and on the label. The amount of caffeine contained in the product is not recommended for the population to which the product is directed, which includes children over 4 years of age.

5 EGYPT

5.1 2021-09-20: FOOD ADDITIVES - REGULATORY OVERVIEW

WTO (World Trade Organization): Notice
Concepts: [Food safety](#)

[WTO Notification: Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures - Food products - Addendum - G/SPS/N/EGY/92/Add.3 \(Notification of adoption, publication or entry into force of regulation\)](#)

The following communication, received on 16 September 2021, is being circulated at the request of the Delegation of Egypt. This addendum concerns the notification of the Ministerial Decree No. 222/2021 (1 page, in Arabic) that gives the producers and importers a six-month transitional period to abide by the Egyptian Standard ES 2613-2 for "shelf life for food products part: 2 shelf life" (partial amendment 1 page, in Arabic). It should be noted that the Ministerial Decree No. 100/2019 (2 pages, in Arabic) which was



formerly notified in [G/SPS/N/EGY/92](#) dated 8 July 2019, and the Ministerial Decree No. 653/2020 (2 pages, in Arabic) which was formerly notified in [G/SPS/N/EGY/92/Add.2](#) dated 15 March 2021, mandated among others the earlier version of this Standard. Proposed date of adoption: 20 May 2021; Proposed date of entry into force: 14 June 2021.

6 INTERNATIONAL

6.1 2021-09-02: FOOD ADDITIVES - MONITORING

Professional Association/Organization: Notice
Concepts: [Sweeteners](#)

[Screening level intake estimates of low and no-calorie sweeteners in Argentina, Chile, and Peru - International Sweeteners Association](#)

As obesity rates increase, several countries in Latin America have implemented strategies to curb the consumption of sugars, resulting in reformulations of products with low and no-calorie sweeteners (LNCS). Information on the intake of LNCS among Latin American countries are limited by the lack of publicly available national consumption data. This new study assesses the intake of six low/no calorie sweeteners (acesulfame potassium, aspartame, cyclamate, saccharin, steviol glycosides, and sucralose) in Argentina, Chile and Peru. We are using cookies to give you the best experience on our website. Using the Budget Method, screening level intake estimates of six LNCS (acesulfame potassium, aspartame, cyclamate, saccharin, steviol glycosides, and sucralose) were derived for Argentina, Chile, and Peru based on national sales data and product labels.

Similar articles:

[Cell-cultured coffee developed in Europe: 'We have proved lab-grown coffee can be a reality'](#)

[Aluminum Containers for Carbonated Beverages | MINAL](#)

[In October, the list of high-calorie, low-nutrition foods and high-caffeine-containing foods were banned from sales at schools and high-end retailers](#)



7 SAUDI ARABIA

7.1 2021-09-20: FOOD ADDITIVES - REGULATORY OVERVIEW

Saudi FDA: Proposal

Concepts: [Nutrition](#), [Food safety](#)

[Draft 2021: Requirements of Food Products with High Nutritional Value - G/TBT/N/SAU/1211 \(Arabic\)](#)

The proportion of fruits, vegetables and nuts in 100 grams of dried fruits is calculated as:
(Weight of fruits, vegetables and nuts)

7.2 2021-09-20: FOOD LABELING- REGULATORY OVERVIEW

Saudi FDA: Proposal

Concepts: [Food labeling](#), [Sport drinks](#)

[Draft 2021: Traffic light labelling - G/TBT/N/SAU/1212 \(Arabic\)](#)

1.1 This regulation is concerned with the procedures for placing nutritional data in the form of light signals on labels Packaged food products. 1.2 Without prejudice to the provisions of the Saudi technical regulations mentioned in Clause No. 2.1 and Clause 2.2, this regulation applies to all prepacked food products and is excluded from the application of this regulation the following foods: 1.2.1 Foods with special nutritional uses such as: infant formula and follow-up milk, food infants and young children, foods for special medical uses, nutritional supplements, Sports food and drinks.

Addendum:

[WTO Notification: Committee on Technical Barriers to Trade - Expiration dates for food products: mandatory expiration dates - Addendum - G/TBT/N/SAU/1143/Add.3 \(Withdrawal of notifications G/SPS/N/SAU/435/Add.1 and G/SPS/N/SAU/435/Add.2\)](#)

[WTO Notification: Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures - Expiration dates for food products: mandatory expiration dates - Addendum - G/SPS/N/SAU/435/Add.3 \(Withdrawal of notifications G/SPS/N/SAU/435/Add.1 and G/SPS/N/SAU/435/Add.2\)](#)



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