



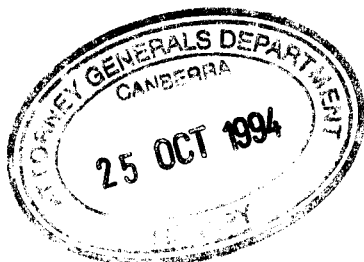
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**NATIONAL FOOD AUTHORITY**  
**VARIATIONS TO THE FOOD STANDARDS CODE**  
**(AMENDMENT No. 22)**

**1. Preamble**

The variations set forth in the Schedule below are variations to the Food Standards Code (hereinafter called 'the Code') which was published by the National Health and Medical Research Council in the *Commonwealth of Australia Gazette*, No. P 27, on 27 August 1987, and which has been varied from time to time.

The Schedule contains variations adopted by the National Food Standards Council in August and September 1994.

These variations are published pursuant to section 32 of the *National Food Authority Act* 1991.

**2. Citation**

These variations may be collectively known as '*Amendment No. 22*' to the Code.

**3. Commencement**

These variations commence on the date of publication of this Gazette.

## SCHEDULE

- [1.] **Standard A1** is varied by -
- [1.1] omitting subparagraph (5)(e)(v) and substituting -
- "(v) Subparagraphs (iii) and (iv) do not apply to an ingredient which is a food prepared in accordance with Standard S1.";
- [1.2] inserting after subparagraph (5)(g)(vi) -
- "(vii) Where calcium disodium ethylenediaminetetraacetate is used as an additive, it may be described in the statement of ingredients as 'calcium disodium EDTA' in place of the prescribed name for that additive.";
- [1.3] inserting in Parts 1 and 2 of the Schedule, in Columns 1 and 2 respectively -
- |   |        |
|---|--------|
| "Acid treated starch                          | 1401"; |
| "Alkaline treated starch                      | 1402"; |
| "Calcium disodium ethylenediaminetetraacetate | 385";  |
- [1.4] omitting from Parts 1 and 2 of the Schedule "Dextrins" and substituting "Dextrin roasted starch";
- [1.5] omitting from Parts 1 and 2 of the Schedule, in Columns 1 and 2 respectively -
- |   |        |
|---|--------|
| "Distarch phosphate esterified with sodium trimetaphosphate | 1412"; |
| "Distarch phosphate esterified with phosphorus oxychloride  | 1412"; |
- and substituting -
- |                     |            |
|---------------------|------------|
| "Distarch phosphate | 1412"; and |
|---------------------|------------|
- [1.6] omitting from Parts 1 and 2 of the Schedule "Phosphated starch phosphate" and substituting "Phosphated distarch phosphate".
- [2.] **Standard A10** is varied by -
- [2.1] omitting "Starch sodium octenyl succinate" from Group I of Table 1; and
- [2.2] omitting Group VI from Table 1 and substituting -
- "GROUP VI - THICKENERS
- Acetylated distarch adipate  
Acetylated distarch phosphate  
Acid treated starch  
Alkaline treated starch  
Bleached starch  
Dextrin roasted starch  
Distarch phosphate  
Enzyme treated starch  
Hydroxypropyl distarch phosphate  
Hydroxypropyl starch  
Monostarch phosphate  
Oxidised starch  
Phosphated distarch phosphate  
Pregelatinised starches

Starch acetate  
Starch sodium octenylsuccinate".

[3.] **Standard A11** is varied by -

[3.1] omitting subclause (1)(zd) and substituting -

"(zd) FNP (49) means 'Specifications for identity and purity of certain food additives. *FAO Food and Nutrition Paper 49*. FAO Rome (1990)';";

[3.2] inserting in the Schedule, in Columns 1 and 2, respectively -

|   |                |
|---|----------------|
| "Acid treated starch                          | FNP (49) p28"; |
| "Alkaline treated starch                      | FNP (49) p28"; |
| "Calcium disodium ethylenediaminetetraacetate | FCC p50".      |

[3.3] omitting from the Schedule, in Column 2, "FNP (34) p137" in relation to the entries in Column 1 for -

"Acetylated distarch adipate"  
"Acetylated distarch phosphate"  
"Bleached starch"  
"Hydroxypropyl distarch phosphate"  
"Hydroxypropyl starch"  
"Monostarch phosphate"  
"Oxidised starch"  
"Starch acetate"  
"Starch sodium octenylsuccinate"

and substituting "FNP (49) p28";

[3.4] omitting from the Schedule, in Column 1, "Dextrins" and substituting "Dextrin roasted starch";

[3.5] omitting from the Schedule, in Columns 1 and 2 respectively -

|                     |               |
|---------------------|---------------|
| "Distarch phosphate | FNP (28) p76" |
|---------------------|---------------|

and substituting

|                     |                    |
|---------------------|--------------------|
| "Distarch phosphate | FNP (49) p28"; and |
|---------------------|--------------------|

[3.6] omitting from the Schedule, in Column 1 and 2 respectively -

|                              |                |
|------------------------------|----------------|
| "Phosphated starch phosphate | FNP (34) p137" |
|------------------------------|----------------|

and substituting

|                                |                |
|--------------------------------|----------------|
| "Phosphated distarch phosphate | FNP (49) p28". |
|--------------------------------|----------------|

[4.] **Standard A12** is varied by -

[4.1] omitting from clause (2) "clause (2A)" and substituting "clauses (2A) and (2B)";

[4.2] omitting from Column 2 of the Table in clause (2) "All other foods" wherever occurring and substituting "Foods not containing a food otherwise specified";

[4.3] omitting from Column 2 of the Table in clause (2) in relation to the entry for cadmium -  
"and the crustacean content of products containing crustaceans", "and fish content of products containing fish" and "and the mollusc content of products containing molluscs";

[4.4] omitting from Column 2 of the Table in clause (2) in relation to the entry for copper -  
"and the mollusc content of products containing molluscs";

[4.5] omitting from Column 2 of the Table in clause (2) in relation to the entry for mercury -  
"Fish which can be sampled in accordance with clause (7), crustaceans, molluscs and the fish content of products containing fish"  
and substituting -  
"Fish which can be sampled in accordance with clause (7), crustaceans and molluscs";

[4.6] omitting the footnote to the Table in clause (2) in relation to the entry for mercury and substituting -  
"\* The mean level of mercury in the prescribed number of sample units as determined by the methods prescribed by clause (7) of this Standard."; and

[4.7] inserting after clause (2A) -  
"(2B) A food which consists of or contains one or more of the foods specified in Column 2 of the Table in clause (2) must not contain a metal specified in Column 1 of the Table in clause (2) at a level greater than the total of the proportionate quantities of the respective maximum permitted concentrations specified for those foods in Column 3 of the Table in clause (2)."

[5.] **Standard A14** is varied by -

[5.1] omitting from Schedule 1, in relation to the entry in Column 1 for "Amitraz", the entry in Columns 2 and 3 respectively for -

"0.1 meat"; and

substituting -

"0.5 edible offal of cattle, pigs and sheep";  
"0.1 meat of cattle, pigs and sheep";

[5.2] inserting in Schedule 1, in relation to the entry in Column 1 for "Chlorfenvinphos", the entry in Columns 2 and 3 respectively for -

"0.2 edible offal (mammalian)";

- [5.3] inserting in Schedule 1, in relation to the entry in Column 1 for "Cypermethrin (all isomers)", the entries in Columns 2 and 3 respectively for -

|       |   |
|-------|---|
| "0.5  | edible offal of cattle, sheep and goats"; |
| "0.05 | edible offal of pigs and horses";         |
| "0.05 | eggs";                                    |
| "0.05 | meat of pigs and horses (in the fat)";    |
| "0.05 | poultry meat";                            |
| "0.05 | poultry, edible offal of";                |
| "0.01 | all other foods";                         |

- [5.4] inserting in Schedule 1, in relation to the entry in Column 1 for "Cyproconazole", the entry in Columns 2 and 3 respectively for -

|    |                    |
|----|--------------------|
| "2 | meat (mammalian)"; |
|----|--------------------|

- [5.5] omitting from Schedule 1, in relation to the entry in Column 1 for "Deltamethrin", the entries in Columns 2 and 3 respectively for -

|      |                             |
|------|-----------------------------|
| "0.1 | cattle, fat of meat of";    |
| "0.1 | goat, fat of meat of";      |
| "0.2 | milk (fat basis)";          |
| "0.1 | sheep, fat of meat of"; and |

substituting -

|      |                              |
|------|------------------------------|
| "0.1 | cattle, edible offal of";    |
| "0.5 | cattle meat (in the fat)";   |
| "0.1 | goat, edible offal of";      |
| "0.1 | goat meat (in the fat)";     |
| "0.5 | milk (in the fat)";          |
| "0.2 | milk of goats (in the fat)"; |
| "0.2 | milk of sheep (in the fat)"; |
| "0.1 | sheep, edible offal of";     |
| "0.1 | sheep meat (in the fat)";    |

- [5.6] inserting in Schedule 1, in relation to the entry in Column 1 for "Diflubenzuron", the entries in Columns 2 and 3 respectively for -

|       |                          |
|-------|--------------------------|
| "0.05 | milk of sheep";          |
| "0.05 | sheep, edible offal of"; |
| "0.05 | sheep meat";             |

- [5.7] inserting in Columns 1, 2 and 3 of Schedule 1 -

|                      |                 |
|----------------------|-----------------|
| "Fenchlorazole-ethyl |                 |
| 0.05                 | barley          |
| 0.05                 | chick-pea (dry) |
| 0.05                 | rye             |
| 0.05                 | triticale       |
| 0.05                 | wheat"          |

- [5.8] omitting from Schedule 1, in relation to the entry in Column 1 for "Fenoxycarb", the entry in Columns 2 and 3 respectively for -
- "1            pome fruits"; and
- substituting -
- "2            pome fruits";
- [5.9] inserting in Columns 1, 2 and 3 of Schedule 1 -
- "Fenpiclonil
- 0.02        cotton seed";
- [5.10] inserting in Column 1 of Schedule 1 -
- "Esfenvalerate  
see Fenvalerate (all isomers)";
- [5.11] omitting from Schedule 1, in relation to the entry in Column 1 for "Fenvalerate (all isomers)", the entries in Columns 2 and 3 respectively for -
- "0.05        cereal grains";  
"5            wheat bran"; and
- substituting -
- "2            cereal grains";  
"5            wheat bran, unprocessed";
- [5.12] inserting in Column 1 of Schedule 1 -
- "Flamprop-M-methyl  
see Flamprop-methyl";
- [5.13] omitting from Schedule 1, in relation to the entry in Column 1 for "Flamprop-methyl", the entry in Columns 2 and 3 respectively for -
- "0.01        milk"; and
- substituting -
- "0.01        edible offal (mammalian)";  
"0.01        milks";
- [5.14] omitting from Schedule 1, in relation to the entry in Column 1 for "Imazethapyr", the entries in Columns 2 and 3 respectively for -
- "0.1        goat, edible offal of";  
"0.1        goat meat";  
"0.1        goat milk"; and
- substituting -
- "0.1        edible offal (mammalian)";  
"0.1        meat (mammalian)";  
"0.1        milks";

- [5.15] inserting in Schedule 1, in relation to the entry in Column 1 for "Isofenphos", the entry in Columns 2 and 3 respectively for -
- |       |          |
|-------|----------|
| "0.02 | banana"; |
|-------|----------|
- [5.16] inserting in Columns 1, 2 and 3 of Schedule 1 -
- |                    |      |                            |
|--------------------|------|----------------------------|
| "Lysocellin sodium | 2    | cattle, edible offal of    |
|                    | 0.05 | cattle meat                |
|                    | 0.01 | cattle meat (in the fat)"; |
- [5.17] inserting in Schedule 1, in relation to the entry in Column 1 for "Methoprene", the entries in Columns 2 and 3 respectively for -
- |      |                            |
|------|----------------------------|
| "0.1 | cattle, edible offal of";  |
| "0.3 | cattle meat (in the fat)"; |
| "0.1 | cattle milk";              |
- [5.18] inserting in Schedule 1, in relation to the entry in Column 1 for "Metribuzin", the entry in Columns 2 and 3 respectively for -
- |      |             |
|------|-------------|
| "0.2 | asparagus"; |
|------|-------------|
- [5.19] omitting from Schedule 1, in relation to the entry in Column 1 for "Oxadixyl", the entry in Columns 2 and 3 respectively for -
- |      |                                      |
|------|--------------------------------------|
| "0.2 | fruiting vegetables, cucurbits"; and |
|------|--------------------------------------|
- substituting -
- |      |                                  |
|------|----------------------------------|
| "0.5 | fruiting vegetables, cucurbits"; |
| "2   | grapes";                         |
| "1   | lettuce, head";                  |
- [5.20] inserting in Schedule 1, in relation to the entry in Column 1 for "Propiconazole", the entries in Columns 2 and 3 respectively for -
- |       |             |
|-------|-------------|
| "0.05 | pineapple"; |
| "0.01 | poppyseed"; |
- [5.21] omitting from Schedule 1, in relation to the entry in Column 1 for "Propineb", the entry in Columns 2 and 3 respectively for -
- |    |                                      |
|----|--------------------------------------|
| "1 | fruiting vegetables, cucurbits"; and |
|----|--------------------------------------|
- substituting -
- |    |                                  |
|----|----------------------------------|
| "2 | fruiting vegetables, cucurbits"; |
| "5 | grapes";                         |
- [5.22] inserting in Columns 1, 2 and 3 of Schedule 1 -
- |             |     |                           |
|-------------|-----|---------------------------|
| "Pyraclufos | 5   | sheep, edible offal of    |
|             | 0.5 | sheep meat                |
|             | 2   | sheep meat (in the fat)"; |



- [5.23] inserting in Schedule 1, in relation to the entry in Column 1 for "Pyridate", the entries in Columns 2 and 3 respectively for -
- |      |                            |
|------|----------------------------|
| "0.2 | edible offal (mammalian)"; |
| "0.2 | eggs";                     |
| "0.2 | meat (mammalian)";         |
| "0.2 | milks";                    |
| "0.2 | poultry, edible offal of"; |
| "0.2 | poultry meat";             |
- [5.24] omitting from Schedule 1, the entry in Columns 1, 2 and 3 for -
- |             |   |                |
|-------------|---|----------------|
| "Robenidene | 2 | poultry meat"; |
|-------------|---|----------------|
- [5.25] inserting in Schedule 1, in relation to the entry in Column 1 for "Salinomycin", the entries in Columns 2 and 3 respectively for -
- |       |                           |
|-------|---------------------------|
| "0.5  | cattle, edible offal of"; |
| "0.05 | cattle meat";             |
- [5.26] inserting in Schedule 1, in relation to the entry in Column 1 for "Simazine", the entries in Columns 2 and 3 respectively for -
- |       |                          |
|-------|--------------------------|
| "0.05 | chick-pea (dry)";        |
| "0.05 | chick-pea (green pods)"; |
- [5.27] omitting from Schedule 1, in relation to the entry in Column 1 for "Tebuconazole", the entries in Columns 2 and 3 respectively for -
- |       |             |
|-------|-------------|
| "0.05 | barley";    |
| "0.05 | wheat"; and |
- substituting -
- |       |                 |
|-------|-----------------|
| "0.05 | cereal grains"; |
| "0.1  | peanut";        |
- [5.28] inserting in Columns 1, 2 and 3 of Schedule 1 -
- |               |     |               |
|---------------|-----|---------------|
| "Tebufenpyrad | 0.1 | citrus fruits |
|               | 0.1 | pome fruits"; |
- [5.29] inserting in Columns 1, 2 and 3 of Schedule 1 -
- |             |      |                            |
|-------------|------|----------------------------|
| "Tetronasin | 2    | cattle, edible offal of    |
|             | 0.05 | cattle meat                |
|             | 0.01 | cattle meat (in the fat)"; |

[5.30] omitting from Schedule 1, in relation to the entry in Column 1 for "Thiodicarb", the entries in Columns 2 and 3 respectively for -

|    |                 |
|----|-----------------|
| "2 | sorghum";       |
| "2 | sweetcorn"; and |

substituting -

|      |                                    |
|------|------------------------------------|
| "1   | brassica leafy vegetables";        |
| "0.1 | sorghum";                          |
| "0.1 | sweet corn (corn on the cob)"; and |

[5.31] inserting in Columns 1, 2 and 3 of Schedule 1 -

"Triflumizole

|     |               |
|-----|---------------|
| 0.5 | grapes        |
| 0.5 | pome fruits". |

[6.] **Standard D1** is varied by inserting after clause (1A) -

"(1B) (a) The level of histamine in a composite sample of fish or fish products, other than crustaceans and molluscs, when examined according to Section 977.13 of A.O.A.C., 15th Edition (1990), must not exceed 100 mg/kg.

(b) For the purpose of this clause, a 'composite sample' is a sample, taken from each lot, consisting of five portions of equal size taken from five representative samples."

[7.] **Standard D2** is varied by inserting after clause (4) -

"(5) (a) The level of histamine in a composite sample of canned fish or canned fish products, other than canned crustaceans and canned molluscs, when examined according to Section 977.13 of A.O.A.C., 15th Edition (1990), must not exceed 100 mg/kg.

(b) For the purpose of this clause, a 'composite sample' is a sample, taken from each lot, consisting of five portions of equal size taken from five representative samples."

[8.] **Standard O4** is varied by inserting after subclause 2(3) -

"(4) Soft drink containing fruit flavouring, fruit juice, fruit pulp or orange peel extract may have added to it not more than 33 mg/kg of calcium disodium ethylenediaminetetraacetate."

[9.] **Standard O9** is varied by inserting after subclause 2(4) -

"(5) Carbonated fruit drink may have added to it not more than 33 mg/kg of calcium disodium ethylenediaminetetraacetate."