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Food Safety and Standards Authority of India
(A Statutory Authority established under the Food Safety & Standards Act, 2006)
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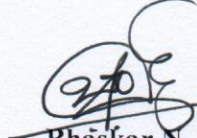
29th March, 2022

ORDER

Subject: Implementation of FSS (Food for Infant Nutrition) Regulations, 2020 – reg.

Reference is drawn to direction issued dated 22nd June 2021 under section 16(5) of Food Safety and Standards Act, 2006 wherein the transition period for the implementation of FSS (Food for Infant Nutrition), regulations 2020 was extended upto 31st March 2022.

2. However, representations were received from industry associations regarding difficulty in reformulating & manufacturing infant food products adhering to the levels of Manganese, Selenium, Biotin and Iron as prescribed in various standards for Infant Nutrition.
3. After due consideration and concurrence of the concerned Scientific Panel, it has been decided to revised the limits of above said nutrients for products as mentioned in *Annexure I*.
4. FSS (Food for Infant Nutrition) Regulations, 2020 with the revised limits of nutrients as mentioned in the *Annexure I* shall be effective from 1st April 2022. Keeping in view the fact that products need to be reformulated with the revised limits, the regulations shall be enforced from 1st October 2022.
5. This issues with the approval of the Competent Authority, in exercise of the power vested under the section 16(5) of the Food Safety and Standard Act, 2006.


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To

1. ED(CS) with a request to communicate to Food Safety Commissioners of all States/UTs
2. Advisor (QA)
3. Head (RCD)/Head (Regulations)/ Head (Legal)
4. Director (TICD)-with a request to communicate to all Authorized Officers
5. All Regional Directors, FSSAI
6. CITO, FSSAI-with a request to upload on FSSAI website

Copy to:

1. PPS to Chairperson, FSSAI,
2. PS to CEO, FSSAI,

ANNEXURE 1**Revised values of Manganese, Selenium, Biotin and Iron in various Standards for Infant Nutrition**

Sr. No	Nutrient	Revised Values per 100 g	Revised Values per 100 kcal
1.	Manganese (mcg) For Follow up Formula:	5.00-500.00	1.00 - 106.40
2.	Selenium(mcg) For IF, FUF, MCCF* and PCCF**:	5.00 - 40.00	1.00-8.50
3.	Biotin (mcg) For Follow up Formula:	7.50- 50.00	1.60 - 10.60
4.	Iron(mg) For PCCF:	2.00 - 5.65	0.42-1.20

*Milk cereal based complementary food, **Processed cereal based complementary food