

Dated, the 4<sup>th</sup> July, 2022

**Notice Inviting Public Comments**

Following methods have been approved by the Scientific Panel on Methods of Sampling & Analysis in its 37<sup>th</sup> meeting held on 18.05.2022:

- (i) **HPLC method for determination of gamma oryzanol content in oils (rice bran oil and other vegetable oils).**
- (ii) **Fortified Oil:**
  - a) Method for Determination of Vitamin A in Edible Oil and Fats.
  - b) Method for Determination of Vitamin D2 and D3 in Edible Oil and Fats.
- (iii) **Fortified Rice:**
  - a) Method for Determination of Iron in Fortified Rice
  - b) Method for Determination of Folic Acid (Vitamin B9) in Fortified Rice
  - c) Method for Determination of Cyanocobalamin (Vitamin B12) in Fortified Rice

2. Before the same are finalized, the comments/views/suggestions of the stakeholders are solicited.

3. The comments/suggestions; if any, should be furnished to FSSAI in the prescribed format (Annexure-I) within a period of 30 days of the publication of this notice on the website through email ([sp-sampling@fssai.gov.in](mailto:sp-sampling@fssai.gov.in)).

4. It may kindly be noted that only such of the comments/suggestions would be taken into consideration as are furnished with supporting scientific evidence.

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**Annexure -I**

**Subject:** Notice “Public Comments on (i). HPLC method for determination of gamma oryzanol content in oils (rice bran oil and other vegetable oils), (ii). Fortified Oil: - (a). Method for Determination of Vitamin A in Edible Oil and Fats, (b). Method for Determination of Vitamin D2 and D3 in Edible Oil and Fats and (iii). Fortified Rice: - (a). Method for Determination of Iron in Fortified Rice, (b). Method for Determination of Folic Acid (Vitamin B9) in Fortified Rice and (c). Method for Determination of Cyanocobalamin (Vitamin B12) in Fortified Rice.

**FORMAT FOR SENDING THE COMMENTS AND SUGGESTIONS**

<b>S. No.</b>	<b>Name and Address of the Organization/ person, contact number and Email</b>	<b>Method</b>	<b>Relevant section on which comments are being provided</b>	<b>Comments/ Suggestion</b>	<b>Rationale</b>	<b>Reference to the supporting Scientific Evidence</b>	<b>Remarks; if any</b>

**Date:**

**Place:**

**Name and signature**