



Circular

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To all Food Importers / Manufacturers

All declaring agents are requested to inform the importers of the contents of this circular.

Dear Sir/Madam

FOOD (AMENDMENT) REGULATIONS 2014

The Food (Amendment) Regulations 2014 will come into operation on 15 December 2014.

2 This set of amendments includes the incorporation of 4 new food additives into the Food Regulations, a new limit for mercury in predatory fish, and an extension of use of phytosterols, phytosterol esters, phytosterols or phytosterol esters in food. These changes are in line with international practice and are trade facilitating measures.

3 The Food (Amendment) Regulations 2014 can be downloaded from:
<http://www.ava.gov.sg/Legislation/ListOfLegislation/>
(Click on "Food (Amendment) Regulations 2014")

4 With effect from 15 December 2014, all traders may use the new food additives in food products that are imported, manufactured and sold in Singapore, subject to the conditions laid out in the Food Regulations.

5 Please contact the following AVA officers should you need clarification on the amendments:

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