

(6 August 1999 – to date)

FOODSTUFFS, COSMETICS AND DISINFECTANTS ACT 54 OF 1972

Government Notice 923 in Government Gazette 3530 dated 2 June 1972. Commencement date: 1 January 1973 [Proc. No. 247 in Gazette No. 3669 dated 6 October 1972]

REGULATIONS RELATING TO PERISHABLE FOODSTUFFS

Government Notice R1183 in Government Gazette 12497 dated 1 June 1990. Commencement date: 1 June 1990

As amended by:

Government Notice R952 in Government Gazette 20330 dated 6 August 1999. Commencement date: 6 August 1999

The Minister of National Health and Population Development has, in terms of section 15(1) of the Foodstuffs, Cosmetics and Disinfectants Act, 1972 (Act No. 54 of 1972), made the regulations contained in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE

1. Definition

In these regulations "**the Act**" means the Foodstuffs, Cosmetics and Disinfectants Act, 1972 (Act No. 54 of 1972), and any expression to which a meaning has been assigned in the Act shall bear such meaning.

2. Declaration of certain perishable foodstuffs

The following foodstuffs are hereby declared to be perishable foodstuffs for the purposes of section 21(2)(a) of the Act:

- (a) Milk;
- (b) meat;
- (c) fish, fish spawn, molluscs and crustaceans;
- (d) fruit;

(e) vegetables:

Provided that any of the above foodstuffs or any manufactured product which has undergone a process or processes to extend the shelf-life or improve its keeping qualities and which, for the sake of ensuring its keeping qualities, has to be refrigerated shall also be considered a perishable foodstuff for the purpose of these regulations.

(Regulation 2 substituted by regulation 2 of GNR 952 of 1999)