



THE FOOD ADDITIVES NOTICE 1977

PURSUANT to section 46 (3) of the Food and Drug Act 1969, the Minister of Health hereby gives the following notice.

NOTICE

1. Title—This notice may be cited as the Food Additives Notice 1977.

2. Duration of notice—This notice shall have effect for a period of 12 months commencing with the date of its notification in the *Gazette*.

3. Permitted substances in foods for which standards are prescribed—Notwithstanding anything in the Food and Drug Regulations 1973*, any food specified in the second column of the First Schedule to this notice may contain not more than the quantities specified in the third column of that Schedule of the substances specified in the first column of that Schedule in relation to that food.

4. Permitted incidental constituents—Notwithstanding anything in regulation 24 (2) of the Food and Drug Regulations 1973*, any food specified in the second column of the Second Schedule to this notice may contain not more than the quantity specified in the third column of that Schedule of residue of the pesticide specified in the first column of that Schedule in relation to that food.

SCHEDULES

FIRST SCHEDULE

Cl. 3

PERMITTED SUBSTANCES IN FOODS

Compound	Food	Permissible Proportion (Parts per million by weight)
Aklomide ..	.. Meat of Poultry ..	.. 0.1
Amprolium ..	.. Meat of Poultry ..	.. 0.5
	.. Whole Egg ..	.. 4.0
Carbadox ..	.. Pork ..	.. 0.1
Chlorhydroxyquinoline ..	.. Meat of Poultry ..	.. 0.1
Dimetridazole ..	.. Pork ..	.. 0.1
Ethopabate ..	.. Meat of Poultry ..	.. 5.0
Metichlorpindol ..	.. Meat of Poultry ..	.. 5.0
Robenidene ..	.. Meat of Poultry ..	.. 2.0
3,5 di nitro-o-toluamide ..	.. Meat of Poultry ..	.. 3.0

SECOND SCHEDULE

Cl. 4

PROPORTION OF PESTICIDES IN FOOD

Pesticide	Food	Permissible Proportion (Parts per million by weight)
Acephate ..	Citrus Fruit ..	.. 5.0
Brotianide ..	Meat fat, in any food ..	.. 0.1
Carbophenothion ..	Meat fat, in any food ..	.. 0.1
	Milk fat, in any food ..	.. 0.1
Coumaphos ..	Meat fat, in any food ..	.. 0.5
	Milk fat, in any food ..	.. 0.1
Maldison ..	Meat fat, in any food ..	.. 1.0
	Eggs ..	.. 1.0
Pyrantel ..	Meat fat, in any food ..	.. 0.3
Naled (expressed as dichlorvos)	Small fruit ..	.. 2.0
	Meat fat, in any food ..	.. 0.1
Naphtalophos ..	Meat fat, in any food ..	.. 1.0
Parbendazole ..	Meat ..	.. 0.1
	Milk ..	.. 0.1
Phosalone ..	Meat fat, in any food ..	.. 1.0
Rafoxanide ..	Meat ..	.. 0.1
Thiabendazole ..	Meat ..	.. 0.1

Dated at Wellington this 15 day of February 1977.

FRANK GILL,
Minister of Health.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

This note is not part of the notice, but is intended to indicate its general effect.

This notice varies, for a period of 12 months,—

- (a) The amount of certain additives that may be contained in certain foods; and
 (b) The amount of residue of certain pesticides that may be contained in certain foods.

Issued under the authority of the Regulations Act 1936.

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This notice is administered in the Department of Health.