

(Unofficial)

Ministerial Regulation

No. 11 (B.E.2547) (2004)

Issued pursuant to the Food Act B.E 2522 (1979)

By the virtue of provisions of Section 5 and Section 15 of the Food Act B.E. 2522 (1979), in which contain provisions in relation to the restriction of Rights and Liberties of the Persons, in respect of which Section 29 and in conjunction with Section 35, Section 39, Section 48 and Section 50 of the Constitution of the Kingdom of Thailand so permit by virtue of provisions of law; the Minister of Public Health hereby issues the Ministerial Regulation as follows:

Add the following wordings as Clause 4/1 of the Ministerial Regulation No.2 (B.E.2522) (1979) issued pursuant to the Food Act B.E 2522 (1979).

“Clause 4/1 Licensees who import food, which pose a serious risk in accordance with categories and type prescribed by Food and Drug Administration, for sale shall demonstrate to competent officers not only compliance with Clause 4 but also a Certificate of such food from authorized government agencies of the country of origin or from officially recognized certification agencies of the country of origin to certify that every lot of such imported food complied with a particular standard.

In case of having an evidence indicated that no certification issued in the country of origin according to Clause 1 , the licensee shall use certificate, which indicated that all lots of such imported food complied with a particular standard , issued by agencies in the countries that Food and Drug Administration prescribed.”

Given on the 19th March B.E.2547 (2004)

signed Sudarat Keyurabhun

(Mrs. Sudarat Keyurabhun)

Minister of Public Health

(Copy from Government Gazette Juridical edition Vol. 121, Part 33 Gor, dated 25th May 2004)

Certified true copy

Patchanee Intaraluk

(Miss Patchanee Intaraluk)

Food and Drug expert level 8

Remark : Reason to issue this Ministerial Regulation due to the current situation on importation of some kinds of food that pose hazard risk which may cause unsafe to consumers; hence, to have measures complied with international system to protect consumer for food safety effectively and to reduce problem of importation of food that not suitable for consumption; it is appropriate to impose importers of foods which pose a serious risk in accordance with categories and type prescribed by Food and Drug Administration shall have a Certificate of such food issued by authorized government agencies of the country of origin or from officially recognized certification agencies of the country of origin which indicated that such food complied with particular standards it deems to issue this Ministerial Regulation.

Note: This English version of the notification is translated to meet the need of the non-Thai speaking people. In case of any discrepancy between the Thai original and the English translation, the former will take priority.