(unofficial translation)

Notification of the Ministry of Public Health (No 344) B.E. 2555 (2012)

Re: Prescribed Prohibited Food to be Produced, Imported or Sold

It deems appropriate to amend the criteria of food which contain melamine and its analogues

By the virtue of provision of Section 5 and 6(8) of the Food Act B.E. 2522 (1979), which restricts personal rights and liberties in conjunction, in respect of which Section 29, 33, 41, 43 and 45 of the Constitution of the Kingdom of Thailand so permit by virtue of provisions of law; the Minister of Public Health issues the notification, advised by the Food Committee, as follows:

Clause 1. The Notification of the Ministry of Public Health No. 311 B.E. 2551 (2008), Re: Prescribed Prohibited Food to be Produced, Imported or Sold, dated 8th October B.E. 2551 (2008), shall be repealed.

Clause 2. Food contained melamine and its analogues (Cyanuric acid) is the prohibited food to be produced, imported or sold at the following limits

(2.1) Exceeding 1 mg/kg for modified milk for infant, modified milk of follow up formula for infant and young children, infant food, food of follow up formula for infant and young children food and supplementary food for infants and young children

(2.2) Exceeding 2.5 mg/kg for other kinds of food.

Clause 3. This notification is effective on the day following day of its announcement in the Government Gazette.

Notified on 17th April B.E. 2555 (2012)

Wittaya Buranasiri (Mr. Wittaya Buranasiri) Minister of Public Health

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