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PART I : SECTION (I) — GENERAL

Government Notifications

Directive No. 09

CONSUMER AFFAIRS AUTHORITY ACT, No. 9 OF 2003

Directive issued under Section 10 (1) (b) (ii)

Ranmini Kularatne Jayasooriya, Director General of the Consumer Affairs Authority acting under Section 10 (1) (b) (ii) of the Consumer Affairs Authority Act, No. 9 of 2003, do hereby direct as follows : –

All importers, manufacturers, supplies, agents, distributors and sellers of prepacketed goods, articles and products listed hereunder shall have the “Maximum Retail Price” applicable marked on the pack or container in the English Language at the point of entry to the island.

Any person who removes, alters, obliterates, erases or defaces any label, description or price mark on any good in respect of which a direction under sub-section (1) has been issued, or sells or offers for sale any such goods from or on which the label, description or price mark has been removed, altered, obliterated, erased or defaced, shall be guilty of an offence under the Consumer Affairs Authority Act.

This directive is applicable to the following articles and products : –

Meat and Meat Products sold in packs
Fish and other Sea foods sold in packs
Edible oil in packs or containers
Tea in packs
Coffee seed and powder in packs
Chocolates and Chocolate based products
Chutneys, Pickles and Sauces
Powdered Milk (Full Cream, Low-fat, Infant and Malted)
Condensed Milk
Infant Foods
Invalid Foods
Biscuits and all flour based Confectionary items
Cement
Chillie powder in packs or containers

Coriander seed or powder in packs or containers
Curry Powder in packs or containers
Pepper Powder in packs or containers
Turmeric Powder in packs or containers
Paints, Varnishes and Solvents used in the building industry
Domestic Antiseptics in containers
Pharmaceuticals and Vitamins sold in packs or containers
Margarine
Butter
Canned Fruits
Fruit Juice, Cordials and such other ready to drink beverages
Jams, Jellies and Marmalade
Yoghurt
Agricultural Fertilizer
Agro-chemicals
Aerated Water
Ice Cream
Food Preservatives
Natural Yeast Extract Products
Canned Fish
CFL Bulbs
Flour (powder made from any grain or pulses) sold in packs or containers
Soap (Toilet, medical, carbolic, shaving, soft, liquid, baby laundry)
Laundry Powder (flakes and chips)
Products made out of cocoa butter substitutes
Baby products (shampoo, oil, talcum powder, lotion)
Confectioneries such as cakes and sweets sold in packs or containers
Toothpaste
Batteries (torch and transistor)
Sugar sold in packs or containers
Grains and Pulses sold in packs or containers
Bread sold in packs
Dry Fish and Maldives Fish sold in packs or containers
Cheese sold in packs or containers
Eggs sold in packs or containers
Curd sold in packs or containers
Liquid milk (plain, flavoured or sweetened) sold in packs or containers
Powdered Beverages sold in packs or containers
Bottled water
Noodles vermicelli pasta and macaroni sold in packs or containers
Soya Products sold in packs or containers
Raw, Roasted, Salted or Spiced tubers, Nuts, Legumes and similar ready to eat food preparations sold in packs or containers

2. The name and the registered address of the manufacturer, supplier, importer or distributor should be clearly denoted on the pack or container of each article.

3. In this context the words “pack or container” means a pack or container containing prepackaged retail products.

4. This directive shall come into force with effect from 01.01.2007.

RANMINI KULARATNE JAYASOORIYA,
Director General.

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21st September, 2006.

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