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Subject

## INDUSTRY DISPENSATION: REDUCED OIL MAYONNAISE

The Department received a request to grant permission for the sale of a Reduced Oil Mayonnaise that is sold worldwide with a formulation based on an oil/fat content of about 23% compared to the prescribed 25-39% range required by the regulations. However, granting such a permission to only one role-player would be unfair to the rest of the industry.

In view of the above permission is hereby granted by the Executive Officer: Agricultural Product Standards in terms of section 3(1)(c) of the Agricultural Product Standards Act, 1990 (Act No. 119 of 1990), to the Mayonnaise Industry to manufacture and sell Reduced Oil Mayonnaise within an oil/fat range of 22 to 39%.

This permission is subject to the following conditions:

- (a) All other conditions of the relevant regulations shall be complied with.
- (b) It may be withdrawn at any time should a valid complaint be received.
- (c) The Mayonnaise Industry indemnifies this Directorate and the Department from any detrimental effect, financially or otherwise, which may emanate as a result of this permission.
- (d) Termination date: When the mentioned regulations for mayonnaise and salad dressing are amended.

AGRICULTURAL PRODUCT STANDARDS ACT, 1990 (ACT NO 119 OF 1990)

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