

RECEIVED D: 23.12.14 No. 476/L

CID Vies. Bengal

Government of West Bengal
Home Department
Secretariat
Nabanna, Shibpur, Howrah

From: A. K. Samanta
Assistant Secretary to the Govt. of West Bengal

- To: 1. The Director General & Inspector General of Police, West Bengal
Nabanna
Shibpur HRBC Building
Howrah
- 2. The Commissioner of Police, Kolkata
18, Lalbazar Street
Kolkata - 700 001

LE-9341/BG/S
18/12/14

ADG
17/12
18.12.14

No. 1548(2) - I.S.S.

Dated, Kolkata, the 9th December, 2014

Sub: Regarding Food Safety and Standards (Prohibition and Restrictions on Sales) Regulations, 2011.

Sir,

I am directed to send herewith a copy of the notification No 112/1IF/CFS/IM-6/2012(P1) dated 29.09.2014, regarding the abovementioned subject, as received from Ms. Godhuli Mukherjee, Commissioner of Food Safety, West Bengal, for doing the needful from your end regarding prohibition on sale of food products, containing tobacco and nicotine as ingredients, upto 30th April, 2015, in the State of West Bengal.

Yours faithfully,


A. K. Samanta
Asstt. Secy. to the Govt. of West Bengal

Encl: As stated

DIG (Spec)
[Signature]

S. S. (HA)
22.12.14

DS, Law
Pl arrange to circulate
22/12/14


 Government of West Bengal
 Health & Family Welfare Department
 Office of the Commissioner of Food Safety
 Swasthya Bhaban, GN - 29, Sector V.
 Salt Lake, Kolkata - 700091

104.07
 29.10.14

No. 112 / HF/CFS/1M - 6/ 2012 (Pt)

Dated Kolkata, the 29th September, 2014

3907/Asm

NOTIFICATION

WHEREAS regulation 2.3.4 of the Food Safety and Standards (Prohibition and Restrictions on Sales) Regulations 2011 made by the Food Safety and Standards Authority of India, in exercise of the powers conferred by clause (i) of sub - section (2) of section 92 of the Food Safety and Standards Act, 2006 (Central Act 34 of 2006) read with section 26 thereof, prohibits sale of articles of food in which tobacco and/or nicotine are used as ingredients, as they may be injurious to health;

AND WHEREAS, zarda and khaini, containing tobacco/nicotine as ingredients, are also food articles under Section 3 (j) of the Food Safety and Standards Act, 2006;

AND WHEREAS, it is expedient to prohibit zarda and khaini in the State of West Bengal as those are food products containing tobacco and/or nicotine as ingredients;

AND WHEREAS, the Commissioner of Food Safety of the State is empowered, under Section 30 of the Food Safety and Standards Act, 2006 to prohibit, in the interest of public health, the manufacture, storage, distribution or sale of any article of food in the whole of State, for a period of one year;

NOW, THEREFORE, in pursuance of regulation 2.3.4 of the Food Safety and Standards (Prohibition and Restrictions on Sales) Regulations, 2011, and in continuation to Notification No. 45/ HF/ CFS/ 1M - 6/ 2012 (Pt) dated 4th April 2014, the manufacture, storage, sale or distribution of food products where tobacco and nicotine has been used as ingredients including processed/ flavoured/ scented chewing tobacco/ nicotine whether going by the name or form of gutkha, zarda, khaini, panmasala or, by any other name it is available in the market, is hereby prohibited for a period upto 30th April 2015 in the State of West Bengal, in the interest of Public Health.

SDA-161
21-11-14

D-3574
23/09/14

[Handwritten signature]
Please put up

[Handwritten signature]
S.O. W. 14

[Handwritten signature]
29/9/14

(Godhuli Mukherjee)
 Commissioner of Food Safety
 West Bengal

[Handwritten signature]
 A. Bhattacharya
 7-11-14

Copy forwarded for information and wide publicity to:

1. Municipal Commissioner, Kolkata Municipal Corporation, 5, S N Banerjee Rd
Kolkata - 700 013
2. Commissioner of Police, Lalbazar, Kolkata - 700001.
3. Director of Information, Government of West Bengal, 'NABANNA', 325, Sarat
Chatterjee Road (Mandirtala) Howrah - 711102
4. District Magistrate, _____ (All Districts)
5. Superintendent of Police _____ (All Districts)
6. Chief Medical Officer of Health _____ (All Districts)
7. Dy. Chief Medical Officer of Health - II _____ (All Districts)
8. Designated Officer, Kolkata Municipal Corporation, Health Deptt. Food Safety
& Sanitation Cell, 5, S N. Banerjee Road, Kolkata - 700 013

Commissioner of Food Safety
West Bengal

No. 112/2(15)/HF/CFS/1M - 6/ 2012 (Pt) Dated Kolkata, the 29th September, 2014

Copy forwarded for information to

1. P.S. to the Hon'ble Minister of Health & Family Welfare, Government of India
348, A - Wing, Nirman Bhawan, New Delhi - 110011.
2. Chief Executive Officer, FSSAI, FDA Bhawan, Kotla Road, New Delhi - 110002
3. Director of Health Services & Ex-officio Secretary, Swasthya Bhawan, Kol-91
4. Director of Medical Education & Ex-officio Secretary, Swasthya Bhawan, Kol
91
5. Director General of Police, West Bengal
6. OSD to the Chief Secretary, Government of West Bengal, 'NABANNA' 325
Sarat Chatterjee Road (Mandirtala) Howrah - 711102.
7. Sr. PS to Additional Chief Secretary, Home Department, 'NABANNA' 325,
Sarat Chatterjee Road (Mandirtala) Howrah - 711102
8. Sr. PS to Principal Secretary, Finance Department, 'NABANNA' 325, Sarat
Chatterjee Road (Mandirtala) Howrah - 711102
9. Sr. PS to Principal Secretary, H & FW Department, Swasthya Bhawan, Kol-91
10. Sr. PS to Principal Secretary, Panchayat & RD Department, Joint
Administrative Building, Block HC -7, Sector - III, Salt Lake, Kolkata - 700105
11. Sr. PS to Principal Secretary, Municipal Affairs Department, 'NABANNA' 325
Sarat Chatterjee Road (Mandirtala) Howrah - 711102
12. Sr. PS to Principal Secretary, I & CA Department, 'NABANNA' 325, Sarat
Chatterjee Road (Mandirtala) Howrah - 711102
13. Sr. PS to Secretary, Consumer Affairs Department, 11A, Mirza Ghalib Street,
Kolkata - 700087
14. Sr. PS to Secretary (PHP) & CFW, Swasthya Bhawan, Salt Lake, Kol - 91
15. ADHS (Oncology), Swasthya Bhawan, Salt Lake, Kolkata - 91
16. IT Cell of this Department for publication of the notification in official website.

Commissioner of Food Safety
West Bengal

CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION DEPARTMENT
WEST BENGAL
BHABANI BHAWAN, ALIPORE
KOLKATA - 700 027

Memo No. 1776 /Law

December 26, 2014

- To
- 1) All DGPs of WB
 - 2) All ADGPs of WB.
 - 3) All IGP's of WB.
 - 4) All Spl. IGP's of WB.
 - 5) All DIG's of WB.
 - 6) All C.Ps / S.Ps / S.R.Ps of the District in WB.
 - 7) All SSPs of CID, WB / EB, WB / IB, WB.
 - 8) All Dy.SP's of CID WB.
 - 9) All DDIs of CID WB.
 - 10) All O/Cs of Hqrs. Units of CID WB.

Sub: Regarding Food Safety and Standards (Prohibition and Restrictions on Sales) Regulations, 2011.

Ref: Memo 1548(2)-I.S.S. dtd.09.12.14 of the Asstt. Secy. to the Govt. of WB, Home Dept. Secret Section, Nabanna, Howrah routed through DG&IGP, WB vide his office No.9941/DG/2014 dtd 18.12.14.

Kindly/Please find enclosed herewith the copy of the memo together with a copy of Notification No.112/HF/CFS/1M-6/2012 (Pt) Dtd.29.09.14 of the Commissioner of Food Safety, WB in c/w the matter noted under subject which is self explanatory.

This is for your information and doing needful from your end regarding prohibition on sale of food products, containing tobacco and nicotine as ingredients upto 30th April, 2015 in the State of West Bengal in the interest of Public Health.

Encl: As stated above.

SGP/26/11/14
Spl. Supdt. of Police (Hqrs.)
CID West Bengal