

Food Standards (Application A1043 – World Health Organization Limits for Packaged Water) Variation

The Board of Food Standards Australia New Zealand gives notice of the making of this variation under section 92 of the *Food Standards Australia New Zealand Act 1991*. The variation commences on the date specified in clause 3.

Dated 15 February 2013

Standards Management Officer

Delegate of the Board of Food Standards Australia New Zealand

1 Name

This instrument is the Food Standards (Application A1043 – World Health Organization Limits for Packaged Water) Variation.

2 Variation to Standards in the Australia New Zealand Food Standards Code

The Schedule varies the Standards in the Australia New Zealand Food Standards Code.

3 Commencement

These variations commence on 21 February 2013, other than variation [3.2] which commences on 21 February 2015.

SCHEDULE

- [1] Standard 1.3.3 is varied by omitting from the Table to clause 11 "0.03 (as styrene)" and substituting "0.02 (as styrene)"
- [2] Standard 1.4.1 is varied by omitting from the Table to clause 3

Vinyl chloride All food 0.01

and substituting

Vinyl chloride All food except packaged water 0.01

- [3] Standard 2.6.2 is varied by
- [3.1] inserting after clause 2 the following –

"2AA Limits for chemicals in packaged water

- (1) Water presented in packaged form may or may not contain added carbon dioxide.
- (2) Water presented in packaged form must not contain a chemical listed in *Table A3.3* Guideline values for chemicals that are of health significance in drinking-water of Annex 3 Chemical summary tables in the Guidelines for drinking-water quality, 4th edition, 2011, World Health Organization, Geneva, at a level greater than the guideline value for the chemical specified in that Table.
- (3) Subclause (2) does not apply to fluoride.
- (4) Water presented in packaged form must not contain fluoride that is naturally-occurring in the water at a level greater than 1.0 mg/L.

Editorial note:

Clause 3 of Standard 1.4.1 sets a maximum level for Acrylonitrile of 0.02 mg/kg in all food. Clause 4 of Standard 1.4.1 sets a maximum level for Pulegone of 250 mg/kg in beverages.

2AB Compliance with clause 2 or 2AA

Water presented in packaged form must comply with clause 2 or 2AA, but not a combination of both."

- [3.2] repealing clauses 2 and 2AB
- [3.3] updating the Table of Provisions to reflect these variations.