

**Food Standards (Proposal P1041 – Removal of Country of Origin Labelling Requirements) 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 of this variation.

Dated 29 August 2016



Standards Management Officer

Delegate of the Board of Food Standards Australia New Zealand

**Note:**

This variation will be published in the Commonwealth of Australia Gazette No. FSC 107 on 1 September 2016. This means that this date is the gazettal date for the purposes of the above notice.

**1 Name**

This instrument is the *Food Standards (Proposal P1041– Removal of Country of Origin Labelling Requirements) Variation*.

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

The Schedule repeals and varies standards in the *Australia New Zealand Food Standards Code*.

**3 Commencement**

The variation commences on the day that is 24 months after the commencement of the *Country of Origin Food Labelling Information Standard 2016*.

**Schedule**

**[1] Standard 1.1.1** is varied by

[1.1] omitting from subsection 1.1.1—2(2)

 Standard 1.2.11 Information requirements – country of origin labelling

 ***Note*** Applies in Australia only

[1.2]omitting Note 1 to subsection 1.1.1—3(1), substituting

 ***Note 1*** The following provisions have not been incorporated by reference into a food standard under the *Food Act 2014* (NZ):

 (i) Standard 1.4.2 (agvet chemicals);

 (ii) Standard 1.6.2 (processing requirements for meat);

 (iii) section 2.1.1—5 (requirement for folic acid and thiamin in bread);

 (iv) section 2.2.1—12 (bovine must be free from bovine spongiform encephalopathy);

 (v) Standard 2.2.2 (eggs);

 (vi) subsection 2.4.2—3(2) and subsection 2.4.2—3(4) (requirement for food sold as table edible oil spreads and table margarine);

 (vii) Chapter 3 (food safety standards) and Chapter 4 (primary production and processing standards).

**[2] Standard 1.2.1** is varied by

[2.1] omitting paragraph 1.2.1—5(b)

[2.2] omitting the notes at the end of subsection 1.2.1—6(1), substituting

 ***Note*** See section 1.2.1—9 for information requirements for food for sale that does not need to bear a label.

[2.3] omitting section 1.2.1—7

[2.4] omitting paragraph 1.2.1—11(c)

[2.5] omitting section 1.2.1—14

**[3]** **Standard 1.2.11** is repealed.