केन्द्रीय मुहर विभाग -2

संदर्भ -: के मू वी-2/16 : 14543

विषय: संशोधित संख्या 8 से IS 14543 : 2016 के कार्यान्वयन के लिए दिशा निर्देश ।

यह उपरोक्त विषय के संदर्भ में है।

सक्षम अधिकारी द्वारा अनुमोदित दिशा निर्देश अनुपालन हेतु संलग्न है ।

सभी क्षेत्रीय/शाखा कार्यालयों से अनुरोध है की दिशा निर्देशों का तत्काल प्रभाव से अनुपालन सुनिश्चित करें।

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<u>प्रमुख (के मू वी 2)</u> सभी क्षेत्रीय/शाखा कार्यालय/प्रयोगशालाओं/FAD/LRMD

CENTRAL MARKS DEPARTMENT-2

Our Ref: CMD-2/16 : 14543

06/01/2023

Subject : Guidelines for implementation of Amendment No 8 to IS 14543 : 2016

This has reference to the subject mentioned above.

The Competent Authority has approved the enclosed Guidelines for implementation.

All ROs/BOs are requested to ensure the implementation of the above Guidelines with immediate effect.

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Head (CMD-2)

All ROs/BOs/Labs/FAD/LRMD

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CENTRAL MARKS DEPARTMENT-2

Our Ref: CMD-2/16: 14543

05.01.2023

Subject: Guidelines for implementation Amendment No. 08 to IS 14543:2016 for Packaged Drinking Water (other than Packaged Natural Mineral Water) — Specification

- 1. Amendment No. 08 to IS 14543:2016 has been published. The last date for implementation of Amendment No. 08 is **11th March 2023**.
- 2. All BOs shall inform the Applicants and Licencees under their jurisdiction about implementation of the above amendment within a week of issuance of these guidelines
- 3. The significant changes in the amendment as listed in the table below is given for the purpose of general guidance. BOs shall ensure that the product conforms to all the requirements, as applicable, as per the amendment :-

Clause No.	Changes
Clause 6: Packing	 a) Containers/bottles/pouches shall be made of food grade plastic material or other food grade packaging materials, namely paper and paper board materials/ glass/ metal and metal alloys which may or may not contain plastic as component b) Paper based multilayer laminated/extruded composite cartons shall be conforming to IS 17753 c) Aluminum cans shall be conforming to Indian Standard on Aluminum cans for packaged natural mineral water and packaged drinking water-Specification'[Doc: PGD 38(20182)]
Clause 7.1(e): Marking	The 'Date of processing/packing' as mentioned on the label of bottle/container has been changed to 'Date of manufacture or packaging' and 'Expiry/Use by'
Clause 7.1(g): Marking	The 'Best Before(Date/Month/Year) or Best BeforeDays or Months from Packaging/Manufacture' as mentioned on the label of bottle/container has been changed to 'Best Before date (optional)'
Clause 7.1	A note has been included indicating the manner of declaration of date of manufacture/packaging/expiry/use by/best before viz. DDMMYY format

- 4. Consequent upon the issuance of the amendment, the existing product manual has been revised. The same is being circulated separately. Additionally, reference to ensure compliance to Hygiene checklist has been drawn in the Product manual, which is required to be checked, filled up, duly-signed and uploaded as an attachment alongwith the factory test report. Hygiene assessment shall be done during all inspections (Preliminary inspection, Surveillance inspection, verification inspections).
- 5. The guideline for implementation of amendment no.08 to IS 14543:2016 is as given below:

A. LICENSEES

(i) All Licensees shall implement the amendment No. 08 to IS 14543:2016 by **11th March 2023**. Any difficulty in implementation shall be brought to the notice of CMD 2 at the earliest but in any case, at least 30 days before the last date of implementation. BOs shall ensure that no Licences are under operation as per IS 14543:2016 without the amendment No. 08 after **11th March 2023**. The status of implementation of the amendment shall be confirmed by Head (BO) to CMD-2 within two weeks of the last date of concurrent running.

(ii) Licensees shall submit evidence of compliance for the marking requirements, by **11th March 2023.**

(iii) If the Licensee fails to complete all actions by **11th March 2023, as applicable**, it shall be dealt with as per the prevailing guidelines.

B. APPLICATIONS FOR GRANT OF LICENCE:

(i) Existing Applications where Sample has been submitted in the Laboratory/Test Report has been issued by the Laboratory may be processed without consideration of the amendment. However, if the Applicant is desirous of considering the standard with the amendment, a declaration may be obtained from the Applicant to that effect and the Application may be processed accordingly.

(ii) Applications which are recorded henceforth may be processed with/without consideration of the amendment No. 08. Processing of Applications without considering Amendment No. 08 shall be permitted only up to **11th March 2023** and for such cases Applicant shall give a declaration that they will implement the amendment by **11th March 2023**.

(iii) Beyond **11th March 2023**, no Licence shall be granted without consideration of amendment no.08.

C. CHANGE IN SCOPE OF LICENCE:

(i) For change in scope of licence, the relevant provisions as given above for Applicants shall apply.

(ii) However, processing of such applications for change in scope of licence without consideration of the amendment shall be permitted only upto the date of implementation of the amendment by the licensee or upto **11th March 2023** whichever is earlier

6. The above guidelines come into force with immediate effect.

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Circulated to: i) All RO/BOs ii) All other concerned - through BIS intranet