



**Food (Revocation of Maximum Residue Limits of Agricultural  
Compounds, Importer Listing, Importer General Requirements,  
Prescribed Foods, and Imported Milk and Milk Products Standards)  
Standard 2016**

Pursuant to section 11L of the Food Act 1981 the Minister for Food Safety revokes the following New Zealand Food Standards:

New Zealand (Maximum Residue Limits of Agricultural Compounds) Food Standards 2015

New Zealand (Maximum Residue Limits of Agricultural Compounds) Food Standards 2015, Amendment No. 1

Food (Importer Listing) Standard 2008

Food (Importer General Requirements) Standard 2008

Food (Prescribed Foods) Standard 2007

Food (Imported Milk and Milk Products) Standard 2009

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(Signed)

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### **Revocation**

#### **1 Title**

This revocation standard is the Food (Revocation of Maximum Residue Limits of Agricultural Compounds, Importer Listing, Importer General Requirements, Prescribed Foods, and Imported Milk and Milk Products Standards) Standard 2016

#### **2 Commencement**

This revocation standard comes into force on the close of 29 February 2016.

#### **3 Revocation**

This revocation standard revokes the following New Zealand Food Standards:

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New Zealand (Maximum Residue Limits of Agricultural Compounds) Food Standards 2015, Amendment No. 1

Food (Importer Listing) Standard 2008

Food (Importer General Requirements) Standard 2008

Food (Prescribed Foods) Standard 2007

Food (Imported Milk and Milk Products) Standard 2009

### **Explanatory Note**

*This note is not part of the revocation standard and has been included to explain its general effect.*

The revocation standard revokes the New Zealand (Maximum Residue Limits of Agricultural Compounds) Food Standards 2015 and Amendment No. 1, the Food (Importer Listing) Standard 2008, the Food (Importer General Requirements) Standard 2008, the Food (Prescribed Foods) Standard 2007, and the Food (Imported Milk and Milk Products) Standard 2009.

The New Zealand (Maximum Residue Limits of Agricultural Compounds) Food Standards 2015 and the New Zealand (Maximum Residue Limits of Agricultural Compounds) Food Standards 2015 Amendment No. 1 will be replaced by the Food Notice: Maximum Residue Levels for Agricultural Compounds, issued under the Food Act 2014.

The Food (Importer Listing) Standard 2008 and the Food (Importer General Requirements) Standard 2008 are being revoked because the Food Act 2014 will replace these standards by the requirement for food importers to either be registered with the Director-General of the Ministry for Primary Industries or to import via an agent who is registered (Food Act 2014 (Sections 106-125), and duties of registered importers (Food Regulations 2015 (Regulations 122-127).

The Food (Prescribed Foods) Standard 2007 and the Food (Imported Milk and Milk Products) Standard 2009 will be replaced by the Importing Food Notice issued under the Food Act 2014.

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### **Food standards subject to Legislation Act 2012**

Food standards, including this revocation, are subject to the Legislation Act 2012. Any person has the right to make a complaint about a food standard to the Regulations Review Committee.

### **Availability of food law**

An outline of New Zealand food law, and further advisory information on this amendment, can be viewed on the Ministry for Primary Industries' (MPI) Food Safety Website [www.foodsafety.govt.nz](http://www.foodsafety.govt.nz) or can be obtained from MPI, Policy Branch, P.O. Box 2526, Wellington.

Copies of all New Zealand food law, including food standards, can be viewed free of charge at MPI, 25 The Terrace, Wellington, or purchased from Bennetts Bookstores: Enquiries for purchase of Legislation, Professional and General book titles can be made via the below phone, fax or email address.

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