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Country
N - Norway

Language
EN - English

3A. Department Responsible

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3B. Originating Department

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5. Title

Draft Regulation (vitamins and minerals) amending the Norwegian Regulation on the addition of vitamins, minerals and certain other substances to foods.

6. Products and/or Services Concerned

C50A - Foodstuffs

C80A - Additives, vitamins, minerals and flavourings

7. Notification under another Community Act

- [ ] Regulation (EC) nº 315/93 on contaminants in food
- [ ] Regulations (EC) nº 852/853/854/2004 relating to the hygiene of foodstuffs
- [ ] Regulation (EC) nº 1924/2006 concerning nutrition and health claims made on foods
- [x] Regulation (EC) nº 1925/2006 concerning the addition of vitamins and minerals and certain other substances to foods
- [ ] Directive 94/62/EC on packaging and packaging waste
- [ ] Regulation (EU) No 1169/2011 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 25 October 2011 on the provision of food information to consumers
- [ ] Directive 2006/123/EC on services in the internal market
  - [ ] Information society services only

    or specify provisions

    - [ ] quantitative or territorial restrictions
    - [ ] obligation to take a specific legal form
    - [ ] requirements which relate to the shareholding of a company
    - [ ] requirements which reserve access to particular providers
    - [ ] a ban on having more than one establishment in the territory of the same State
    - [ ] requirements fixing a minimum number of employees
    - [ ] fixed tariffs with which the provider must comply
    - [ ] obligation to supply other specific services

☐ Other/Additional Information

8. Main Content

Regulation (EC) No 1925/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council on the addition of vitamins and minerals and of certain other substances to foods, is incorporated in No 54zzzu of Chapter XII of Annex II to the EEA-agreement, and implemented in national law in Section 1 of the Norwegian Regulation No 247 of 26 February 2010 on the addition of vitamins, minerals and certain other substances to foods.

The draft Regulation amends and replaces the supplementary national provisions relating to the addition of vitamins and minerals to foods in Chapter II of the Norwegian Regulation No 247 of 26 February 2010 on the addition of vitamins, minerals and certain other substances to foods.

Section 2. Scope of the Chapter

The national provisions of Chapter II of the draft Regulation apply in addition to and supplement the provisions on vitamins and minerals in Section 1, ref. Regulation (EC) No. 1925/2006. This means, inter alia, that the national provisions on vitamins and minerals of Chapter II of the draft Regulation:
- do not apply to food supplements covered by Directive 2002/46/EC (ref. article 1 (2) of Regulation (EC) No 1925/2006)

9. Brief Statement of Grounds

The aim of the draft Regulation is to ensure the proper use of vitamins and minerals added to foods. No common maximum quantities for the addition of vitamins and minerals to foodstuffs have been laid down in accordance with Article 6 (1) of Regulation (EC) No 1925/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council on the addition of vitamins and minerals and of certain other substances to foods.

The Ministry of Health and Care Services finds that, in the interests of protecting human health, there is a need for national regulation until common rules have been introduced in the EEA.

10. Reference Documents, Basic Texts

☐ No Basic Text exists

☐ Limit the marketing or use of a chemical substance, preparation or product

☑ References of the Basic Texts

Norwegian Act No 124 of 19 December 2003 relating to food production and food safety etc. (Food Act).

Regulation (EC) No 1925/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council on the addition of vitamins and minerals and of certain other substances to foods.

☐ Basic Texts have been forwarded within the framework of a previous notification

Reference of previous notification(s)

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11. Invocation of the Urgency Procedure

☐ Yes

12. Grounds for the Urgency

13. Confidentiality

☐ Yes

14. Fiscal measures

☐ Yes

15. Impact assessment

☐ Yes (in a separate file)

or specify

Please see the Norwegian national public consultation:
https://www.mattilsynet.no/mat_og_vann/tilsatte_stoffer/tilsatte_vitaminer_mineraler_og_andre_stoffer/nasjonal_forskriftsbestemmelse_om_tilsetning_av_vitaminer_eller_mineraler_til_vanlige_naeringsmidler.29921

16. TBT and SPS aspects

TBT aspect

☑ Yes

☐ No - The draft is not a technical regulation nor a conformity assessment

☐ No - The draft is in conformity with an international standard

☐ No - The draft has no significant impact on international trade

SPS aspect

☐ Yes

☑ No - The draft is not a sanitary or phytosanitary measure

☐ No – Content is the same as that of an international standard, directive or recommendation

☐ No - The draft has no significant impact on international trade