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6. Products Concerned

Foodstuffs intended for specific medical uses.

7. Notification Under Another Act

Council Directive 79/112/EEC of 18 December 1978.

8. Main Content

The aim of the draft is to lay down certain conditions to facilitate the identification of dietary products eligible for financing under the national health system, in order to make it easier for financing with regard to foodstuffs

intended for specific medical uses to be carried out in accordance with current legislation.

The draft order thus establishes that foodstuffs intended for specific medical uses eligible for financing under the national health system should be given an identity code for each presentation, which must be granted by the Department of Public Health.

Packaging containing this type of foodstuffs must be equipped with a detachable seal bearing the characteristics and identification data of the product as laid down in the Annex.

9. Brief Statement of Grounds

The aim of the draft is to facilitate the recognition and management of presentations relating to foodstuffs intended for specific medical uses eligible for financing under the national health system.

10. Reference Documents - Basic Texts

Royal Decree 63/1995 of 20 January on the planning of sanitary financing by the national health system. Order of 30 April 1997 regulating complex dietary treatments.

Order of 2 June 1998 on the regulation of enteral nutrition in the home under the national health system.

11. Invocation of the Emergency Procedure

No

12. Grounds for the Emergency

13. Confidentiality

No

14. Fiscal measures

No

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