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## **Draft order on the use of vitamin D in milk and staple fresh milk products (yoghurts and fermented milk, fresh cheeses).**

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**4. Notification Number**

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**5. Title**

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**6. Products Concerned**

The aim of this draft order is to authorise the use of vitamin D in milk and staple fresh milk products (yoghurts and fermented milk, fresh cheeses) provided that the content of the end product does not exceed 1 µg for 100 ml of milk, or 20% of the recommended daily allowance, and 1.25 µg for 100 ml of fresh milk products, or 25 % of the recommended daily allowance. These methods of enrichment allow for a consumption of vitamin D of between 1.5 and 10 µg per day for 95% of the population.

**7. Notification Under Another Act**

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## 8. Main Content

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## 9. Brief Statement of Grounds

This new provision was the subject of a favourable opinion of the French Supreme Council for Public Health and the French Academy of Medicine, following a request for an authorisation of use submitted by a professional.

## 10. Reference Documents - Basic Texts

Decree of 15 April 1912, amended, implementing the Act of 1 August 1905 on foodstuffs.

## 11. Invocation of the Emergency Procedure

No

## 12. Grounds for the Emergency

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## 13. Confidentiality

No

## 14. Fiscal measures

No

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