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DISPENSATION: VINAIGRETTE

Please refer to the correspondence regarding vinaigrette during February this year.

Permission is hereby granted by the Executive Officer: Agricultural Product Standards in terms of section 3(1)(c) of the Agricultural Product Standards Act, 1990 (Act No. 119 of 1990), to all the manufacturers and packers of salad dressings to use the word "Vinaigrette" as a synonym for salad dressing although the acidifying agent does not include wine vinegar as prescribed in regulation 5(4) of Government Notice No. R. 636 of 30 June 2000. (The use of wine vinegar in vinaigrette is thus not compulsory anymore.)

This permission is subject to the following conditions:

- (a) All other conditions of the relevant regulations shall be complied with.
- (b) It may be withdrawn at any time should a valid complaint be received.
- (c) All manufacturers and packers of salad dressings indemnify this Directorate and the Department from any detrimental effect, financially or otherwise, which may emanate as a result of this permission.
- (d) Termination date: When a relevant amendment to the regulation with regard to mayonnaise and salad dressings is published in the Government Gazette

DIRECTOR: 
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