Iron filing in tea

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Food Safety and Standards Authority of India
(Ministry of Health & Family Welfare)
FDA Bhawan, Kotla Road,
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STATUTORY ADVISORY

Subject: Iron filing in tea.

In continuation of the statutory advisory dated 23rd November, 2012 issued by this Authority regarding the limit of iron filing in tea (150mg/kg), it has been decided to extend the timeline up to 23rd May, 2014. It is also stated that specific prosecution may not be launched within the prescribed limit of iron filings in tea as mentioned above up to 23rd May, 2014 or till further order whichever is earlier.

2. Suitable instruction may kindly be issued to the enforcement staff in this regard.

This order issues with the approval of the Competent Authority by virtue of power conferred on FSSAI under 16(5) of Food Safety and Standards Act, 2006.

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To,
All Food Safety Commissioners of States/ UTs