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Government Notifications

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FOOD ACT, No. 26 OF 1980

REGULATIONS made by the Minister of Health and Mass Media, in consultation with the Food Advisory Committee under Section 32 of the Food Act, No. 26 of 1980.

DR. NALINDA JAYATISSA (M.P.),
Minister of Health and Mass Media.

Colombo,
26th March, 2026.

Regulations

The Food (Trans-Fat) Regulations, 2022, published in *Gazette Extraordinary* No. 2319/41 of February 14, 2023, as amended from time to time, is hereby further amended in regulation 8 thereof, by the substitution for the definition of the expression “trans-fat” of the following:-

““trans-fat” means all the geometrical isomers of monounsaturated and polyunsaturated fatty acids having non-conjugated, interrupted by at least one methylene group, carbon-carbon double bonds in the trans configuration and includes -

- (a) trans-fat naturally occurring in fat of animal origin; and
- (b) trans-fat other than trans-fat referred to in paragraph (a).”.

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