

Dear Members,

Cape Workshop: Labelling & Advertising of Food: Amendments (R429)

The first of two workshops on the above was successfully held in Johannesburg on 9 July. The event was well attended and feedback has been very positive. It is now the turn of Cape Branch Members and any others who missed the Johannesburg workshop to focus their attention on these draft regulations with guidance from the seasoned labelling specialists, Nigel Sunley and Jane Badham. More information and registration details follow below.

Cape Branch Members are reminded of two further events in the Mother City, namely the Ingredients Symposium at CPUT on 23 July and the very exciting Executive Breakfast and Leon Louw presentation at the Granger Bay Hotel School Restaurant on 6 August. Northern Branch Members can look forward to the Buhler presentation on the Food Factory of the Future being presented at 3M in Johannesburg on 31 July. KZN Members may be interested in the two-day Hygienic Design of Food Processing Plants in Durban on 5&6 August.

Info on these events has been circulated but is available on the events calendar on the SAAFoST website home-page (www.saafofst.org.za) or in the SAAFoST website mailbox where all membership circulars are filed for easy reference (<http://www.saafofst.org.za/Mail/2014/index.asp>).

Rest assured, there is always something interesting, relevant and educational on the boil at SAAFoST!
Regards

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The Labelling & Advertising of Food: Amendments (R429) Workshop. Stellenbosch. 30 July 2014

Workshop Programme

The presenters will run through R429 & the Guidelines following the same order as the documents themselves. They will emphasise those key areas where the earlier R146 remains unchanged and those where there are significant amendments that will require changes to current labels. The complete new sections will be covered in detail - the claims and new Guidelines in particular. This workshop will assist delegates to understand and interpret these draft regulations and the considerable impact that they will have on the food industry and it will be very helpful to those wanting to submit comments on them to the Department of Health before the deadline date of 29 August 2014. Workshop notes will be provided but delegates wanting to refer to the regulations and guidelines themselves should bring along their own copies of these. Note that the Draft Regulations, the Guidelines and the Template for comments on the regulations can all be found on the SAAFoST website home-page under Events. Members who have particular concerns, comments or observations on the regulations, that they would like to bring to the attention of the presenters

for possible discussion during the workshop, are welcome to forward these to Viroscha at the SAAFoST Secretariat by return of mail.

Venue, Times & Cost

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Date: Wednesday 30 July 2014

Venue: Dept Food Science, Stellenbosch University

Address: c/o Hammanshand & Helshoogte, Stellenbosch

Programme duration and registration times:

Registration from 12:30 with tea and coffee

Program starts at 13:00 and ends not later than 17:15

Registration Fee: R800-00 (includes VAT)

Late Registration fee of R1,250-00 charged from : Friday 25 July 2014

Registration

Booking Procedure

- i) Kindly provide all of the information below and forward it to Irene Burke saafost.irene@telkomsa.net
- ii) Irene will respond immediately with an invoice which must please be paid asap - see bank details below.
- iii) Proof of payment must be sent to Irene at: saafost.irene@telkomsa.net or fax: 086 698 4784
- iv) Registration will take place on receipt of proof of payment and Irene will confirm registration by e-mail.
- v) If Irene has not responded to your proof of payment within one working day, you have not been registered, in which case - kindly follow up

Thank you for attending carefully to this detail - it saves a lot of bank time and frustration later on!

Details Required by Irene for Registration:

- 1) Names of all attendees:
- 2) Name of Organisation / Company:
- 3) Contact Telephone No:
- 4) Contact fax number:
- 5) Contact e-mail address:
- 6) Organisation VAT number:7) Organisation Postal Address:

Bank Deposit Details for when you receive your invoice:

Use only this bank account please:

Account Name: SAAFoST

Bank: ABSA Brooklyn

Account No: 920 582 0197

Branch Code: 632 005

Deposit Reference:

Your SAAFoST invoice number or attendee and company name and date of workshop i.e. **30July**

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