

Attachment (2)

BUREAU OF INDIAN STANDARDS

MINUTES

Committee Name	Day	Date	Time	Place
23 rd Meeting of Drinks and Drinking Water Sectional Committee, FAD 14	Wednesday	20 May 2015	1030	Lal C. Verma Conference Hall, BIS Headquarters, 9, Bahadur Shah Zafar Marg, New Delhi - 110002.

Chairman: Prof. Ram Rajasekharan,
Director
Central Food Technological
Research Institute (CFTRI)
Mysore

Member Secretary: V. Gopinath
Scientist E
Food and Agriculture Bureau of
Indian Standards New Delhi

ATTENDANCE

S. No.	ORGANIZATION	MEMBER
1	Central Food Technology Research Institute, Mysore	Prof. Ram Rajasekharan (Chairman)
2.	All India Food Processors' Association, New Delhi	Ms. Shreya Pandey (Principal Member)
3.	Bhabha Atomic Research Centre, Mumbai	Dr (Mrs). G. G. Pandit
4.	Central Ground Water Board, New Delhi	Mrs. Rumi Mukherjee (Alternate Member)
5.	Central Revenue Control Laboratory, New Delhi	Dr. S. C. Mathur (Alternate Member)
6.	Centre for Science and Environment	Mr. Amit Khurana (Alternate Member)
7.	CONCERT, Chennai	Mr. G. Santhanarajan (Alternate Member)
8.	Central Food Technology Research Institute	Dr. Anu Appaiah (Principal Member)
9.	CIFTI – FICCI	Ms. Pinki Agarwal (Alternate Member)
10.	Indian Beverages Association (IBA)	Mr. Sunil Adsule (Alternate Member)
11.	Indian Bottled Water Manufacturer's Welfare Association (IBWMWA)	Mr. Apoorva Doshi
12.	Greater Chennai Packaged Drinking Water Manufacturer's Association, Chennai	Mr. M. Vikram (Principal Member)
13.	In personal capacity	Mr. O. N. Srivastava
SPECIAL INVITEES		
14.	Division of Agriculture Chemicals, IARI, New Delhi	Dr. V. T. Gajbhiye, Head and Chairman, FAD 27
15.	Division of Agriculture Chemicals, IARI, New Delhi	Dr (Mrs). Irani Mukherjee
16.	Central Food Technology Research Institute	Mr. M. A. Srinivasa
17.	Centre for Science and Environment	Mr. Chandra Bhushan
18.	Centre for Science and Environment	Mr. Ramakant Sahu
BIS DIRECTORATE GENERAL		
19.	Food and Agriculture Department	Mr. Ameer – uz – Zaman, Sc – E
20.	Food and Agriculture Department	Mr. V. Gopinath, Sc – E (Member Secretary)
21.	Central Marks Department – II	Mr. P. S. Yadav, Sc – E
22.	Central Marks Department – II	Mr. S. Basu, Sc – D
ALSO ATTENDED (with permission from Chair)		
23.	Mr. Avinash Rastogi representing CIFTI – FICCI	

ITEM 0 GENERAL

0.1 Welcome by Scientist 'F' & Head, Food and Agriculture Department.

Mr. Ameer – uz – Zaman, Scientist – E, Food and Agriculture Department of BIS officiating for the Head of the Department, welcomed the Chairman, FAD 14 and thanked him for chairing the meeting at this short notice despite his busy schedule. He also welcomed the members and the officers of CMD to the meeting and hoped that there would be active participation.

5.2 Comments on IS 14543: 2004, Indian Standard on Packaged Drinking Water (other than Packaged Natural Mineral water) – Specification

5.2.1 Committee examined the comments from M/s CONCERT Trust regarding fixation of minimum limits also for TDS, Ca and Mg in the product along with the Maximum limits supported by the study report from Czech Republic as placed at Annex VIII of the agenda and **after deliberations decided not to consider the proposal.**

5.2.2 Committee noted that the comments from M/s Green Valley Beverages India Pvt Ltd., Keral with respect to test methods as given in various parts of IS 3025 referred for testing of Zinc, Alkalinity and Residual free Chlorine in IS 14543: 2004, IS 13428: 2005 and IS 10500: 2012 pertain to the Chemical Department (CHD) of BIS and that the same has been referred to CHD for consideration and necessary action.

ITEM 6 REPORT ON THE FIRST MEETING OF THE ALCOHOLIC DRINKS SUBCOMMITTEE

6.1 Committee examined the minutes of the first meeting of the Alcoholic Drinks Subcommittee (FAD 14: 1) held on 12 March 2015 and placed at Annexure X of the agenda and after deliberations decided as per the following:

- a) Co-option of All India Brewer's Association in the Subcommittee.
- b) Issue of the recommendation of the Subcommittee on Organoleptic Requirements of Bear as per Cl 5.7 of IS 3865: 2001 as draft amendment for wide circulation.
- c) No need to revise or amend the Indian Standard on Toddy as per IS 8538: 2004.
- d) To take up the proposal for standard of water for alcoholic drinks industry as recommended by the Subcommittee as a part of the review considered for IS 4251 – Quality tolerances for water for processed food industry and not as a separate standard.
- e) To issue draft amendment for alcohol content in Neutral spirit for Alcoholic Drinks – Specification as per IS 6613: 2002 reducing the minimum limits from 96 percent to 95 percent.

ITEM 7 WTO TBT ENQUIRY POINT

The Committee noted the information given under item 7.1 and 7.2 of the agenda regarding WTO-TBT Enquiry Point.

ITEM 8 E-SALES OF INDIAN STANDARDS

The Committee noted the information given under item 8.1 of the agenda regarding e-sale of Indian Standards.

ITEM 9 CERTIFICATION SCHEMES OF BIS

The Committee noted the information given under item 9.1 and Annex XI of the agenda regarding certification schemes of BIS.

ITEM 10 TIME AND PLACE FOR THE NEXT MEETING

The Committee decided that the date and venue of the next meeting of FAD 14 would be decided in consultation with the Chairman.

ITEM 11 ANY OTHER BUSINESS

As there was no other business the meeting ended with heartiest vote of thanks to the Chair and the members.