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International Food Law

19-20 June 2019

Programme – Day 1

- 09.00 Registration and refreshments
- 09.15 Welcome and introduction

Section 1 – Latin America

- 09.30 **Overview of food legislation in Mexico** The session will include
 - Overview of food law in Mexico
 - · An overview of general and nutrition labelling requirements
 - · Use of food additives and flavourings
 - National sources of information

10.15 Overview of food legislation in MERCOSUR

This session will include:

- Overview of food law in MERCOSUR (Argentina, Brazil, Paraguay, Uruguay)
- Overview of general and nutrition labelling requirements
- Overview on food additives and processing aids
- · Highlights of how legislation applies in MERCOSUR countries
- National sources of information and forthcoming changes
- 11.00 Refreshments

Section 2 – North America

11.15 **Overview of food legislation in US**

This session will include:

- Overview of food law in US
- · An overview of general and nutrition labelling requirements
- Use of food additives and flavourings
- · National sources of information and forthcoming changes

12.00 **Overview of food legislation in Canada**

This session will include:

- Overview of food law in Canada
- General and nutrition labelling requirements
- Use of food additives and flavourings
- National sources of information and forthcoming changes

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12:45 Lunch

Section 3 – India and Turkey

13.30 Overview of food legislation in India

This session will include:

- Overview of food law in India
- General and nutrition labelling requirements
- · Use of food additives and flavourings
- · National sources of information and forthcoming changes

14.15 **Overview of food legislation in Turkey**

This session will include:

- Overview of food law in Turkey
- · General and nutrition labelling requirements
- Use of food additives and flavourings
- National sources of information and forthcoming changes
- 15.00 Refreshments and Workshop

15.45 **Review of Day 1 with questions and answers** This Q&A session aims to address specific questions raised by delegates

16.00 Close

Programme – Day 2

09.00 Registration and refreshments

Section 4 – Middle and Far East

09.15 **Overview of food legislation in GCC**

This session will include:

- Overview of food law in GCC
- Overview of general and nutrition labelling requirements
- Use of food additives and flavourings
- Halal definitions and requirements
- National sources of information and forthcoming changes

10.00 **Overview of food legislation in China**

- This session will include:
- Food authorities
- Compositional standards
- Food labelling requirements
- Food additives, flavourings and other ingredients
- · National sources of information and forthcoming changes

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10.45 Refreshments

11.00 Overview of food legislation in Japan

This session will include:

- Food authorities in Japan and how they interact with each other
- · New general labelling and nutrition labelling requirements
- Nutrition and health claim regulations
- How additives and ingredients are regulated
- National sources of information and forthcoming changes

Section 5 – Australia and South Africa

11.45 **Overview of food legislation in Australia**

This session will include:

- Overview of food law in Australia
- Overview of general & nutrition labelling requirements
- Overview of use of food additives, flavourings & processing aids
- National sources of information and forthcoming changes
- 12:30 Lunch

13.15 **Overview of food legislation in South Africa** This session will include:

This session will include:

- Overview of food law in South Africa
- An overview of general and nutrition labelling requirements
- Use of food additives and flavourings
- National sources of information and forthcoming changes

Section 6 – Russia and the Eurasian Economic Union

14.00 **Overview of food legislation in Russia**

Includes an overview of food legislation in Russia and the Eurasian Economic Union with special emphasis on the following topics:

- Legislative structure and relevant authorities
- General and nutrition labelling requirements
- Use of food additives and flavourings, including processing aids and enzymes
- National sources of information and forthcoming changes
- 14.45 Refreshments and quiz

15.15 **Review of Day 2 with questions and answers**

This Q&A session aims to address specific questions raised by delegates

15.30 Close