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Food Safety and Standards Authority of India
(A Statutory Authority under the Ministry of Health & Family Welfare, Govt. of India)
(Standards Division)
FDA Bhawan, Kotla Road, New Delhi – 110002

Dated, the 1st January, 2020

ORDER

Subject: Reconstitution of Scientific Committee and Scientific Panels - reg.

In exercise of the powers vested in it under Section 14 and 13 of the Food Safety and Standards Act, 2006, the Food Authority, has reconstituted Scientific Committee and 19 Scientific Panels and constituted 2 new Scientific Panels comprising independent scientific experts for providing scientific and technical advice and development of standards for food products. The term of these Scientific Panels will be valid for a period of three years from 1st January 2020 to 31st December 2022 in terms of the provisions contained in Section 15 of the FSS Act, 2006. The composition of Scientific Committee and Scientific Panels, with names in alphabetical order is at **Annexure**.

2. These scientific bodies shall carry out their work in accordance with the provisions of the "Food Safety and Standards Authority of India (Transaction of Business and Procedures for the Scientific Committee and Scientific Panels) Regulations, 2016".

3. Each of the Scientific Panels constituted under these Orders shall choose a Chairperson from amongst their members. The Chair so elected of the Panels shall also be a member of the Scientific Committee. The Scientific Committee shall each choose a Chairperson from amongst their members.

4. This issues with the approval of Competent Authority, FSSAI.



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All the concerned members

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Scientific Committee

1. Dr Anura Kurpad, Professor, Dept. of Physiology, St John's Medical College, Bengaluru.
2. Dr Chindi Vasudevappa, Vice Chancellor, NIFTEM, Plot No. 97, Sector 56, HSIIDC Industrial Estate, Kundli, Sonipat.
3. Dr G S Toteja, Additional Director General (Scientist H), Indian Council of Medical Research, New Delhi.
4. Dr K S M S Raghavarao, Director, CFTRI, Mysuru.
5. Dr S Ayyappan, Chancellor, Central Agricultural University, Imphal.
6. Dr Sanjay Kumar, Director, Institute of Himalayan Bioresource Technology, Palampur.

7. Chairperson, Scientific Panel on Food Additives, Flavouring, Processing Aids and materials in contact with food;
8. Chairperson, Scientific Panel on Pesticides Residues;
9. Chairperson, Scientific Panel on Genetically Modified Organisms and Foods;
10. Chairperson, Scientific Panel on Functional Foods, Nutraceuticals, Dietetic Products and other Similar Products;
11. Chairperson, Scientific Panel on Biological Hazards;
12. Chairperson, Scientific Panel on Contaminants in Food Chain;
13. Chairperson, Scientific Panel on Labelling and Claims/ Advertisements;
14. Chairperson, Scientific Panel on Method of Sampling and Analysis;
15. Chairperson, Scientific Panel on Fish and Fish Products;
16. Chairperson, Scientific Panel on Milk & Milk Products;
17. Chairperson, Scientific Panel on Meat & Meat Products, including poultry;
18. Chairperson, Scientific Panel on Cereals, Pulses & Legume and their products (including Bakery);
19. Chairperson, Scientific Panel on Fruits & Vegetables and their products (including dried fruits and nuts);
20. Chairperson, Scientific Panel on Oils & Fats;
21. Chairperson, Scientific Panel on Sweets, Confectionery, Sweeteners, Sugar & Honey;
22. Chairperson, Scientific Panel on Water (including flavoured water) & Beverages (non-alcoholic);
23. Chairperson, Scientific Panel on Nutrition and Fortification;
24. Chairperson, Scientific Panel on Antibiotic Residues;
25. Chairperson, Scientific Panel on Spices and Condiments;
26. Chairperson, Scientific Panel on Packaging;
27. Chairperson, Scientific Panel on Alcoholic Beverages.

1. Panel on Food Additives, Flavourings, Processing aids & Materials in Contact with Food

1. Dr Alka Rao, Senior Scientist, CSIR Institute of Microbial Technology, Chandigarh.
2. Dr Appu Rao AG, Chief Scientist & Scientist G, (Rtd.), CFTRI, Mysuru.
3. Dr Debabrata Kanungo, Former Additional Director General, Directorate General of Health Services, Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, New Delhi.
4. Dr Indra Chakravarthy, Chief Advisor, Public Health Engineering Department, Government of West Bengal, Kolkata.
5. Dr P V Mohanan, Scientist G & Head, Toxicology Division, Biomedical Technology Wing, Sree Chitra Tirunal Institute for Medical Sciences and Technology (Govt. of India) Poojapura, Thiruvananthapuram.
6. Dr Rekha Satishchandra Singhal, Dean (Research, Consultancy and Resource) Mobilizat, Institute of Chemical Technology, Nathalal Parekh Marg, Matunga, Mumbai.
7. Dr Sheelendra Pratap Singh, Scientist, Regulatory Toxicology, CSIR-Indian Institute of Toxicology Research, Lucknow.
8. Dr Srinivas Pullabhatla, Chief Scientist & Scientist G (Rtd.), Central Food Technological Research Institute, Mysuru.
9. Dr Suman Kapur, Dean, Research and Consultancy, Birla Institute of Technology and Science, Pilani.
10. Dr T P Rajendran, Visiting Fellow, Ris-Research Information System for Developing Countries, New Delhi.
11. Dr Udaya Shankar Kadimi, Scientific Assistant, Central Water Commission, Hyderabad.

2. Panel on Pesticides Residues

1. Dr Anupama Singh, Head, Agricultural Chemical Dept., IARI, New Delhi.
2. Dr Balwinder Singh Sra, Director of Research, Punjab Agricultural University, Ludhiana.
3. Dr K K Sharma, Network Coordinator, Project Coordinating Cell, All India Network Project on Pesticide Residues, Indian Agricultural Research Institute, New Delhi Room No. 203, Second Floor, LBS Building, IARI, Pusa Campus, New Delhi.
4. Dr K Narasimha Reddy, Principle Scientist (Chem.) (Rtd.), PJTS Agricultural University, Hyderabad.
5. Dr K Prathapan, Professor, Agronomy, Coconut Research Station, Kerala Agricultural University, Kattachalkuzhi PO, Trivandrum.
6. Dr Kaushik Banerjee, Principal Scientist, National Referral Laboratory, National Research Centre for Grapes, Pune.
7. Dr M S Mithyantha, Independent Consultant, expert in Pesticide Residues and Contaminants, Bengaluru.
8. Dr Murali Muralidhara, Scientist-G (Retd), CFTRI, Mysuru.
9. Dr S Naseema Beevi, Former Professor & Head, Kerala Agricultural University, Thiruvananthapuram.
10. Dr Sarita Bhalla, Consultant Pharma, Central Insecticides Board & Registration Committee, Faridabad.
11. Dr T P Rajendran, Visiting Fellow, Ris-Research Information System for Developing Countries.

3. Panel on Genetically Modified Organisms and Foods

1. Dr Bhupinder Singh, Principal Scientist, Nuclear Research Lab, Indian Agricultural Research Institute, IARI, Pusa Institute, New Delhi.
2. Dr C Chinnusamy, Rtd Prof (Agronomy) and Principal Investigator (DWSRC), Directorate of Crop Management, Tamil Nadu Agricultural University, Coimbatore.
3. Dr Gurumayum J Sharma, Professor, Department of Life Sciences, Manipur University, Imphal.
4. Dr (Mrs.) Gurinderjit Randhawa, Principal Scientist & Officer In-charge, Division of Genomic Resources, National Bureau of Plant Genetic Resources, New Delhi.
5. Dr Hirak Kumar Barman, Principal Scientist, Fish Genetics & Bio-Technology Division, ICAR- Central Institute of Freshwater Aquaculture, Kausalyaganga, Bhubaneswar.
6. Dr Imran Siddqui, JC Bose Fellow, Centre for Cellular & Molecular Biology, Uppal Road, Habsiguda, Hyderabad.
7. Dr Lalitha R. Gowda, Chief Scientist (Rtd.), CFTRI, Mysuru.
8. Dr Manorama Kanuri, Principal Scientist and Head (Rtd.), Quality Control Laboratory, Professor Jayashankar Telangana State Agricultural University, Rajendranagar Mandal, Hyderabad.
9. Dr R B Sonti, Director, National Institute of Plant Genome Research, Aruna Asaf Ali Marg, New Delhi.
10. Dr S Bhaskar, Asst. Director General, ICAR-National Resource Management, KAB-II, Pusa, New Delhi.
11. Dr Wazir S. Lakra, Vice Chancellor, Central Institute of Fisheries Education, Indian Council of Agricultural Research, Panch Marg, Off Yari Road, Versova, Andheri (W), Mumbai.

4. Panel on Functional foods, Nutraceuticals, Dietetic Products and Other similar products

1. Dr D B A Narayana, Expert Member, Indian Pharmacopoeia Commission, MoHFW.
2. Dr Dinesh Kumar, Scientist, Institute of Himalayan Bioresource Technology, Palampur.
3. Dr G Bhanupraksh Reddy, Scientist-F and Head, Biochemistry Division, National Institute of Nutrition, Tarnaka, Jamai-Osmnaia, Hyderabad.
4. Prof H P S Sachdev, Sr. Consultant, Paediatrics and Clinical Epidemiology, Sita Ram Bharatia Institute of Science and Research, New Delhi.
5. Dr K Bhaskar Reddy, Professor and Principal, Sri Venkateswara College of Pharmacy, Rvs Nagar, Tirupati Road, Chittoor.
6. Dr Neelam Kler, Chairperson, Sir Ganga Ram Hospital, New Delhi.
7. Dr Puja Dudeja, Director Pensions, O/O DGAFMS, Ministry of Defence.
8. Dr Seema Puri, Associate Professor, Dept. of Nutrition, Institute of Home Economics (University of Delhi), F-4 Hauz Khas Enclave, New Delhi.
9. Dr Suman Kapur, Dean, Research and Consultancy, Birla Institute of Technology and Science, Pilani.
10. Dr Tanuja Nesari, Director, All India Institute for Ayurveda, New Delhi.
11. Dr V Thirupathy, Dean, Agriculture Engineering College and Research Institute, TNAU, Kumulur.

5. Panel on Biological Hazards

1. Dr Bhavesh Modi, Associate Professor, GMERS Medical College, Civil Hospital, Gandhinagar.
2. Dr Bhupinder Singh, Radiological Safety Officer, Nuclear Research Lab, Indian Agricultural Research Institute Room No. 311, IARI, Pusa Institute, New Delhi.
3. Dr D V Gokhale, Professor AcSIRNCIM Resource Center, CSIR-National Chemical Laboratory, Pune.
4. Dr Deepak Sharma, Senior Scientist, CSIR-Institute of Microbial Technology, Ministry of Science & Technology, Sector 39 B, Chandigarh.
5. Dr I Karunasagar, Senior International Consultant, Products, Trade and Marketing Service, FAO.
6. Dr JPS Gill, Director Research, Guru Angad Dev Veterinary and Animal Sciences University Ludhiana.
7. Dr Jeyasekaran, G., Director of Research, Tamil Nadu Dr. J. Jayalalithaa Fisheries University, Vettar River View Campus, Nagapattinam.
8. Dr S B Barbuddhe, Principal Scientist, ICAR-National Research Centre on Meat, Chengicherla, Boduppal Post, Hyderabad.
9. Dr S K Mendiratta, Principal Scientist and Head, Division of Livestock Products Technology, ICAR- Indian Veterinary Research Institute, Izatnagar.
10. Dr V Sudershan Rao, Scientist-E (Rtd.), National Institute of Nutrition, Tarnaka, Hyderabad.
11. Dr Velpandian Thirumurthy, Professor, Ocular pharmacology and Pharmacy Division, Dr. R P Centre, AIIMS, New Delhi.

6. Panel on Contaminants in Food Chain

1. Dr A K Barooah, Director, Tocklai Tea Research Institute, Tea Research Association Jorhat.
2. Dr B Sashidhar Rao, Professor (Rtd.), Department of Biochemistry, Osmania University.
3. Dr K S Prasad, Principal Scientist & Head, Animal Nutrition Division, NIANP, Adegodi, Bengaluru.
4. Dr Mohana Krishna Reddy Mudiam, Principal Scientist, CSIR Indian Institute of Chemical Technology, Hyderabad.
5. Dr Murali Muralidhara, Scientist-G (Rtd.), CFTRI, Mysuru.
6. Dr Ramachandra Koodli Subbarao, Principal Scientist (Rtd.), ICAR- National Institute of Animal Nutrition and Physiology.
7. Dr Santosh Kumar B, Medical Scientist C, ICMR National Institute of Nutrition, Hyderabad.
8. Dr Suseelendra Desai, Principal Scientist (Principal Pathology), Central Research Institute for Dryland Agriculture, Santosh Nagar, Hyderabad.
9. Dr V Sudershan Rao, Scientist-E(Rtd.), National Institute of Nutrition, Hyderabad.
10. Prof Alok Dhawan, Director, CSIR-Indian Institute of Toxicology Research, Vishvigyan Bhavan, Lucknow.
11. Prof P K Shetty, Professor and Head, Department of Food Science and Technology, Puducherry University, Puducherry.

7. Panel on Labelling & claims/Advertisements

1. Dr Anil Kumar, Asstt Professor, Dept. of Food Sci. & Technology, College of Agriculture, GB Pant Univ. Agri. & Tech, Pantnagar.
2. Dr Asna Urooj, Professor, Department of Studies in Food Science and Nutrition, Manasagangotri, University of Mysuru, Mysuru.
3. Dr Bhavesh Modi, Associate Professor, GMERS Medical College, Civil Hospital, Gandhinagar.
4. Dr Jagmeet Madan, National President, Indian Dietetic Association, Principal, Professor, Sir Vithaldas Thackersey College of Home Science, Bandra, West Mumbai.
5. Dr K Madhavan Nair, Scientist-E (Rtd.), Micronutrient Research Group Department of Biophysics, National Institute of Nutrition (ICMR), Hyderabad.
6. Dr Nachiket Kotvalle, Principal Scientist, Head, Agro Produce Processing Division, ICAR-CIAE, Bhopal.
7. Dr Seema Puri, Associate Professor, Dept. of Nutrition, Institute of Home Economics (University of Delhi), New Delhi.
8. Dr SubbaRao M Gavaravarapu, Scientist E, ICMR- National Institute of Nutrition, Hyderabad.
9. Dr Sumit Arora, Principal Scientist, Dairy Chemistry Division National Dairy Research Institute (NDRI), (Deemed-to-be University), Karnal.
10. Dr Sunita Chandorkar, Asst Professor, Dept of Foods and Nutrition, Faculty of Family and Community Sciences, The MS University of Baroda, Vadodara.
11. Ms Anuja Agarwala, Dietician, Department of Paediatrics, 3rd Floor, Academic Block (main), All India Institute of Medical Sciences (AIIMS), Ansari Nagar, New Delhi.

8. Panel on Method of Sampling and Analysis

1. Dr (Mrs) Ajit Dua, Chief Executive Officer Officiating, Punjab Biotechnology Incubator, Agri & Food Testing Facilities, Mohali.
2. Dr A K Dikshit, Emeritus Professor/ Ex. Head, Professor & Principal Scientist, Division of Agricultural Chemicals, Indian Agricultural Research Institute (I.A.R.I.), Pusa, New Delhi.
3. Dr Alok Kumar Srivastava, (Director, RFL, Mysuru) Chief Scientist and Head Food Safety & Analytical Quality Control Lab CSIR-CFTRI, Mysuru.
4. Dr Jaganmohan Rao Lingamallu, Chief Scientist and Professor (Rtd.), CFTRI, Mysuru.
5. Dr Kiran N Bhilegaonkar, Principal Scientist and Station In-charge, ICAR- Indian Veterinary Research Institute Regional Station, A 401 Anusha Residency Pashan Sus Road Pashan, Pune.
6. Dr Lalitha R. Gowda, Chief Scientist (Rtd.), CFTRI, Mysuru.
7. Dr Mohana Krishna Reddy Mudiam, Principal Scientist, CSIR Indian Institute of Chemical Technology, Hyderabad.
8. Dr R Rajesh Nair, Director, (CALF) National Dairy Development Board Anand, Gujarat.
9. Dr Rajan Sharma, Principal Scientist, Dairy Chemistry Division, ICAR-National Dairy Research Institute, Karnal.
10. Dr Raju Khan, Senior Scientist, CSIR-Advanced Materials & Processes Research Institute, Bhopal.
11. Dr Reena Das, Professor, Postgraduate Institute of Medical Education and Research, Chandigarh.

9. Panel on Fish and Fish Products

1. Dr A Gopalakrishna, Director, ICAR-CMFRI, Kochi.
2. Dr Krushna Chandra Dora, Prof K.C. Dora Faculty of Fishery Sciences, Kolkata.
3. Dr M N Venugopal, Professor and Head (Rtd.), Dept. of Fisheries Microbiology, College of Fisheries, Mangalore.
4. Dr P T Mathew, Adjunct Professor Food Science and Technology, Kerala University of Fisheries and Ocean Studies, Cochin.
5. Dr Rathnakumar K, Professor and Head, Department of Fish Process Engineering, College of Fisheries Engineering, Karaikal.
6. Dr Ravi Shankar, C N, Director, ICAR- Central Institute of Fisheries Technology, Cochin.
7. Dr Satyen Kumar Panda, Senior Scientist, Quality Assurance and Management Division, Central Institute of Fisheries, Cochin.
8. Dr Shamasundar B. Aswathnarayan, Professor (Rtd.), College of Fisheries, Mangalore.
9. Dr Sugumar G, Director in charge, Directorate of Incubation and Vocational Training in Fisheries, TNJFU, Ramanathapuram, Tuticorin.
10. Dr T V Shankar, Director of Research (On deputation), Kerala University of Fisheries & Ocean Studies, Panangad, Cochin.
11. Dr Vazhiyil Venugopal, Visiting Faculty, Dept. of Food Science and Technology (Rtd.), Kerala University of Fisheries and Ocean Studies, Kochi.

10. Panel on Milk and Milk Products

1. Dr Anil Puniya, Principal Scientist & I/c, Anaerobic Microbiology Lab, Dairy Microbiology Division, ICAR- National Dairy Research Institute, Karnal.
2. Dr B Surendra Nath, Principal Scientist & In-charge, Dairy Chemistry and Bacteriology Section ICSR-National Dairy Research Institute (SRS), Adugodi, Bengaluru.
3. Dr Balasubramanyam BV, Principal Scientist (Rtd.), National Dairy Research Institute, Bengaluru.
4. Dr Bimlesh Mann, Head Dairy Chemistry and Joint Director Research, National Dairy Research Institute, Karnal.
5. Dr D K Sharma, General Manager (Quality Assurance and Product & Process Development), National Dairy Development Board, Anand.
6. Dr H M Jayaprakasha, Dean, Dairy Science College, Bengaluru.
7. Dr Jashbhai B Prajapati, Principal & Dean, SMC College of Dairy Science, Anand Agricultural University, Anand.
8. Dr K D Aparnathi, Professor and Head (Rtd.), Dairy Chemistry Department, SMC College of Dairy Science, Anand Agricultural University, Anand.
9. Dr K P Ramesha, Head, Southern Campus of ICAR- NDRI Adugodi, Bengaluru.
10. Dr Ravinder Kumar Malik, Emeritus Scientist, ICAR National Dairy Research Institute, Karnal.
11. Dr Vijay Kumar, Emeritus Scientist, ICAR National Dairy Research Institute, Karnal.

11. Panel on Meat and Meat Products, including Poultry

1. Dr Girish Patil, S., Principal Scientist ICAR - National Research Centre on Meat, Chengicherla, PB No 19, Boduppall Post, Hyderabad.
2. Dr Kiran N Bhilegaonkar, Principal Scientist and Station In-charge, ICAR- Indian Veterinary Research Institute Regional Station, Pune.
3. Dr KML Pathak, Former DDG, ICAR New Delhi.
4. Dr Mahesh Dharne, Principal Scientist, National Chemical Laboratory, Pune.
5. Dr Naveena BM, Senior Scientist, ICAR-National Research Centre on Meat, Chengicherla, Hyderabad.
6. Dr R Thomas, Senior Scientist, ICAR-National Research Centre on Pig Rani, Guwahati.
7. Dr S K Mendiratta, Principal Scientist and Head, Division of Livestock Products Technology, ICAR- Indian Veterinary Research Institute, Izatnagar.
8. Dr Subbiah Vaithyanathan, Acting Director and Principal Scientist, ICAR-NRC on Meat Chengicherla, Boduppall Post, Hyderabad.
9. Dr V V Kulkarni, Professor and Head, Dept. Livestock Products Technology, Veterinary College, Namakkal, Tamil Nadu.
10. Dr Vikas Pathak, Professor (Head), Department of Livestock Products Technology, College of Veterinary & Animal Husbandry, U.P.
11. Prof Pankaj Kumar Shukla, Registrar and Dean PGS U.P. Pandit Deen Dayal Upadhyaya Pashu Chikitsa Vigyan Vishwavidhyalaya Evam Go Anusandhan Sansthan Mathura.

12. Panel on Cereals, Pulses & Legume and their products (including Bakery)

1. Dr Amarjeet Kaur, Sr. Milling Technologist, Punjab Agricultural University, Ludhiana.
2. Dr Anita Malhotra, Associate Professor, Lakshmi Bai College (University of Delhi), Naraina Vihar, New Delhi.
3. Dr C V Ratnavathi, Principal Scientist, Biochemistry, ICAR-Indian Institute of Millets Research, Rajendranagar, Hyderabad.
4. Dr Deep Narayan Yadav, Principal Scientist, Food Grains & Oilseeds Processing Division ICAR-Central Institute of Post-harvest Engineering & Technology, Ludhiana.
5. Dr Muralikrishna Gudipati, Chief Scientist, CFTRI, Mysuru.
6. Dr Narpinder Singh, Professor and Coordinator (UGC-SAP), Dept. of Food Science and Technology, Guru Nanak Dev University, Amritsar.
7. Dr Prem Kumar Jaiswal, Director of Laboratories (Rtd.), Central AGMARK Laboratory, Noida.
8. Dr Shashikumar Dattatraya Deshpande, Principal Scientist (Rtd.), Central Institute of Agricultural Engineering, Bhopal.
9. Dr Thakor Nayansingh Jatansingh, Dean of the Faculty (Rtd.), Dr Balasaheb Sawant Konkan Krishi Vidyapeeth, Dapoli.
10. Dr Vasudeva Singh, Professor, Gauhati Univ. Institute of Science and Technology, Dept. of Bio-Engg and Tech. Gauhati, Assam.
11. Dr Y D Gaur, Professor of Eminence cum Executive Director, Bhagwan Parshuram Institute of Technology, Affiliated to GGSIPU, Delhi.

13. Panel on Fruits & Vegetables and their Products (Including Dried Fruits and Nuts)

1. Dr Anil Kumar Chauhan, Professor (Food Technology), Ex. Member, UPSSSC, Centre of Food Science and Technology, Institute of Agricultural Sciences, Banaras Hindu University (BHU), Varanasi.
2. Dr Dinesh Kumar, Principal Scientist, Central Citrus Research Institute, Nagpur.
3. Dr Harinder Singh Oberoi, Head, Division of Post- Harvest Technology and Agricultural Engineering, ICAR-Indian Institute of Horticultural Research, Hesaraghatta, Bengaluru.
4. Dr OP Chauhan, Scientist E and Officer-in-Charge, Fruits and Vegetables Technology Department, Defence Food Research Laboratory, Siddarthanagar, Mysuru.
5. Dr Pradeep Singh Negi, Senior Principal Scientist, Fruit and Vegetable Technology CSIR-CFTRI, Mysuru.
6. Dr R B Srivastava, Visiting Research Professor, Institute of Bio-resources & Sustainable Development (IBSD), Imphal, Manipur.
7. Dr Satish Kumar Sharma, Assistant Professor, Department of Foods Science and Technology, College of Agriculture, GB Pant University of Agriculture and Technology, Pantnagar.
8. Dr Satyendra Gautam, Scientific Officer H and Head of Section, Bhabha Atomic Research Centre, Trombay Mumbai.
9. Dr Sunil Pareek, Head of Department, Agriculture & Environmental Sciences NIFTEM, Kundli, Sonipat.
10. Dr Visvanathan R, Professor and Head (Rtd.), Department of Food Process Eng., Tamil Nadu Agricultural University, Coimbatore.
11. Prof (Dr) K P Sudheer, Associate Director of Research, Kerala Agricultural University Vellanikkara, Thrissur.

14. Panel on Oils and Fats

1. Dr A Vishnuvardhan, Director, Indian Institute of Oilseeds Research, Hyderabad.
2. Dr Ahamed Ibrahim, Scientist F and HOD, Lipid Chemistry Division National Institute of Nutrition Hyderabad.
3. Dr Ajay W Tumaney, Principal Scientist, Department of Lipid Science, CFTRI, Mysuru.
4. Dr Lokesh, Chief Scientist (Rtd.), CFTRI, Mysuru.
5. Dr Mahua Ghosh, Assistant Professor (Stage 3), Department of Chemical Technology, University of Calcutta, Kolkata.
6. Dr Mohammad Zahid Ashraf, Professor, Department of Biotechnology, Jamia Millia Islamia (Central University), New Delhi.
7. Dr RBN Prasad, Chief Scientist & Head (Rtd.), Centre for Lipid Research, Indian Institute of Chemical Technology, Hyderabad.
8. Dr Sanjeev Kumar Tyagi, I/C Head Agriculture Structures & Environmental, ICAR CIPHET, Ludhiana.
9. Dr Sanjit Kanjilal, Principal Scientist, Centre for Lipid Science and Technology, CSIR-Indian Institute of Chemical Technology (IICT), Hyderabad.
10. Dr Sreedhar M, Principal Scientist and Head, MFPI-Quality Control Laboratory, PJTS Agricultural University, Rajendranagar, Hyderabad.
11. Dr Vineet Kumar, Principal Scientist (Biochemistry), ICAR-Indian Institute of Soybean Research Khandwa Road, Indore.

15. Panel on Sweets, Confectionery, Sweeteners, Sugars & Honey

1. Dr (Mrs) Ajit Dua, Chief Executive Officer Officiating, Punjab Biotechnology Incubator, Agri & Food Testing Facilities, Mohali.
2. Dr Asha Martin, Principal Scientist, Dept. of Food Safety & Analytical Quality Control Laboratory, CSIR-CFTRI, Mysuru.
3. Dr B C Ghosh, Principal Scientist, National Dairy Research Institute, Hosur Road, Adugodi, Bengaluru.
4. Dr Banvari Lal Sarswat, Director (Cooperation/ Credit) and Executive Director, National Bee Board, Department of Agriculture, Cooperation & Farmers Welfare (DAC&FW), Ministry of Agriculture & Farmers Welfare, New Delhi.
5. Dr Murlikrishna Gudipati, Chief Scientist (Rtd.), CSIR-CFTRI, Mysuru.
6. Dr P Nisha, Scientist, Agro-Processing and Natural Products Division, CSIR-National Institute for Interdisciplinary Science and Technology (NIIST), Trivandrum.
7. Dr Pramod Kumar Omre, Professor, Department Process & Food Engineering, Govind Ballabh Pant University, Pantnagar.
8. Dr Stephen Devanesan, Former Dean, Faculty of Agriculture, Kerala Agricultural University, Deepam Palace Compound, Pappanamcode, Thiruvananthapuram.
9. Dr Sumit Arora, Principal Scientist, Dairy Chemistry Division National Dairy Research Institute (NDRI), (Deemed-to-be University), Karnal.
10. Dr Surinder Kumar Sharma, Former Advisor, Ministry of AYUSH, Delhi.
11. Prof Narendra Mohan, National Sugar Institute, Kanpur.

16. Panel on Water (including flavoured water) & Beverages (non -alcoholic)

1. Dr Anu Appaiah K A, Sr. Principal Scientist, CSIR Central Food Technological Research Institute, Mysuru.
2. Dr Ashu Gulati, Senior Principal Scientist and Head, Food and Nutraceuticals Division, CSIR-Institute of Himalayan Bioresource Technology, Palampur.
3. Dr C V Rode, Emeritus Scientist, CSIR National Chemical Laboratory, Pune.
4. Dr D N Gandhi, Former Principal Scientist, NDRI, Karnal.
5. Dr Noor Afshan Khan, Senior Scientist, CSIR-National Environmental Engineering Research Institute, Delhi.
6. Dr Parmjit Singh Panesar, Head of Department, FET, Food Biotechnology Research Laboratory, Department Of Food Engineering and Technology, Sant Longowal Institute of Engineering and Technology, Longowal.
7. Dr R K Soni, Professor, Department of Community Medicine, Dayanand Medical College and Hospital (Old Campus), Civil Lines, Ludhiana.
8. Dr Rekha Satishchandra Singhal, Dean (Research, Consultancy and Resource) Mobilizat, Institute of Chemical Technology, Nathalal Parekh Marg, Matunga, Mumbai.
9. Dr S Ganpathy, Prof & Head, Department of Food and Process Engineering, Post- Harvest Technology, TNAU, Coimbatore.
10. Dr Satyakaam Patnayak, Senior Scientist, Indian Institute of Toxicology Research, Vishvigyan Bhawan, 31, Mahatma Gandhi Marg, Lucknow.
11. Shri Palacharla Ramakrishna, Programme Director, School of Food Technology, Jawaharlal Nehru Technological University, Kakinada.

17. Panel on Nutrition and Fortification

1. Dr C S Pandav, President, Indian Coalition for Control of Iodine Deficiency Disorders (ICCIDD), C II - 30, AIIMS, Ansari Nagar East, New Delhi.
2. Dr Jagmeet Madan, National President, Indian Dietetic Association, Principal, Professor, Sir Vithaldas Thackersey College of Home Science, Bandra, West Mumbai.
3. Dr K Madhavan Nair, Scientist E (Rtd.), Micronutrient Research Group Department of Biophysics, National Institute of Nutrition (ICMR), Hyderabad.
4. Dr Mahesh Gupta, Senior Scientist, IHBT, Palampur.
5. Dr Naval Kishore Vikram, Additional Professor, Department of Medicine, AIIMS, Ansari Nagar, New Delhi.
6. Dr Prema Ramachandran, Director, Nutrition foundation of India, New Delhi.
7. Dr Rebecca Raj, Professor and Head, Division of Nutrition, St Johns Research Institute, Bengaluru.
8. Dr Vijayalakshmi D, Professor and Head, College of Agriculture, Bengaluru.
9. Maj. Gen. (Dr) RK Marwaha (Retd), Scientific Advisor and Senior Consultant Endocrinology, Advisor Project, Dept. of Endocrinology, AIIMS, New Delhi.
10. Prof Gagandeep Kang, Executive Director, Translational Health Science and Technology Institute, NCR Biotech Science Cluster, Faridabad.
11. Prof H P S Sachdev, Sr. Consultant, Paediatrics and Clinical Epidemiology, Sita Ram Bharatia Institute of Science and Research, New Delhi.

18. Panel on Antibiotics Residues

1. Dr AB Pant, Principal Scientist System Toxicology & Health Risk Assessment Group CSIR-Indian Institute of Toxicology Research, MG Marg, Lucknow.
2. Dr B. Madhusudan Rao, Principal Scientist, Visakhapatnam Research Centre of CIFT, ICAR-Central Institute of Fisheries Technology, Pandurangapuram, Andhra University, Visakhapatnam.
3. Dr Bikash Medhi, Professor, Department of Pharmacology, PGIMER, Chandigarh.
4. Dr Devendra Kumar Patel, Senior Principal Scientist and Professor (AcSIR), Analytical Chemistry Division and Regulatory Toxicology Group, CSIR-IITR, Lucknow.
5. Dr I Karunasagar, Senior International Consultant, Products, Trade and Marketing Service, FAO.
6. Dr J P S Gill, Director Research Guru Angad Dev Veterinary and Animal Sciences University Ludhiana.
7. Dr Kiran Ambatipudi, Assist. Professor, IIT, Roorkee.
8. Dr PM Halami, Senior Principal Scientist, Microbiology & Fermentation Technology Dept CSIR-CFTRI, Mysuru.
9. Dr Ravindra Jayavant Zende, Head of the Department, Department of Veterinary Public Health, Bombay Veterinary College, Parel, Mumbai.
10. Dr Sameer Kumar Rana, General Manager (Animal Health), National Dairy Development Board, Anand.
11. Dr Y K Gupta, President, AIIMS, Bhopal and Principal Advisor (Project), Translational Health Science and Technology Institute, Faridabad.

19. Panel on Spices and Culinary Herbs

1. Dr Anil Kumar Chauhan, Professor (Food Technology), Ex. Member, UPSSSC, Centre of Food Science and Technology, Institute of Agricultural Sciences, Banaras Hindu University (BHU), Varanasi.
2. Dr Anita Malhotra, Associate Professor, Lakshmibai College (University of Delhi), New Delhi.
3. Dr Nirmal Babu, Director, ICAR- Indian Institute of Spices Research, Kozhikode.
4. Dr Prasad Shekhar Variyar, Scientific Officer H, Food Technology Division, BARC, Mumbai.
5. Dr R B Srivastava, Visiting Research Professor, Institute of Bio-resources & Sustainable Development (IBSD), Imphal.
6. Dr Rita K Israni, Senior Chemist (Rtd.), Microbiology, Central Agmark Laboratory, DMI, Nagpur.
7. Dr Santhosh Eapen, Head of the Division, ICAR- Indian Institute of Spices Research, Kozhikode.
8. Dr Santosh Kumar Srivastava, Governing Body member, CCRAS.
9. Dr Srinivas Pullabhatla, Chief Scientist & Scientist G (Rtd.), CFTRI, Mysuru.
10. Dr Surinder Kumar Sharma, Former Advisor, Ministry of AYUSH, Delhi.
11. Dr Y D Gaur, Professor of Eminence cum Executive Director, Bhagwan Parshuram Institute of Technology, Affiliated to GGSIPU, Delhi.

20. Panel on Packaging

1. Dr Arun Kumar Nagpal, Professor, Plastic Department, H.B. Technological Institute, Kanpur.
2. Dr Baldev Raj, Senior Principal Scientist (Rtd.), Food Packaging Technology, CFTRI, Mysuru.
3. Dr Bipin Prakash Thapliyal, Director, Central Pulp & Paper Research Institute (CPPRI), Paper Mill Rd, Himmat Nagar, Saharanpur.
4. Dr Johnsy George, Scientist E, Defence Food Research Laboratory, Siddhartha Nagar, Mysuru.
5. Dr N Rajeshwari, Professor, Department of Printing Technology, Anna University, Chennai.
6. Dr Prasad S. Variyar, Professor, Homi Bhabha National Institute, Scientific Officer (H), Food Technology Division, Bhabha Atomic Research Centre (BARC), Mumbai.
7. Dr RN Jagtap, Professor, Paint Technology, Department of Polymer and Surface Engineering, Institute of Chemical Technology, N.M.Parekh Marg, Matunga, Mumbai.
8. Dr T K Srinivasa Gopal, Former Director, Central Institute of Fisheries Technology, Cochin.
9. Dr Tanveer Alam, Addl Director, and Regional Head, Indian Institute of Packaging, Delhi.
10. Dr V P Sharma, Sr. Principal Scientist, Head Quality Assurance & Prof AcSIR, CSIR-Indian Institute of Toxicology Research, Vishvigyan Bhawan, Lucknow.
11. Dr Vimal Katiyar, Professor, Coordinator, CoE-SusPol, Department of Chemical Engineering, Indian Institute of Technology Guwahati.

21. Panel on Alcoholic Beverages

1. Dr Anu Appaiah, Senior Principal Scientist, Food Microbiology, Department of Microbiology & Fermentation Technology, CFTRI, Mysuru.
2. Dr C V Rode, Emeritus Scientist, CSIR National Chemical Laboratory, Pune.
3. Dr D N Gandhi, Former Principal Scientist, NDRI, Karnal.
4. Dr Harinder Singh Oberoi, Head, Division of Post- Harvest Technology and Agricultural Engineering, ICAR-Indian Institute of Horticultural Research, Hesaraghatta, Bengaluru.
5. Dr Jaganmohan Rao Lingamallu, Chief Scientist and Professor (Rtd.), CFTRI, Mysuru.
6. Dr Jyoti Prakash Tamang, Associate Professor, Sikkim Government College, Tadong, Sikkim.
7. Dr Parmjit Singh Panesar, Head of Department, FET, Food Biotechnology Research Laboratory, Department Of Food Engineering and Technology, Sant Longowal Institute of Engineering and Technology, Longowal.
8. Dr R K Soni, Professor, Department of Community Medicine, Dayanand Medical College and Hospital (Old Campus), Civil Lines, Ludhiana.
9. Dr Ram Sarup Singh, Professor, Department of Biotechnology, Punjabi University, Patiala.
10. Dr S S Thorat, Former Head, Department of Food Science & Technology, Mahatma Phule Krishi Vidyapeeth, Rahuri.
11. Dr Vinod Joshi, Professor and Head (Rtd.), Dr YS Parmar University of Horticulture and Forestry, Solan.

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