

**FORM B**  
**REPORT OF THE FOOD ANALYST**  
*(Refer Regulation (2) of 2.3.1)*

Report No.51 /2014-'15

Certified that I, **C.P.SARADAMANI**, duly appointed under the provisions of Food Safety and Standards Act, 2006 (34 of 2006), for all the Local Areas of the State have received from, **Food Safety Officer Puthukkad Circle** a sample of " **உெய்ல** " (Sample collected from **Nellai**) bearing Code No 2901 and Serial Number (not mentioned in the Form VI memorandum) of the Designated Officer, Thrissur District on Fifth day of September 2014 by Courier for analysis.

The condition of seals on the container and the outer covering on receipt was as follows:-

The seals fixed on the container and the outer cover of the sample were tallied with the specimen impression of the seal sent separately with a copy of memorandum in a sealed cover by the Food Safety Officer. The seals are found correct and intact.

I found the sample to be **FENUGREEK (Methi) WHOLE** falling under **Regulation No.2.9.10:1** of Food Safety and Standards (Food Products and Food Additives) Regulations, 2011. The sample was in a condition fit for analysis and has been analysed on **18.10.2014** and completed on **23.10.2014** and the result of its analysis is given below ~~was not in a condition fit for analysis for the reason given below:~~

**Analysis Report**

(i) **Sample Description** : **உெய்ல** (5 X100gm)

(ii) **Physical appearance** : The sample consists of fenugreek whole packed in sealed Company labelled plastic covers.

(iii) **Label declaration** : **M J FOODS** FENUGREEK, Ingredients- FENUGREEK, Net Weight- 100 G, PKD ON-25/08/14, B. NO- F-008, Bar code present, Best before 8 months from the date of packing, Mfg & Mktd by: Manjaly Flour mills, Nellore.P.O, Thrissur-680305, Kerala, Veg logo- Present

Sl. No.	Quality Characteristics	Nature of method of test used	Result	Prescribed Standards as per
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5) ✓ (a) Food Safety and Standards (Food Products Standards and Food Additives) Regulations 2011 (Reg.2.9.10:1) (b) Label declaration for proprietary food. (c) provisions of the Act, Rules and Regulations for both the above (5)
1.	Mould growth	By Visual	Absent	Shall be Absent
2.	Living and Dead insects	By Visual	Absent	Shall be Absent
3.	Insect fragments and Rodent Contamination	By Visual	Absent	Shall be Absent
4.	Extraneous matter	IS3795:1993	Absent	Not more than 2.0 percent by weight
5.	Moisture	IS 1797:1985	11.48 percent by weight	Not more than 10.0 percent by weight
6.	Total Ash on dry basis	IS 1797 :1985	3.7 percent by weight	Not more than 5.0 percent by weight
7.	Ash insoluble in dilute HCl on dry basis	IS 1797 :1985	0.03 percent by weight	Not more than 1.5 percent by weight
8.	Cold water soluble extract on dry basis	IS1797:1985	28.1 percent by weight	Not less than 30.0 percent by weight
9.	Edible seeds other than fenugreek	IS3795:1993	Absent	Not more than 2.0 percent by Weight

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10.	Insect damaged matter	IS3795:1993	Absent	Not more than 1.0 percent by weight
11.	Added synthetic Food colour	ICMR-1990	Absent	Shall be Absent

**Opinion:** The said sample does not conform to the standards prescribed for Fenugreek whole falling under Regulation 2.9.10:1 of Food Safety and Standards (Food product Standards and Food Additives) Regulations, 2011 and is therefore **Substandard** under section 3(1) (zx) of Food Safety and Standards Act 2006

*(Informed the Designated Officer and Commissioner of Food Safety that the Report of Analysis (Form B) will be sent within fifty days from the date of receipt of the sample)*

**Signed this:** Twenty fourth day of October 2014.



  
Food Analyst

**To**

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The test report relates to the tested items of the received part only .