

FORM VIIA
(Refer Rule 2.4.4(6))
REPORT OF THE FOOD ANALYST

Report No. 14/13-14

Certified that I Sreekumari.P. (name of the Food Analyst) duly appointed under the provisions of Food Safety and Standards Act, 2006 (34 of 2006), for the Revenue District Ernakulam (name of the local area) have received from the Food Safety Officer, Kozhikode Circle a sample of Lime pickle bearing Code number and Serial Number 3755 of Designated Officer of Kozhikode area on the eleventh day of September 2013 (date of receipt of sample) for analysis.

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

Intact/damaged/miseng (delete where inapplicable)

I found the sample to be Lime Pickle (category of the sample) falling under item No. 2.3.43.2 (iv) of chapter 5 of Food Safety and Standards Regulations. The sample was in a condition fit for analysis and has been analysed on 28/9/13 and completed on 1/10/13 (give date of starting and completion of analysis) and the result of its analysis is given below/ was not in a condition fit for analysis for the reason given below:

Reasons:

Analysis report
 (Refer rule 2.4.2(6))

(i) Sample Description (What it contains): Lime pickle

(ii) Physical Appearance of sample/container: The sample consists of Lime pickle received in sealed company labelled glass bottle.

(iii) Label declaration: Mr. Spice Pickles. Lime pickle. Veg logo present. Mfd by New Born Food Products, Door No. 116/17, Pantheerankavu P.O, Calicut 673 019. Mfd dt 09/13. Best before 12 months from date of manufacturing. Batch No. Not found.

Sl. No.	Quality Characteristics	Name of Method of test used	Results	Prescribed Standards as per(a) provisions of the FSS Act , Rules and Regulations 2.3.43.2(iv) read with regulation 2.2.2.8
1	Added synthetic food colour	D.G.H.S Manual	Absent	Absent
2	Test for mineral acid	"	Negative	Negative
3	Oil soluble colours	"	Absent	Absent
4	Acidity as citric acid	"	4.1%	"
5	Chloride expressed as NaCl	"	12.7%	"
6	Mould growth	By visual	Not detected	Absent

Report (sample wise)

Adulterated/ Substandard /misbranded/within norms/violates provision of labelling (delete where not applicable) any other observations. The said sample is not labeled in accordance with Regulation 2.2.8 of Food Safety and Standards (Packaging and labeling) Regulation 2011 and is therefore misbranded under section 3(i-zi [c (i)]) of Food Safety and Standards Act 2006.

Signed this the first day of October 2013.

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