

Drugs and Cosmetics (Amendment) Act 2008

Section 2 - Insertion of New Section 17e

After section 17D of the Drugs and Cosmetics Act, 1940(23 of 1940) (hereinafter referred to as the principal Act), the following section shall be inserted, namely,--

"17E. Adulterated cosmetics-For the purposes of this Chapter, a cosmetic shall be deemed to be adulterated,--

- (a) if it consists in whole or in part, of any filthy, putrid or decomposed substance; or
 - (b) if it has been prepared, packed or stored under insanitary conditions whereby it may have been contaminated with filth or whereby it may have been rendered injurious to health; or
 - (c) if its container is composed, in whole or in part, of any poisonous or deleterious substance which may render the contents injurious to health; or
 - (d) if it bears or contains, for purposes of colouring only, a colour other than one which is prescribed; or
 - (e) if it contains any harmful or toxic substance which may render it injurious to health; or
 - (f) if any substance has been mixed therewith so as to reduce its quality or strength."
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