OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF CUSTOMS (IMPORT), MUMBAI-II, JAWAHAR LAL NEHRU CUSTOM HOUSE, SHEVA, TAL-URAN, DISTRICT - RAIGAD, MAHARASHTRA - 400707

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STANDING ORDER NO. 15/2004

Date: 18/03/2004

Sub: Import of Diabetic Mixed Fruit Jam - reg.

Rules 47 of the Prevention of Food Adulteration Rules, 1955 restrict the use of artificial sweeteners in certain categories of food articles. As per rule 47 of the PFA Rules, 1955, use of artificial sweeteners including Sorbitol is prohibited in Mixed Fruit Jam.

The Diabetic Mixed Fruit Jam (containing Sorbitol) are being imported by some importers and sold in the local markets. All imported food products shall comply with the provision of the Prevention of Food Adulteration Rules, 1955 before the same are released for human consumption.

All the officers are directed to ensure strict compliance of aforesaid provisions. Any deviations from these instructions will be viewed seriously.

Sd/-(18.03.2004)
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