

L.N. 98 of 2008**COLOURING MATTER IN FOOD (AMENDMENT)
REGULATION 2008**

(Made by the Director of Food and Environmental Hygiene
under section 55(1) of the Public Health and Municipal
Services Ordinance (Cap. 132))

1. Commencement

This Regulation shall come into operation on 1 December 2008.

2. Permitted colouring matter

Part I of the First Schedule to the Colouring Matter in Food Regulations
(Cap. 132 sub. leg. H) is amended by repealing—

“Red 2G	disodium salt of 8-acetamido-2-phenylazo-1- naphthol-3:6-disulphonic acid.	18050”.
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Explanatory Note

This Regulation amends the First Schedule to the Colouring Matter in Food Regulations (Cap. 132 sub. leg. H) to remove Red 2G from the list of permitted colouring matters specified in that Schedule. With effect from 1 December 2008, the effect of the amendment is that on or after that date a person commits an offence if he sells, consigns or delivers, or imports into Hong Kong, any food intended for sale for human consumption that contains Red 2G or sells or advertises for sale Red 2G for use in food.