

Seminar on

Food Additives: Perspectives on Processes, Regulatory Development & Impact of Changes

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This seminar will share the global approaches and processes on food additive safety assessment, risk communication, harmonization and partnership in regulatory development, as well as technical barriers to trade in relation to food additives.

SEMINAR PROGRAM

8:15 - 8:45 hr **Registration**

08:45 – 09:15 hr

Welcome and Introductory Remarks

*Mr. Mark Dries, Agricultural Counselor, U. S. Embassy Hanoi, Vietnam
ILSI SEA Region, Singapore*

Opening Remarks

Vietnam Food Administration (VFA), Vietnam



SESSION 1: Food Additives – Technical Process for Approval and Establishment of Intake Level

09:15 – 09:45 hr

Process and Considerations in Establishing ADI & Exposure to Food Additives – International Perspective
(TBC)

09:45 – 10:15 hr

Procedures and Requirements for the Approval of Food Additives in Vietnam
Representative, VFA, Vietnam

10:15 – 10:35 hr

Coffee Break

10:35 – 11:05 hr

Procedures and Requirements for the Approval of Food Additives in the United States

Dr. Mitch Cheeseman, Former FDA Office Director, Office of Food Additive Safety, CFSAN/ FDA, USA

SESSION 2: Food Additives – Case Examples on Exposure

11:05 – 11:35 hr

Study on Dietary Exposure of Sweeteners among the Thai Consumers

Dr. Pharrunrat Tanaviyutpakdee, Institute of Nutrition, Mahidol University, Thailand

11:35 – 12:05 hr

FDA Case Study: The Safety of High Intensity Sweeteners

Dr. Mitch Cheeseman, Former FDA Office Director, Office of Food Additive Safety, CFSAN/ FDA, USA

12:05 – 12:30 hr

Q & A Session

12:30 – 1:30 hr

Lunch

SESSION 3: Food Additives - Perceptions and Understanding GRAS

1:30 – 2:00 hr

Generally Recognized as Safe (GRAS): FDA's Final Rule and Industry GRAS

Dr. Manojit Basu, Adjunct Professor, Johns Hopkins University, ICGMA, USA

2:00 – 2:45 hr

Public Misperceptions on Preservatives: A Case Study on Benzoates

Dr. Maia Jack, American Beverage Association, USA

SESSION 4: Regulatory Development – Harmonization and Partnerships In Advancing Science- based Approach and Trade

2:45 – 3:15 hr

Public Private Partnerships in the Development of Food Safety Regulations

Dr. Manojit Basu, Adjunct Professor, Johns Hopkins University, ICGMA, USA

3:15 – 3:35 hr

Coffee Break

3:35 – 4:05 hr

Economic & Regulatory Impact of Food Additive Changes

Mr. Chih-Yung Wu, USDA/FAS, USA

4:05 – 4:35 hr

ASEAN – Harnessing Efforts and Lessons Learnt in Harmonization of Approaches for Risk Assessment and Approval Process of Food Additives

Dr. Dedi Fardiaz, Bogor Agricultural University, Indonesia

4:35 – 4:50 hr

Panel Discussion: Risk Communication on Food Additives in the Era of Social Media

4:50 – 5:00 hr

Q & A Session

5:00 hr

Closing Remarks & End of Seminar