

L.N. 327 of 2005

**FOOD SAFETY ACT  
(CAP. 449)**

**Food Supplements (Amendment) Regulations, 2005**

IN exercise of the powers conferred by article 10 of the Food Safety Act, the Minister of Health, the Elderly and Community Care has made the following regulations:

**1.** The title of these regulations is the Food Supplements (Amendment) Regulations, 2005, and these regulations shall be read and construed as one with the Food Supplements Regulations, 2003, hereinafter referred to as “the principal regulations”.

Citation.

L.N. 239 of 2003.

**2.** For regulation 5.5 of the principal regulations there shall be substituted the following:-

Amends regulation 5 of the principal regulations.

“5.5. Subject to the provisions of regulation 5.8, food supplements providing a source of any nutrient at a level in excess of the maximum upper level as may be established for that nutrient by the Third Schedule to these regulations may only be sold in Malta subject to a prior approval by the Food Safety Commission.

The Food Safety Commission shall take into account, in particular, the product’s presentation, its labelling, any instructions for its use, as well as any other indication or information provided by the manufacturer.

The Food Safety Commission may also make the marketing of such food supplements subject to any conditions it deems appropriate for the purposes of safeguarding public health.”.

**3.** For regulation 7.4 of the principal regulations there shall be substituted the following:-

Amends regulation 7 of the principal regulations.

“7.4. The declared values mentioned in regulations 7.1 and 7.2 shall be average values based on the manufacturer’s analysis of the product.”.

