

**SECOND SUPPLEMENT TO THE GIBRALTAR  
GAZETTE**  
No. 3835 of 10 February, 2011

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LEGAL NOTICE NO. 11 OF 2011.

**INTERPRETATION AND GENERAL CLAUSES ACT**

**ANIMAL FEEDING STUFFS (AMENDMENT) REGULATIONS 2011**

In exercise of the powers conferred on it by section 23(g)(ii) as read with section 27 of the Interpretation and General Clauses Act, and of all other enabling powers, and for the purposes of transposing into the law of Gibraltar Commission Directive 2010/6/EU of 9 February 2010 amending Annex I to Directive 2002/32/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council as regards mercury, free gossypol, nitrites and *Mowrah*, *Bassia*, *Madhuca*, the Government has made the following Regulations—

**Title and commencement.**

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Animal Feeding Stuffs (Amendment) Regulations 2011 and come into operation on the day of publication.

**Amendment to the Animal Feeding Stuffs Rules 2004.**

2. Part I of Schedule I to the Animal Feeding Stuffs Rules 2004 is amended as follows—

(a) for paragraph 4 (mercury) substitute—

“ 4. Mercury <sup>(11A)</sup> (11B)	Feed materials	0,1
	with the exception of:	
	— feeding stuffs produced by the processing of fish or other aquatic animals	0,5
	— calcium carbonate	0,3
	Compound (complementary and complete) feeding stuffs	0,1

	with the exception of:	
	— mineral feed	0,4
	— compound feeding stuffs for fish	0,2
	— compound feeding stuffs for dogs, cats and fur animals	0,3
”;		

(b) for paragraph 5 (nitrites) substitute-

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5. Nitrites	Feed materials	15 (expressed as sodium nitrite)
	with the exception of:	
	— fishmeal,	30 (expressed as sodium nitrite)
	— silage.	—
	Complete feeding stuffs	15 (expressed as sodium nitrite)
	with the exception of:	
	— complete feedingstuffs for dogs and cats with a moisture content exceeding 20%	—
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(c) for paragraph 9 (free gossypol) substitute-

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9. Free gossypol	Feed materials	20
	with the exception of:	
	— cottonseed	5 000
	— cottonseed cakes and cottonseed meal	1 200

Complete feeding stuffs	20
with the exception of:	
— complete feeding stuffs for adult cattle	500
— complete feeding stuffs for sheep (except lambs and goats (except kids))	300
— complete feeding stuffs for poultry (except laying hens) and calves	100
— complete feeding stuffs for rabbits, lambs, kids and pigs (except piglets)	60

”;

(d) in paragraph 32 for the words “32. *Mowrah*, *Bassia*, *Madhuca* —*Madhuca longifolia* (L.) Macbr. (= *Bassia longifolia* L. = *Illiped malabrorum* Engl.) *Madhuca indica* Gmelin (= *Bassia latifolia* Roxb.) = *Illipe latifolia* (Roscb.) F. Mueller)” substitute “32. *Deleted*”; and

(e) after footnote 11 insert the following footnotes—

“(11A) The maximum levels refer to total mercury.

(11B) Maximum levels refer to an analytical determination of mercury, whereby extraction is performed in nitric acid (5 % w/w) for 30 minutes at boiling temperature. Equivalent extraction procedures can be applied for which it can be demonstrated that the used extraction procedure has an equal extraction efficiency.”

Dated 10th February, 2011.

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For the Government.

**EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM**

These Regulations amend Part 1 of Schedule 1 to the Animal Feeding Stuffs Rules 2004 in order to transpose Directive 2010/06/EU.

