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Overview of Chinese food contact safety requirements

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Abstract

The definition of food contact material (FCM) in China will be introduced. The Food Safety Law is the foundation of the FCM standard system. From 2017 new standards and regulations have been established for application in China, including horizontal standards, material standards, test methods, and good manufacturing practices. Other standards such as those for starch-based FCM and printing inks are still on the way. The new system has been designed to better capture all requirements and be scientifically robust. It will also enable more transparency and sharing of information about materials. However, there are still challenges with the new regulations. These will be discussed as part of the presentation.

Biography

Professor Changying Hu gained her PhD at Jiangnan University of food science. She is an editorial member of journal of Packaging Engineering, and the visiting scholar in Rutgers, the State University of New Jersey in the USA. She is the specialist commissioner in agricultural science and technology for the province Guangdong. Her research interests focus on two aspects: functional foods and food packaging (including Safety). She has over 100 publications, including 30 articles published in international journals. Her researche is supported by the National Natural Science Foundation of China and by the National KeyTechnology R&D Program.

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