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GOVERNMENT OF MANIPUR
OFFICE OF THE FOOD SAFETY COMMISSIONER
SECRETARIAT: HEALTH DEPARTMENT

ORDERS BY THE GOVERNOR: MANIPUR Imphal, the 30th November, 2013

No. 15/52/88-M(FSSA)Pt: Whereas selling of food item branded "Sea Cherry Mackerals Sowkar (In Brine) manufactured by M/s Sowkar Canning Company, Udyavara 574, Karnataka and marketed by its agent M/s Y. Krishna Singh & Sons of Nipa Keithel, Imphal was banned for not fulfilling the mandatory provisions prescribed by the Food Safety & Standard Act, 2006 and its Rules & Regulations, 2011 vide this Government Orders No. 15/52/88-M(FSSA)Pt/B dated 25th March 2013; and

- 2. Whereas the particular product/batch of this food item which was found rotten and unfit for human consumption has been destroyed/disposed off by the Food Safety Officers in the Districts as per this Government's instructions and the particular banned products/batch are not sold or stored any more in all districts of the State as reported by Food Safety Officers & the Designated Officers; and
- 3. Whereas the Karnataka Veterinary, Animal and Fisheries Sciences University, Bidar, College of Fisheries, Mathsyanagar, Kankanady Mangalore, Karnataka has furnished the results of cut out test of canned fish and the product of Mackerel in Brine manufactured by Sowkar Canning Company Udyavara has been certified to be organoleptically accepted now;
- 4. Now, therefore, the ban imposed on selling of the aforesaid Food Item "Sea Cherry Mackerals Sowkar (In Brine)" is hereby revoked with immediate effect subject to the conditions that the new batch of the product shall fulfill all the requisite conditions prescribed by the Food Safety & Standards Act, 2006 and its Rules and Regulations, 2011.

By orders & in the name of Governor,

DR. SUHEL AKHTAR, Commissioner of Food Safety & Principal Secretary (Health & FW), Government of Manipur.