

AMENDMENT NO : 4 APPROVED ON 2006-12-27 TO SLS 79 : 1987

**SPECIFICATION FOR EDIBLE COMMON SALT
(ORDINARY, WASHED AND IODIZED)
(FIRST REVISION)**

EXPLANATORY NOTE

This amendment is necessitated to be inline with the Food (Iodization of Salt) Regulation, 2005.

**AMENDMENT NO : 4 TO SLS 79 : 1987
SPECIFICATION FOR EDIBLE COMMON SALT
(ORDINARY, WASHED AND IODIZED)
(FIRST REVISION)**

Page 4

Include the following as clause 3.4

3.4 Eighty per cent (80%) by weight of the iodized edible common salt in granular form shall pass through a sieve of aperture of 4.75 mm (B.S.4)

Page 5

Table 1 – Requirements for edible common salt

SI No. (iii) Column (5)

Delete “96.5” and substitute with “97.0”

SI No. (iv) Column (5)

Delete “3.0” and substitute with “2.0”

SI No. (v) Column (5)

Delete “25-50” (as amended by Amendment No. 2) and substitute with “15-30”

Page 6

Sub Clause 4.3.1

Amend the 1st sentence to read as follows;

“ The iodized edible common salt shall be packed in transparent containers. Where the packing material is polythene, the thickness of such material shall be not less than 75 micrometers.”

Page 6

Sub - Clause 4.3.1

Amend the sub-clause 4.3.1 (a) to read as “Name of the product as “IODIZED EDIBLE COMMON SALT”, or “IODATED EDIBLE COMMON SALT”

Sub - Clause 4.3.1 (f)

Delete the existing sentence and replace with “USE WITHOUT WASHING”.

Sub - Clause 4.3.1 (g)

Delete the existing sentence and replace with “STORE AWAY FROM SUNLIGHT AND HEAT”.