

§ 317.362 [Amended]

8. Section 317.362 would be amended as follows:

a. By adding the phrase “and main-dish products as defined in § 317.313(m)” after the phrase “meal-type products as defined in § 317.313(l),” whenever it occurs in the introductory text of paragraphs (b)(2), (b)(4), (c)(2), (d)(2), (d)(4), and paragraph (e)(1) and (e)(2).

b. By adding the phrase “and main-dish product as defined in § 317.313(m)” after the phrase “meal-type product as defined in § 317.313(l),” whenever it occurs in the introductory text of paragraph (b)(3), (b)(5), (c)(3), (c)(5), and (d)(5).

c. By adding the phrase “or a main-dish product” after the phrase “a meal-type product,” in paragraphs (b)(1)(i) and (c)(1)(i).

§ 317.363 [Amended]

9. Section 317.363 would be amended as follows:

a. By adding the phrase “main-dish product, as defined in § 317.313(m) and a,” before the phrase “meal-type product, as defined in § 317.313(l)” in the introductory text of paragraphs (b)(2)(i) and (b)(3)(i).

b. By adding the phrase “main dish and” before the phrase “meal-type products” in the introductory text of paragraphs (b)(2)(i) and (b)(3)(i).

c. By adding the phrase “main-dish product, as defined in § 317.313(m),” in place of the phrase “meal-type product as defined in § 317.313(l)” in paragraph (b)(4)(i) and by adding the phrase “main-dish products” in place of the phrase “meal-type products” in paragraph (b)(4)(i).

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10. The authority citation for Part 381 continues to read as follows:

Authority: 7 U.S.C. 138f, 450; 21 U.S.C. 451–470; 7 CFR 2.18, 2.53.

11. Section 381.409 would be amended by revising paragraph (b)(12) to read as follows:

§ 381.409 Nutrient label content.

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(12) The serving size for meal-type products and main-dish products as defined in § 381.413(l) and § 381.413(m) in single-serve containers will be the entire edible content of the package. Serving size for meal-type products and main-dish products in multi-serve containers will be based on the reference amount applicable to the product in § 381.412(b) if the product is

listed in § 381.412(b). Serving size for meal-type products and main-dish products in multi-serve containers that are not listed in § 381.412(b) will be based on the reference amount according to § 381.412(c), (d), and (e).

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12. Section 381.413 would be amended by revising paragraph (1) and by adding paragraph (m) to read as follows:

§ 381.413 Nutrient content claims; general principles.

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(l) For purposes of making a claim, a “meal-type” product will be defined as a product that:

(1) Makes a major contribution to the diet by:

(i) Weighing at least 10 ounces per labeled serving, and

(ii) Containing not less than three 40 gram portions of food, or combinations of foods, from two or more of the following four food groups, except as noted in paragraph (l)(1)(ii)(E) of this section:

(A) Bread, cereal, rice, and pasta;

(B) Fruits and vegetables;

(C) Milk, yogurt, and cheese;

(D) Meat, poultry, fish, dry beans, eggs, and nuts; except that:

(E) These foods will not be sauces (except for foods in the four food groups in paragraph (l)(1)(ii)(A) through (D) of this section that are in the sauces), gravies, condiments, relishes, pickles, olives, jams, jellies, syrups, breadings, or garnishes; and

(2) Is represented as, or is in the form commonly understood to be, a breakfast, lunch, dinner, meal, or entree. Such representations may be either by statements, photographs, or vignettes.

(m) For purposes of making a claim, a “main-dish” product will be defined as a food that:

(1) Makes a major contribution to a meal by:

(i) Weighing at least 6 ounces per labeled serving, and

(ii) Containing not less than 40 grams of food, or combinations of foods, from two or more of the following four food groups, except as noted in paragraph (m)(1)(ii)(E) of this section.

(A) Bread, cereal, rice, and pasta;

(B) Fruits and vegetables;

(C) Milk, yogurt, and cheese;

(D) Meat, poultry, fish, dry beans, eggs, and nuts; except that:

(E) These foods will not be sauces (except for foods in the four food groups in paragraph (m)(1)(ii)(A) through (D) of this section that are in the sauces), gravies, condiments, relishes, pickles, olives, jams, jellies, syrups, breadings, or garnishes; and

(2) Is represented as, or is in a form commonly understood to be, a main dish (e.g., not a beverage or a dessert). Such representations may be made either by statements, photographs, or vignettes.

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§ 381.454 [Amended]

13. Section 381.454 would be amended as follows:

a. By adding the phrase “and main-dish products as defined in § 381.413(m),” after the phrase “meal-type products as defined in § 381.413(l)” wherever it occurs in the introductory text of paragraphs (b)(1), (c)(1), and (e)(1).

b. By adding the phrase “and main-dish product as defined in § 381.413(m)” after the phrase “meal-type product as defined in § 381.413(l),” whenever it occurs in the introductory text of paragraphs (b)(2) and (c)(2).

c. By adding the phrase “or in a main-dish product” after the phrase “meal-type product” in paragraphs (d)(1) and (e)(2)(ii)(B).

§ 381.456 [Amended]

14. Section 381.456 would be amended as follows:

a. By adding the phrase “and main-dish products as defined in § 381.413(m)” after the phrase “meal-type products as defined in § 381.413(l),” whenever it occurs in paragraph (b) introductory text and paragraph (c)(3).

b. By adding the phrase “and main-dish product as defined in § 381.413(m)” after the phrase “meal-type product as defined in § 381.413(l)” whenever it occurs in paragraphs (d)(1) introductory text and paragraph (d)(2)(i).

§ 381.460 [Amended]

15. Section 381.460 would be amended as follows:

a. By adding the phrase “and main-dish products as defined in § 381.413(m)” after the phrase “meal-type products as defined in § 381.413(l),” whenever it occurs in the introductory text of paragraphs (b)(2), (b)(4), and (c)(4).

b. By adding the phrase “and main-dish product as defined in § 381.413(m)” after the phrase “meal-type product as defined in § 381.413(l),” whenever it occurs in the introductory text of paragraphs (b)(3), (b)(5), and (c)(5).

c. By adding “or a main-dish product” after the phrase “a meal-type product” in paragraph (c)(1)(i).