

**Public Notice on Imported Infant and Baby Formula Milk
Powder Management by the Administration of Quality
Supervision, Inspection and Quarantine (AQSIQ)**

This Public Notice is issued to implement the measures taken by the State Council to strengthen the management of quality safety of infant and baby formula milk powder.

- A. The infant and baby formula milk powder in this Public Notice refers to the formula milk powder for infants, larger infants and babies.
- B. Overseas production companies exporting infant and baby formula milk powder to China should register with competent authorities according to the “Regulation for Inspection, Quarantine and Supervision of Dairy Products Import/Export” (Decree No. 152, AQSIQ), “Regulations for Registration and Management of Overseas Food Producer Exporting Products to China” (Decree No. 145, AQSIQ), and “Public Notice on ‘List of Overseas Food Producers Exporting Products to China to be Registered’ by AQSIQ” (Decree No. 62, 2013, AQSIQ). Effective from May 1, 2014, no infant and baby formula powder is permitted to be imported in China by overseas manufacturers without being duly registered.
- C. In case the date of expiry for the imported infant and baby formula powder awaiting for import inspection is less than three month, such formula powder shall be rejected.
- D. It is forbidden to import large packages of infant and baby formula powder and have it re-packed in the territory of the People’s Republic of China. Infant and baby formula powder must be packed in the smallest retail package before entering China.
- E. Effective from April 1, 2014, the Chinese label for the imported infant and baby formula power must be printed directly on the smallest retail package, and it is prohibited to stick the label in China. Packages without Chinese labels or the Chinese labels are inconsistent with Chinese laws, regulations and food safety national standards shall be rejected or destroyed.

Unless otherwise required, the regulations contained in the Public Notice shall be effective forthwith from the day of publication.

Administration of Quality Supervision, Inspection and Quarantine
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