

Penalties

OFFENCES	PENALTIES
Substandard food	Fine of Rs. 2 lacs
Misbranding	Fine of Rs. 3 Lacs
Misleading advertisement	Fine of Rs. 10 lacs
Food containing extraneous matter	Fine of Rs. 1 lacs
Any non compliance with the provisions of this act and regulations	Penalty not exceeding 2 lacs
Unhygienic / Unsanitary conditions	Up to Rs. 1 lacs
Adulterant not injurious to health	Up to Rs. 2 lacs
Adulterant injurious to health	Up to Rs. 10 lacs
Unsafe food but does not cause immediate injury	6mths imprisonment with a fine of Rs. 1 lac
Unsafe food causing non- grievous injury	1 yr imprisonment with a fine of Rs. 3 lacs & compensation of up to Rs. 1 lac in case of injury.
Unsafe food causing grievous injury	6 yrs imprisonment with a fine of Rs. 5 lacs & compensation of up to Rs. 3 lacs in case of grievous injury.
Unsafe food causing death	7 yrs life imprisonment & a fine up to Rs. 10 lacs & compensation in case of death up to Rs. 5 lacs minimum.

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