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The Government authorizes free sale of new food products

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Report Highlights:

The Venezuelan Ministry of Health recently published a list of new food products authorized for free sale and consumption, many of which are high value items or food processing ingredients. Among them are several US-origin products. Post provides a sampling.

General Information:

The Ministry of Health authorizes the free sale and consumption of new US food products

The Food Health Division of the Venezuelan Ministry of Popular Power for Health recently authorized free sale and consumption for a list of new food products, assigning them a sanitary register number and subsequently publishing the list in Official Gazette No. 39.647 dated April 1, 2011. Among those products recently approved there are several US-origin products. A partial listing is provided below by registry number and category.

A-94.405	CONCENTRATE SPORTS DRINK
A-94.406	CONCENTRATED SPORTS DRINK
A-94.407	CONCENTRATED SPORTS DRINK
A-94.412	DIETARY SUPPLEMENT OF VITAMIN C IN FRUIT JUICE WITH ALOE VERA
A-94.528	MIX BASED ON PROTEIN AND CARBOHYDRATE
A-94.528	CONCENTRATED MILK WHEY FOR DRINK WITH VANILLA
A-94.530	CONCENTRATED MILK WHEY FOR DRINK WITH BANANA FLAVOR.
A-94.531	MIX BASED ON PROTEIN AND CARBOHYDRATE
A-94.532	DIETARY SUPPLEMENT L-LYSINE 500MG
A-94.533	DIETARY SUPPLEMENT AMINO ACIDS L-LYTROSINE 500MG
A-94.534	DIETARY SUPPLEMENT AMINO ACIDS L-GLUTATION 500MG
A-94.482	BBQ SAUCE
A-94.483	ITALIAN DRESSING FOR SALADS
A-94.484	FRENCH DRESSING FOR SALADS
A-94.485	BBQ SAUCE-HONEY

A-94.486	RANCH DRESSING FOR SALADS
A-104.189	DIETARY SUPPLEMENT OF VITAMINS AND MINERALS
A-104.209	MARSHMALLOWS
A-104.211	MARSHMALLOWS
A-104.212	MARSHMALLOWS MULTI FRUIT FLAVORS
A-104.284	CHICKEN MARINADE
A-104.304	CANDY TOAST BAR WITH CHOCOLATE AND CARAMEL
A-104.305	CANDIED GUMS
A-104.306	MINI CANDY WITH APPLE FLAVOR
A-104.307	MINI CANDY BAR - ASSORTED FLAVORS
A-104.308	CANDY OF ASSORTED FLAVORS
A-104.309	MINI CANDIES OF ASSORTED FLAVORS
A-104.461	MEDITERRANEAN LEMON FLAVOR
A-104.565	CARBOHYDRATE-BASED FOOD WITH PROTEINS, VITAMINS AND MINERALS, VANILLA FLAVOR, SPECIAL DIETARY
A-104.578	WHEY PROTEIN CONCENTRATED 80%

In addition to this list, other products produced by US companies based in Venezuela and in other South American countries were approved.