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PaperTitle **The Effect of Legislation, Regulation, Voluntary Codes and Liability on the Food Industry in South Africa.**

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ABSTRACT

The South African Food industry, from farmer through to consumer distribution will be undergoing major changes in the near future as a result of the amendment of existing legislation and regulation as well as the introduction of new legislation and regulations as well as voluntary participation to codes of acceptable practice under both moral and government pressure.

The effect of the following is discussed:

- ☐ Medicines and Related Substances Act and Regulations
- ☐ Food, Cosmetics and Disinfectants Act and Regulations
- ☐ Consumer Protection Bill and Regulations
- ☐ Advertising Standards Authority of South Africa rules
- ☐ Advertising codes and regulations
- ☐ Criminal liability
- ☐ Common law liability