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MINUTES

Name of the Committee	No. of Meeting	Date & Time	Venue
Animal Feeds and Nutrition	27th	9 Sep 2024	Samvaad (Green room),
Sectional Committee, FAD 5		Monday @ 1030 hrs	Manak Bhawan, BIS Hqrs,
			New Delhi (Hybrid)

CHAIRMAN: MEMBER SECRETARY:

Dr. Triveni Dutt (Chairman, FAD 5)

Director, Scientist-E

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Nitasha Doger

(Member Secretary, FAD 5)

ATTENDANCE SHEET- Please see *Annex-A* (Page 11)

Item 0 GENERAL

0.1 Welcome

Mrs. Nitasha Doger, Member Secretary FAD 5 extended a warm welcome to the Chairperson and the members of Animal Feeds and Nutrition Sectional Committee, FAD 5 to its 27th meeting and thanked them for sparing their valuable time for supporting BIS, the National Standards Body of India in its pursuit of standardization.

She apprised the members about the work done by the committee since its last meeting and expressed gratitude towards the members of the committee for their efforts and contribution in committee's work.

0.2 Appointment of New Chairperson of FAD 5

Mrs. Nitasha informed the Committee about the appointment of Dr. Triveni Dutt, Director, ICAR-IVRI as the new Chairperson of FAD 5 and extended a warm welcome to him on behalf of the Committee.

The Committee placed on record its appreciation for the contribution made by Dr. R. K. Singh, previous Chairman, FAD 5 for standardization in the field of animal feeds and nutrition.

0.3 Opening Remarks by the Chairman, FAD 5

Dr. Triveni Dutt, extended a warm welcome to the members of the Committee to its 27th meeting. The Chairman in his opening remarks, appreciated the committee for formulating relevant standards in the field of animal feeds and important developments being made under the Committee. The Chairman encouraged the members for their active contribution in

Committee's work and urged them for fruitful discussions during the meeting.

ITEM 1 CONFIRMATION OF THE MINUTES OF THE LAST MEETING

The Committee confirmed the minutes of the last (26th) meeting of Animal Feeds and Nutrition Sectional Committee, FAD 5 held on 22 March 2024 as circulated vide our email dated 24 April 2024.

Item 2 SCOPE, ACTIVITIES & COMPOSITION OF THE SECTIONAL COMMITTEE

2.1 SCOPE & PROGRAM OF WORK OF THE COMMITTEE

The Committee noted the information given in Agenda Item **2.1** regarding the scope & activities of the Committee.

2.2 COMPOSITION OF THE SECTIONAL COMMITTEE

- **2.2.1** The Committee reviewed the updated composition of FAD 5 along with the attendance record of the last three meetings including the attendance in 27th meeting and expressed satisfaction on active participation of members in committee meetings.
- **2.2.2** The Committee further reviewed the composition of various Panels under FAD 5 provided under **Annex III** of the agenda and decided to make following updations in the expert panels:
 - (i) To indicate the name of Dr. A Natarajan and Dr. A. K. Verma as experts in personal capacities (consequent upon their superannuation from their organizations) in the respective panels where they are representing.
 - (ii) To include the name of Dr. P. Vasan in Expert Panel on poultry feed and related standards (FAD 5/Panel 10).

ITEM 3 INDIAN STANDARDS PUBLISHED/ UNDER PRINT

The Committee noted the information given under agenda item 3 regarding Indian standards published since the last meeting of the committee along with standards under print and appreciated the work done by the Committee.

ITEM 4 DRAFT INDIAN STANDARDS COMPLETED/ UNDER WIDE CIRCULATION

4.1 Doc. No. FAD 05 (23752) C, Pig feeds — Specification (second revision of IS 7472)

The Committee noted that the comments from People for Animals (PFA), New Delhi on the draft were discussed by the working group (FAD 5/WG 1) during its meetings held on on **21-6-2024** and **29-08-2024**. The Committee endorsed the recommendations of the WG given in the report of the panel provided as Annex IV of the agenda and decided to finalize the WC draft for publication incorporating changes recommended by the panel.

4.2 Doc. No. FAD 05 (22003) C, Compounded feed for pregnant cows and buffaloes — Specification

The Committee noted that the document was issued into wide circulation for 60 days with last date of comments on 15 Sep 2024 and encouraged the members to actively comment on the document before the last date of comment.

ITEM 5 COMMENTS FROM RELIANCE INDUSTRIES LIMITED ON IS 11968: 2019, PET FOOD FOR DOGS AND CATS – SPECIFICATION AND IS 1374: 2024, CHICKEN FEEDS — SPECIFICATION

The Committee deliberated on the comments from M/s_Reliance Industries Limited on IS 11968: 2019, Pet food for dogs and cats - Specification (*first revision*) and IS 1374: 2024, Chicken feeds — Specification (*fifth revision*) received through BIS standards portal (on 22-04-2024). The Committee also considered the documents submitted by the M/s_Reliance Industries Limited relating to 'green marine microalgal biomass' which was placed before the committee in its previous meetings (25th and 26th).

The Committee observed that in their proposal they have mentioned that the green marine microalgae biomass is a byproduct after protein removal that they intend to use as an ingredient in pet food/ poultry feed. Whereas the FSSAI approval shared by them is for the "Algae Protein Powder" under category 12.10 (Protein Products other than from Soybeans) intended to be used as an ingredient in processed foods. Therefore, FSSAI approval is not relevance here. Further, considering that 'green marine microalgal biomass' is a byproduct after protein removal, it is important to understand nutrient profile of such product and, purpose and benefit of using such product as a feed ingredient.

The Committee was of the view that the information provided with the proposal is not sufficient and decided to seek following information from M/s Reliance Industries Ltd for considering their proposal:

- (i) Nutrient profile of the product including, omega 3 fatty acids, potassium and iron content with supporting technical data/ study on nutrient utilization and digestibility of marine microalga biomass when incorporated in Chicken feed/ Pet food.
- (ii) Experimental studies/ data on *in vivo* trial of use of 'green marine microalgal biomass' in Chicken feed and Pet food
- (iii) Technical data/ study on presence of heavy metal like lead, arsenic and mercury in the algal biomass/meal and the residual accumulation level of these metals in edible portion.
- (iv) Screening for anti-nutritional factors like nucleotides and its level.

ITEM 6 ACTIONS ARISING OUT OF PREVIOUS MEETING:

The Committee considered Item 6 of the agenda and decided as under:

SI. No.	Ref. Clause in minutes of 26 th meeting of FAD 5 & Decision of the Committee	Action taken/ Status	Decision of the Committee
1.	Item 6 New work item proposals for standardization: Monocalcium phosphate, Animal feed grade – Specification The Committee decided to take up formulation of Indian standard on Monocalcium Phosphate, Animal Feed Grade-Specification and refer the project to the Expert Panel 11 to initiate work on the same in consultation with the proposer (DCP, Rock Base Manufactures Association) for necessary technical inputs.	Meeting of Expert Panel 11 was held on 9 June 2024. The panel deliberated that as per the available data/review, MCP is used mainly (>95%) in poultry/aqua feeds, whereas very small amount is used by the cattle feed industry. In view of this, the panel has recommended to move this new work item to poultry panel (Panel 10 of FAD 5) for better deliberation and drafting a suitable specification on MCP.	The Committee considered the recommendation of Expert Panel 11 and decided to transfer the subject 'Monocalcium Phosphate, Animal Feed Grade-Specification' for formulation of Indian standard from Expert Panel on Cattle Feed and Feed Ingredients (FAD 5/ Panel 11) to Expert Panel on Poultry Feed and related standards (FAD 5/ Panel 10) considering more relevance of the subject in poultry sector. The Committee requested Panel 10 to initiate work on the same in consultation with the proposer (DCP, Rock Base Manufactures Association) for necessary technical inputs.
2.	Item 8, SI. No. 1 Review of Test Method Prescribed for Determination of Sulphur in IS 1664: 2002, Mineral Mixtures for Supplementing Cattle Feeds - Specification (Fourth Revision) The Committee referred to the ambiguity pointed out in the test method prescribed for determination of Sulphur in IS 1664 in its 24th meeting. The Committee again requested TANUVAS and IVRI to	Inputs awaited in the matter.	The Committee decided to take up review of test methods in IS 1664: 2002, Mineral Mixtures for Supplementing Cattle Feeds - Specification (Fourth Revision) — Specification and constituted following Working group to review IS 1664: 2002 and submit its recommendation to the committee in three months' time: (i) Dr. Sunil E. Jadav, IVRI – Convenor

	expeditiously examine the ambiguity in the test and give their recommendation in the matter. The Committee also requested BIS secretariat to follow up with Central Lab, BIS and Vimta labs, Hyderabad in the matter.		 (ii) Dr. Shashikant Gupta, NDDB CALF (iii) Dr. R.S. Masali, CLFMA (iv) Nominated representative from NIANP, Bengaluru (v) Nominated representative from NDRI, Karnal
3.	Item 8, SI. No. 2 Review of 11968:2019, Pet Food for Dogs and Cats — Specification Review of IS 11968:2019 has been undertaken by the expert panel constituted during 25th meeting of the committee for review and preparation of draft revision of IS 11968: 2019 comprising of: (i) Dr Akanksha Singh, Association of Indian Pet Food Manufacturers — Convenor (ii) Dr H S Madhusudhan — Karnataka Veterinary, Animal and Fisheries University, Bengaluru (iii) Dr Umesh Kallahalli — In personal capacity (iv) Dr. A K Pattanaik — In personal capacity (v) Shreya Pandey — CIFTI-FICCI. The first meeting of the panel was held on 18 Dec 2023. The Committee in its 26th meeting requested the Expert Panel to submit the ARP report along with draft revision in 3 months' time.	August 2024 and the report was provided as Annex VII of	The Committee considered that the review of IS 11968:2019 is ongoing under the concerned working group and requested the WG to ensure submission of final report with draft revision document by the end of November 2024.
4.	Item 8, SI. No. 3 NWIPs on Feed and Feed Ingredients Following new work item proposals are allocated to Expert Panel FAD 5/ Panel 11 on Feed and Feed Ingredients for preparation of preliminary draft: (i) Silage or Corn Silage as Livestock Fodder (ii) De-Potash Vinasse (iii) Seaweed-Based Feed Supplement (iv) Algae Biomass (Non-Specified Ingredient) as Animal Feed (v) Distiller's Dried Grains with Solubles.	Meeting of Expert Panel 11 was held on 9 June 2024 where the panel deliberated upon the requirements to be specified in new standards and recommended table of contents for DDGS and Maize or Corn Silage as Livestock Fodder.	The committee considered the draft requirements recommended by the FAD 5/Panel 11 for (i) Distiller's Dried Grains with Solubles and (ii) Maize or Corn Silage as Livestock Fodder and requested the convenor of the Panel to provide preliminary draft Indian standards for these two subjects along with necessary background technical documents. The Committee decided that BIS secretariat may then process these drafts for circulation

	The Committee considered that a substantial number of drafts are to be prepared by Panel 11 which would involve significant work and therefore there is a need for prioritization. The Committee accordingly decided to prioritize the subjects in following order: (i) Distiller's Dried Grains with Solubles (ii) Maize or Corn Silage as Livestock Fodder (iii) De-Potash Vinasse (iv) Seaweed-Based Feed Supplement (v) Algae Biomass (Non-Specified Ingredient) as Animal Feed The Committee requested the Expert Panel to expedite the work given to them as per the above priority.	Minutes of meeting provided as Annex VI of the agenda.	amongst the committee members as P draft with 30 days commenting period with the approval of Chairman FAD 5. The Committee further decided to transfer the subject for 'Algae Biomass (Non-Specified Ingredient) as Animal Feed' for formulation of Indian standard from Expert Panel on Cattle Feed and Feed Ingredients (FAD 5/ Panel 11) to Expert Panel on Poultry Feed and related standards (FAD 5/ Panel 10) considering more relevance of the subject in poultry sector. The Panel may initiate work on the subject after receipt of necessary technical inputs from the proposer. (<i>Please also see decision of the committee at Item</i> 5).
5.	Item 8, SI. No. 4 NWIPs on test methods Following new work item proposals are allocated to Expert Panel FAD 5/ Panel 13 on test methods to expedite preparation of preliminary draft on the following subjects: (i) Testing procedure for Available Phosphorus in Cattle Feed (ii) Test Method for Determination of Non- Protein Nitrogen in Animal Feeding Stuffs. The Committee requested the panel to review the need for R &D projects under BIS funding. The Committee requested Dr. Rajesh Nair, NDDB, CALF Lab to convene early meetings of the panel to expedite the task assigned to the panel.	Preliminary drafts awaited from FAD 5/ Panel 13.	The Committee requested the expert panel to convene early meetings of the panel to expedite the task assigned to the panel.
6.	Item 8, SI. No. 5 NWIP on Compounded feeds for Sheep & Goat	Preliminary draft received from from Dr. Randhir Singh Bhatt provided as Annex VIII	The Committee considered the preliminary draft prepared by Dr. Randhir Singh Bhatt, CSWRI on 'Compounded feeds for Sheep'
	The Committee requested Dr. Randhir Singh Bhatt for early	of the agenda.	and requested Dr. Bhatt to provide necessary

	deliberations by the	committee	draft on the subject for further e. The Committee requested Dr. the assigned task in 3 months'		background technical documents/references based on which the draft has been prepared. The Committee decided that BIS secretariat may then process the draft for circulation amongst the committee members as P draft with 30 days commenting period with the approval of Chairman FAD 5. The Committee further decided that 'Compounded feeds for Goat' may be taken up as a separate subject for standard development and to be deliberated upon in next meeting.
7.	7. Item 8, SI. No. 6 Review of IS 10672: 1983 Specification for Mineral Mixtures for Supplementing Sheep and Goat Feeds: The Committee requested Dr. Randhir Singh Bhatt for early submission of the draft revision of IS 10672 on the subject for further deliberations by the committee.		Draft revision of IS 10672 has been submitted by Dr. Randhir Singh Bhatt. The same was provided as Annex IX of the agenda.	The Committee considered the draft revision of IS 10672 prepared by Dr. Randhir Singh Bhatt, CSWRI and requested Dr. Bhatt to provide report identifying the changes proposed in the standard along with necessary technical justification/ references. The Committee also decided that inputs from Central Institute for Research on Goats (CIRG) may also be sought on the draft revision before processing the draft for wide circulation.	
8.	The Committee req work for completing pending with them: Concerned Expert Panel	the reviev	pending f Pre-2000 standard: e expert panels to expedite the d of following Pre-2000 standard Title	Expert Panel FAD 05/ P10 on Poultry Feed and related standards examined and reviewed the poultry feed related standards during its meeting held on 7 June 2024,	The Committee considered the recommendation of the FAD 5/ Panel 10 provided as Annex IV of the agenda for revision of IS 9863:1992, Nutrient requirements for poultry and IS 5672:1992, Mineral mixture for supplementing poultry feeds along with the recommendation from
	Expert panel (FAD 5/ Panel 11)	IS 920 : 1972	Specification for common salt and cattle licks for animal	(through WebEx). Report of the Panel provided as Annex	Vimta labs for updations of the test methods. The Committee advised that BIS secretariat

on cattle feed and		consumption (First Revision)
feed ingredients	IS	Technical requirements for
	14275 :	urea molasses liquid drought
	1995	feed for cattle
Expert panel	IS 1942	Specification for bone - meal
(FAD 5/ Panel 10)	: 1968	as poultry feed supplement
on poultry feed		(First Revision)
and related	IS 4307	Specification for fish meal as
standards	: 1983	poultry feed ingredient
		(Second Revision)
	IS 5065	Specification for meat meal as
	: 1986	poultry feed ingredient (First
	10 =0=0	Revision)
	IS 5672	Mineral mixtures for
	: 1992	supplementing poultry feeds
		— Specification (<i>First</i>
	10.0407	Revision)
	IS 6107	Specification for dried silk
	: 1971	worm pupae as poultry feed
	IS 7060	Specification for blood meal
	: 1973	as poultry feed
	IS 9863	Nutrient requirements for
Evnort nonal	: 1992	poultry (<i>First Revision</i>) Methods of tests for animal
Expert panel (EAD 5/ Banel 12)	IS 7874	
(FAD 5/ Panel 13)	(Part 1)	feeds and feeding stuffs Part
on test methods	: 1975	1 general methods
standards under FAD 5	IS 7874	Methods of tests for animal
ראט ט	(Part 2) : 1975	feeds and feeding stuffs Part 2 minerals and trace elements
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The panel in their recommendation have suggested revision of certain parameters in Standards; IS 9863:1992 (Nutrient requirements for poultry) and IS 5672 :1992 (Mineral mixture for supplementing poultry feeds). Whereas, for other standards (Fish meal, Bone meal, meat meal, blood meal and silkworm pupae the panel meal), has recommended to retain the existing specified values.

The Panel has recommended that methods of test need to be updated in all the specifications. For this, inputs received from Dr Jagadeesh of Vimta labs were provided with the agenda as Annex XI.

Progress report from other panels in the matter is awaited from Conveners of the respective panels.

may prepare draft revision for these two standards incorporating the suggested changes and process these drafts for wide circulation with 60 days commenting period with the approval of Chairman FAD 5.

The Committee considered the recommendation of the panel to retain the existing specified values in IS 1942: 1968, Specification for bone - meal as poultry feed supplement, IS 4307: 1983, Specification for fish meal as poultry feed ingredient, IS 5065: 1986, Specification for meat meal as poultry feed ingredient, IS 6107: 1971, Specification for dried silk worm pupae as poultry feed and IS 7060: 1973, Specification for blood meal as poultry feed and decided to revise these standard for updations of test methods only. The Committee advised that BIS secretariat may prepare draft revision for these standards incorporating the changes suggested by Vimta labs and process these drafts for wide circulation with 60 days commenting period with the approval of Chairman FAD 5.

The Committee requested the other experts panels to complete the assigned task for review of remaining Pre- 2000 standards in 3 months' time.

ITEM 7 REVIEW OF INDIAN STANDARDS

The Committee reviewed the list of Indian standards due for Review as per 5 Yearly Review Criteria during 2024-25 and decided as follows:

Sl No.	IS No.	Title	Decision of the
			Committee
1.	. IS 10672: Specification for mineral mixtures for		To reaffirm and revise
	1983	supplementing sheep and goat feeds	(revision under progress)
2.	IS 14275:	Technical requirements for urea molasses	To reaffirm and revise
	1995	liquid drought feed for cattle	(revision under progress)
3.	IS 1942:	Specification for bone — Meal as poultry	To reaffirm and revise.
	1968	feed supplement (first revision)	(revision under progress)
4.	IS 4307:	Specification for fish meal as livestock	To reaffirm and revise
	1983	feed ingredient (second revision)	(revision under progress)
5.	IS 5672:	Mineral mtxtures for supplementing	To reaffirm and revise
	1992	poultry feeds — Specification (first	(revision under progress)
		revision)	
6.	IS 6107:	Specification for dried silk worm pupae as	To reaffirm and revise
	1971	livestock feed	(revision under progress)
7.	IS 7060:	Specification for blood meal as livestock	To reaffirm and revise
	1973	feed	(revision under progress)
8.	IS 7874	Methods of tests for animal feeds and To reaffirm and re	
	(Part 1):	feeding stuffs: Part 1 General methods	
	1975		
9.	IS 7874	Methods of tests for animal feeds and	To reaffirm and revise
	(Part 2):	feeding stuffs: Part 2 Minerals and trace	
	1975	elements	
10.	IS 7874	Methods of Tests for Animal Feeds and	To reaffirm
	(Part 3):	Feeding Stuffs Part 3 Microbiological	
	2020	Methods (first revision)	(The Committee
			considered that the
			standard is relatively new
			and no comments have
			been received on the
			standard)

ITEM 8 INTERNATIONAL ACTIVITIES

The committee noted the information given under item **8.1 and 8.2** and assured effective participation at International level. BIS Secretariat encouraged the members to submit New Work Item Proposal (NWIP) for development of international standards at ISO level and to

advance international engagement and participation in standardization at international level.

ITEM 9 TIME AND PLACE FOR THE NEXT MEETING

The Committee noted that its next meeting is scheduled for 11 March 2025, as per the annual meeting calendar, and decided to hold the meeting according to the established schedule on a best endeavor basis.

ITEM 10 ANY OTHER BUSINESS

There being no other business, the meeting ended with a hearty vote of thanks to the Chair & the members.

Annex A

Attendance for the 27th meeting of Animal Feeds and Nutrition Sectional Committee, FAD 5 held on 9 Sep 2024

Sl No.	Organization	Representative		
1.	Dr. Triveni Dutt*			
	Chairman FAD 05 & Director of ICAR- Indian Veterinary Research Institute (IVRI),			
	Izatnagar			
2.	All India Poultry Breeders Association, New Delhi	Mr. Ricky Thaper*		
3.	Animal Welfare Board of India, Faridabad	Dr. Prachi Jain		
4.	Association of Indian Pet Food Manufacturers, New Delhi	Dr Akanksha Singh*		
		Mr. Govind Suryawanshi*		
5.	CSIR - Central Drug Research Institute (CDRI), Lucknow	Dr. Rajdeep Guha		
6.	Centre for Science and Environment (CSE), New Delhi	Shri Amit Khurana		
7.	Compound Livestock Feed Manufacturers Association of	Prof. Dr. A. S. Ranade		
	India (CLFMA), Navi Mumbai	Dr. R.S. Masali		
8.	Dau Shri Vasudev Chandrakar Kamdhenu Vishwavidyalaya,	Dr. Sanjay Shakya		
	Anjora	Dr. Manoj Kumar Gendley		
9.	Department of Animal Husbandry and Dairying, Haryana,	Dr. Dharamvir		
	Panchkula			
10.	Food Safety and Standards Authority of India (FSSAI),	Ms. Geetika		
	New Delhi			
11.	Guru Angad Dev Veterinary and Animal Sciences	Dr. Jasmine Kaur		
	University, Ludhiana			
12.	ICAR-Central Avian Research Centre, Bareilly	Dr. Chandra Deo		
		Dr. Ashok Kumar Tiwari		
		Dr. Rokade Jaydip Jaywant		
13.	ICAR-Central Institute for Research on Buffaloes (CIRB),	Dr. Avijit Dey		
	Hisar			
14.	ICAR- Central Sheep and Wool Research Centre (CSWRI),	Dr. Randhir Singh Bhatt		
	Avikanagar, Rajasthan			
15.	ICAR - Directorate of Poultry Research (DPR), Hyderabad	Dr. M.V.L.N. Raju		
16.	ICAR - Indian Veterinary Research Institute (IVRI),	Dr. L C Chaudhary*		
	Izatnagar			
17.	ICAR-National Research Centre on Equines, Hisar	Dr. S. C. Mehta		
18.	ICAR-National Research Centre on Pig, Guwahati	Dr. Nitin M. Attupuram		
19.	Indian Federation of Animal Health Companies (INFAH)	Dr. Shirish Nigam		
20.	Karnataka Veterinary, Animal and Fisheries Sciences	Dr. H. S. Madhusudhan		
	University, Bidar	Dr. N. K. Shivakumar		
		Gowda		
21.	Ministry of Fisheries, Animal Husbandry and Dairying,	Dr. Ani Bency Jacob		
_	Department of Animal Husbandry and Dairying, New Delhi			
22.	NDDB CALF Limited, Anand	Dr. Shashikant Gupta		
23.	National Dairy Development Board NDDB, Anand	Dr Pankaj Sherasia		
		Dr. Rajesh Sharma		
24.	National Egg Coordination Committee (NECC),	Shri Ajit Singh*		
	Chandigarh	Shri Bhagwati Singh*		

25.	National Institute of Animal Nutrition and Physiology,	Dr. D. T. Pal
	Bengaluru	
26.	PETA India, Mumbai	Dr. Kiran Ahuja
27.	People for Animals (PFA), New Delhi	Ms. Gauri Mulekhi *
		Ms. Sunayana Sibal*
28.	Poultry Federation of India (PFI)	Shri Ranpal Dhanda
		Shri Rahul Khatri
29.	Tamil Nadu Veterinary and Animal Sciences University,	Dr. P. Vasan
	Chennai	
30.	Pandit Deen Dayal Upadhyaya Pashu Chikitsa Vigyan	Prof. (Dr.) P. K. Shukla
	Vishwavidyalaya Evam Go-Anusandhan Sansthan	
	(DUVASU), Mathura	
31.	In Personal Capacity	Dr. A. B. Mandal

^{*}Physically present during the meeting