

BUREAU OF INDIAN STANDARDS
(Central Marks Department II)

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Subject : Drawl of second sample of Packaged Drinking Water
in case first sample fails in any of the requirement but
reported passing in the requirement of Radioactive Residues.

In many cases, it has been observed that sample of Packaged Drinking Water drawn during the preliminary inspection failed in one or the other requirement but reported passing in the requirement of Radioactive Residue. For the drawal of the second sample proposal received from various ROs/BOs for testing of the second sample in all the requirement except Radioactive Residues. These proposals were agreed by Competent Authority and BOs were informed accordingly.

The requirement of radioactive residues is to be tested once in two years. Further, if the radioactive residues are absent in the source water, there is no likelihood of their presence in the final product. In order to have uniform policy, it is proposed that in case the sample drawn during the preliminary inspection fails in one or the other requirement but passes in radioactive residues, in those cases the second sample may not be tested for radioactive residues.

Submitted for kind approval please.

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