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ABDI Brazilian Agency for Industrial Development

ADI Acceptable Daily Intake

AFC (former) Panel on food additives, flavourings, processing aids and

materials in contact with food, EFSA (replaced by two separate Panels,

ANS and CEF, in 2008)

ANEC European Consumer Voice in Standardisation

ANS Panel on food additives and nutrient sources added to food, EFSA

BEUC Bureau Européen des Unions de Consommateurs (European Consumers'

Organisation)

BSI British Standards Institution

CEF Panel on food contact materials, enzymes, flavourings and processing aids,

**EFSA** 

DNA Deoxyribonucleic acid EC European Commission

EFSA European Food Safety Authority

ENM Engineered nanomaterials

EPA United States Environmental Protection Agency

EU European Union

FAO Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations

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