

Press Release (This is provisional translation. Please refer to the original text written in Japanese.)

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Policy Planning Division for Environmental Health and Food Safety,
Food Inspection and Safety Division,
Pharmaceutical Safety and Environmental Health Bureau

To Press and those who may concern,

Removal of the restriction on the distribution of food based on the Act on Special Measures
Concerning Nuclear Emergency Preparedness, direction of Director-General of the Nuclear Emergency
Response Headquarters

Today, the Nuclear Emergency Response Headquarters has removed the restriction on the distribution of bamboo shoots produced in Yaita-city, Tochigi prefecture (limiting to areas under control based on the management policy set by Tochigi prefecture).

1. With regard to Tochigi prefecture, the restriction on the distribution of bamboo shoots produced in Yaita-city (limiting to areas under control based on the management policy set by Tochigi prefecture) has been removed today.
 - (1) The instruction of the Nuclear Emergency Response Headquarters: Attachment 1
 - (2) The application from Tochigi prefecture: Attachment 2 [omitted].
2. The list of the instructions to restrict the distribution and/or the consumption of food in accordance with the Act on Special Measures Concerning Nuclear Emergency Preparedness: Reference [omitted].

Instruction

June 21, 2022

From Director-General of the Nuclear Emergency Response Headquarters
To Governor of Tochigi Prefecture,

The Instruction to the Prefecture on February 25, 2020 based on the Article 20.2 of the Act on Special Measures Concerning Nuclear Emergency Preparedness (Act No. 156, 1999) shall be changed as follows.

1. Restrictive requirements shall apply to heads of relevant municipalities and food business operators concerned not to distribute any log-grown shiitake (outdoor cultivation) produced in Utsunomiya-city, Ashikaga-city, Tochigi-city (excluding former Iwafune-town), Kanuma-city, Nikko-city, Moka-city, Ohtawara-city, Yaita-city, Nasushiobara-city, Sakura-city, Mashiko-town, Nasukarasuyama-city, Motegi-town, Ichikai-town, Haga-town, Takanezawa-town and Nakagawa-town for the time being, provided, however, that these shall not apply to log-grown shiitakes (outdoor cultivation) which are controlled under the management policy set by Tochigi prefecture.
2. Restrictive requirements shall apply to heads of relevant municipalities and food business operators concerned not to distribute any log-grown shiitake (outdoor cultivation) produced in Kaminokawa-town, Mibu-town, Shioya-town and Nasu-town for the time being.
3. Restrictive requirements shall apply to heads of relevant municipalities and food business operators concerned not to distribute any log-grown shiitake (indoor cultivation) produced in Kanuma-city, Nikko-city, Ohtawara-city, Yaita-city, Nasushiobara-city, Sakura-city, Haga-town, Mibu-town and Nasu-town for the time being, provided, however, that these shall not apply to log-grown shiitakes (indoor cultivation) which are controlled under the management policy set by Tochigi prefecture.
4. Restrictive requirements shall apply to heads of relevant municipalities and food business operators concerned not to distribute any log-grown pholiota nameko (outdoor cultivation) produced in Sano-city, Kanuma-city, Nikko-city, Ohtawara-city, Yaita-city, Nasushiobara-city, Nasukarasuyama-city, Mibu-town, Nasu-town and Nakagawa-town for the time being.
5. Restrictive requirements shall apply to heads of relevant municipalities and food business operators concerned not to distribute any log-grown brick cap (outdoor cultivation) produced in Utsunomiya-city, Ashikaga-city, Sano-city, Kanuma-city, Moka-city, Ohtawara-city, Yaita-city, Nasushiobara-city, Sakura-city, Nasukarasuyama-city, Kaminokawa-town, Motegi-town, Ichikai-town, Haga-town, Mibu-town, Shioya-town and Takanezawa-town for the time being.
6. Restrictive requirements shall apply to heads of relevant municipalities and food business operators concerned not to distribute any wild mushroom picked in Kanuma-city, Nikko-city, Moka-city, Ohtawara-city, Yaita-city, Nasushiobara-city, Nasukarasuyama-city, Mashiko-town, Motegi-town, Shioya-town, Nasu-town and Nakagawa-town for the time being.
7. Restrictive requirements shall apply to heads of relevant municipalities and food business operators concerned not to distribute any bamboo shoot produced in Nikko-city, Ohtawara-city,

Yaita-city (excluding areas under control based on the management policy set by Tochigi prefecture), Nasushiobara-city and Nasu-town for the time being.

8. Restrictive requirements shall apply to heads of relevant municipalities and food business operators concerned not to distribute any wild ostrich fern picked in Ohtawara-city, Nasushiobara-city and Nasu-town for the time being.
9. Restrictive requirements shall apply to heads of relevant municipalities and food business operators concerned not to distribute any wild koshiabura picked in Utsunomiya-city, Kanuma-city, Nikko-city, Ohtawara-city, Yaita-city, Nasushiobara-city, Sakura-city, Nasukarasuyama-city, Motegi-town, Ichikai-town, Shioya-town, Takanezawa-town, Nasu-town and Nakagawa-town for the time being.
10. Restrictive requirements shall apply to heads of relevant municipalities and food business operators concerned not to distribute any wild Japanese pepper produced in Utsunomiya-city, Nikko-city, Ohtawara-city, Nasushiobara-city for the time being.
11. Restrictive requirements shall apply to heads of relevant municipalities and food business operators concerned not to distribute any wild Japanese royal fern picked in Kanuma-city, Nikko-city and Nasu-town for the time being.
12. Restrictive requirements shall apply to heads of relevant municipalities and food business operators concerned not to distribute any wild Aralia sprout picked in Utsunomiya-city, Nikko-city, Ohtawara-city, Yaita-city, Nasushiobara-city, Sakura-city, Ichikai-town, Shioya-town and Nasu-town for the time being.
13. Restrictive requirements shall apply to heads of relevant municipalities and food business operators concerned not to distribute any wild Pteridium aquilinum picked in Utsunomiya-city, Kanuma-city, Nikko-city, Ohtawara-city and Yaita-city for the time being.
14. Restrictive requirements shall apply to heads of relevant municipalities and food business operators concerned not to distribute any boar meat obtained after capturing in Tochigi prefecture for the time being, provided, however, that these shall not apply to boar meat which are managed based on shipment and inspection policy set by Tochigi prefecture.
15. Restrictive requirements shall apply to heads of relevant municipalities and food business operators concerned not to distribute any sika deer meat obtained after capturing in Tochigi prefecture for the time being.