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Powdered cellulose and glucono-delta-lactone in spreadable cheese

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Commission Regulation (EU) <u>2024/2608</u> as regards the use of powdered cellulose (E 460(ii)) and glucono-delta-lactone (E 575) in unripened soft spreadable cheese products

What is changing and why?

The European Commission has authorised the use of powdered cellulose [E 460(ii)] as a stabiliser, and of glucono-delta-lactone [E 575] as an acidity regulator, in unripened soft spreadable cheese products.

The use of these food additives is of very low safety concern. Use of these additives makes the production process more efficient and requires less raw material, energy, and time.

Timeline

The Regulation applies from 28 October 2024.

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