

Section	Offence	Liability	Penalty		
			Monetary (not exceeding)	Imprisonment (not exceeding)	Any Other
50	Selling Food Not Of The Nature Or Substance Or Quality Demanded	Seller	5 Lacs		
Note: Penalty in case of Petty food business operator, for non-compliance under Section 50 shall not exceed twenty five thousand rupees.					
51	Sub-Standard Food	Manufacturer, Seller, Distributor, Storage, Importer	5 Lacs		
52	Misbranded Food	Manufacturer, Seller, Distributor, Storage, Importer	3 Lacs		Adjudicating Officer May Issue A Direction To The Person Found Guilty, For Taking Corrective Action To Rectify The Mistake Or Such Article Of Food Shall Be Destroyed.
53	Misleading Advertisement Or A Label	Person who publishes, or is a party to the publication of an advertisement	10 Lacs		
54	Food Containing Extraneous Matter		1 Lac		
55	Failure To Comply With The Directions Of FSO	Food Business Operator, Importer	2 Lacs		
56	Unhygienic Or Unsanitary Processing Or Manufacturing Of Food	Manufacturer, Processor	1 Lac		
57	Possessing Adulterant	Manufacturer, Seller, Distributor, Storage, Importer	(a). Adulterant Is Not Injurious To Health - 2 Lacs (b). Adulterant Is Injurious To Health- 10 Lacs		
58	Contravention S For Which No Specific Penalty Is Provided	Any Person	2 Lacs		
59	Punishment For Unsafe Food	Manufacturer, Seller, Distributor, Storage, Importer	(a). No Injury- 1 Lac (b). Non- Grievous Injury- 3 Lacs (c). Grievous Injury - 5 Lacs	(a). No injury 6 months (b). Non-grievous injury- 1 Year (c). grievous injury - 6 Years	
60	Punishment For Interfering With Seized Items	Any Person	2 Lacs	2 Months	
61	Punishment For False Information	Any Person As Per The Directions Under The FSS Act	2 Lacs	3 Months	
62	Punishment For Obstructing Or Impersonating A FSO	Any Person	1 Lac	3 Months	
63	Punishment For Carrying Out A Business Without License	Any Person, Food Business Operator	5 Lacs	6 Months	
64	Punishment For Subsequent Offences	Any Person	Fine On Daily Basis- 1 Lacs	6 Months	Twice The Punishment, Which Might Have Been Imposed On A First Conviction, Subject To The Punishment Being Maximum Provided For The Same Offence.
65	Offences By Companies	Every Person Who At The Time The Offence Was Committed Was In Charge Of A Particular Establishment/ Branch, And Was Responsible To, The Company For The Conduct Of The Business Of The Company, As Well As The Company, Shall Be Deemed To Be Guilty Of The Offence And Shall Be Liable To Be Proceeded Against And Punished Accordingly. Also If It Is Proved That The Offence Has Been Committed In Connivance Of Or Is Attributable To Any Neglect On The Part Of Any Director, Manager, Secretary Or Other Officer Shall Also Be Guilty Of That Offence And Liable To Be Proceeded And Punished Accordingly.			
66	Contravention Of Provisions Of This Act In Case Of Import Of Articles Of Food To Be In Addition To Penalties Provided Under Any Other Act	Importer			(a). In Addition To Any Penalty To Which He May Be Liable Under The Provisions Of The Foreign Trade (development And Regulation) Act, 1992 (22 Of 1992) And The Customs Act, 1962 (52 Of 1962) Be Also Liable Under This Act And Will Be Proceeded Against Accordingly. (b). Any Such Article Of Food Shall Be Destroyed Or Returned To The Importer, If Permitted By The Competent Authority Under The Foreign Trade (development And Regulation) Act, 1992 (22 Of 1992) Or The Customs Act, 1962 (52 Of 1962). Or Any Other Act.

