

## 7. REGULATIONS AND ADVISORIES

No regulations or advisories that apply specifically to 2,3-benzofuran were located. 2,3-Benzofuran is one component of coumarone-indene resin and a number of regulations and guidelines have been established for coumarone-indene resin by various national agencies. These values are summarized in Table 7-1.

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TABLE 7-1. Regulations and Guidelines Applicable to 2,3-Benzofuran\*

Agency	Description	Information	References
<u>NATIONAL</u>			
Regulations:			
a. Food:			
FDA	Coumarone-indene resin as a protective coating on citrus fruit-maximum residue	200 ppm	CFR 1989a (21 CFR 172.215)
	Coumarone-indene resin as a component of adhesives approved for use in food packaging	Yes	CFR 1989c (21 CFR 175.105)
	Coumarone-indene resin as a plasticizer in rubber articles intended for repeated use in contact with food	Yes	CFR 1989d (21 CFR 177.2600)
EPA OPP	Exemption from tolerance Coumarone-indene resin used as coating on citrus fruit	Yes	CFR 1989e (40 CFR 180.1001)

EPA = Environmental Protection Agency; FDA = Food and Drug Administration; OPP = Office of Pesticide Products

\*There are no regulations or advisories specifically applicable to 2,3-benzofuran. Because 2,3-benzofuran is one component of coumarone-indene resin, the regulations applicable to Coumarone-indene resin are presented in this table.