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**Department of Health and Human Services**

**Food and Drug Administration**

**Center for Food Safety and Applied Nutrition**

**Office of Cosmetics and Colors**

**Division of Color Certification and Technology**

Effective Date: December 14, 2018

**1. Division of Color Certification and Technology (DCEEA).**

- A. Administers the Food and Drug Administration (FDA) Color Certification Program, including methodology research and quality control.
- B. Provides expert scientific and technical advice and support on color additive methodology.
- C. Identifies substances and issues of safety concern for certifiable color additives and their raw materials.
- D. Provides subject matter expertise related to the review of cosmetic, food, drug and device color additives.

**2. Color Certification Branch (DCEEA1)**

- A. Administers the Food and Drug Administration (FDA) Color Certification Program, including methodology research and quality control.
- B. Provides expert scientific and technical advice and support on color additive methodology.
- C. Identifies substances and issues of safety concern for certifiable color additives and their raw materials.

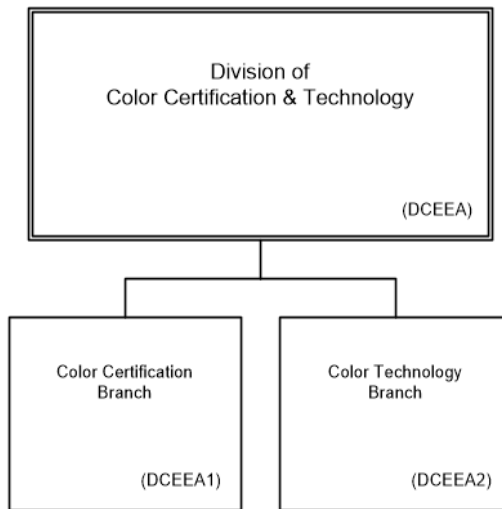
### **3. Color Technology Branch (DCEEA2)**

- A. Provides subject matter expertise related to the review of cosmetic, food, drug and device color additives.
- B. Develops policy in the area of new and emerging color additives.

### **4. Authority and Effective Date.**

The functional statements for the Division of Color Certification and Technology were approved by the Secretary of Health and Human Services and effective on December 14, 2018.

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The following is the Department of Health and Human Services, Food and Drug Administration, Center for Food Safety and Applied Nutrition, Office of Cosmetics and Colors, Division of Color Certification and Technology organization structure depicting all the organizational structures in the immediate office reporting to the Director.

These branches report to Division of Color Certification and Technology (DCEEA)

- Color Certification Branch
- Color Technology Branch