## **Regulations Governing the Labeling of Vacuum-packed Foods on the Market**

- 1. The regulations are prescribed in accordance with Subparagraph 10 of Paragraph 1 of Article 22 of the Act Governing Food Safety and Sanitation.
- 2. Content of labeling: Whether the product needs to be refrigerated or frozen shall be specified; otherwise, the term "Not ready-to-eat. Should be fully heated before consumption." shall be clearly shown on the packages (except fresh fruit and vegetables, livestock and aquatic products).
- 3. Label position: The label shall be obvious and on the front of the packaging of the smallest unit for sale.
- 4. Font size: The term "Needed to be refrigerated" or "Needed to be frozen" shall not be smaller than 1 cm in length and width; the term "Not ready-to-eat. Should be fully heat before eating." should not be smaller than 0.5 cm in length and width.
- 5. Notice: The color of term "Needed to be refrigerated", "Needed to be frozen" or "Not ready-to-eat. Should be fully heat before eating." shall be clearly distinguishable from the background color.