Food and Drug Administration, HHS

§ 189.130 Coumarin.

(a) Coumarin is the chemical 1,2-benzopyrone, C₉H₆O₂. It is found in tonka beans and extract of tonka beans, among other natural sources, and is also synthesized. It has been used as a flavoring compound.

(b) Food containing any added coumarin as such or as a constituent of tonka beans or tonka extract is deemed to be adulterated under the act, based