

Food Standard Revised:

The benchmark for food safety management

Best practice wins business. Many retailers require suppliers to have gained BRC Food Standard certification.

Established as the international benchmark of excellence, the Food Standard has been extensively revised.

Changes in legislation are included, affecting :

- tracking food components through the supply chain
- ensuring that food components remain uncontaminated by other elements - important when allergens labelling becomes a statutory requirement next year
- the enabling of food product suppliers to advertise that farmed goods in their products come from a particular source
- ensuring that guidelines governing various processes in the manufacture of food products are sufficiently robust
- pointers on what suppliers can say in their communications

BRC Global Standard - Food

The Standard is currently used by suppliers in Europe, Africa, the Middle East, Asia, the Far East, Australasia, North and South America - a truly global Standard.

The retail industry, food manufacturers, importers, caterers, ingredient suppliers and the food service industry can all benefit greatly from this essential Standard.

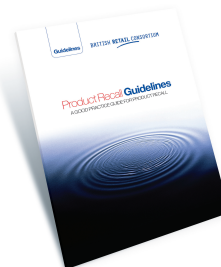
The Standard also provides:

- a common basis for the certification of companies supplying food products
- assistance for manufacturers in their fulfilment of legal obligations and protection of the consumer
- critical topics as the HACCP system, quality management system, factory environment standards and product and process control

The new Standard will come into effect by 1st June 2005. Order now on 0870 243 0123. Publication date - 31st December 2004. Language versions of the Standard will be published in February, these include German, French, Swedish, Spanish, Norwegian and Dutch.

The BRC also publishes Standards for Consumer Products, Packaging and Non-GM Food and has developed Product Recall Guidelines. Visit www.tso.co.uk/bookshop/brc for a selection of other titles on retail issues.





Consumer Products Standard BRC Global Standard - Consumer Products

Developed by a wide and diverse group of BRC member companies, this standard, like the BRC Global Standard - Food, provides a common approach to the certification of companies supplying consumer products to the UK market and will focus suppliers' attention on key areas of product safety. Despite the extremely wide scope of product categories, core requirement criteria have been identified and together with specific product guidelines, a Standard has been developed that will again have mutual benefit for both retailers and suppliers.

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Packaging Standard BRC/IOP Global Standard - Food Packaging and other Packaging Materials

An essential reference for all suppliers of packaging Materials. The Standard gives greater confidence in supply and compliance with legal requirements, this Standard is the benchmark for best practice in the packaging industry, and the basis for future accreditation. Manufacturers need to comply to ensure they stay on retailers' preferred supplier lists. The Standard now allows products other than food to be certified, provides enhanced due diligence systems for all parties and a standardised industry approach.

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