

CERTIFICATE OF ACCREDITATION

The ANSI National Accreditation Board

Hereby attests that

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Fulfills the requirements of

ISO/IEC 17065:2012 Conformity assessment -Requirements for bodies certifying products, processes and services

LIST OF CERTIFCATION SCHEME(S)

Criteria for SQF Certification Bodies – SQF Requirements on the Application of ISO/IEC 17065:2012, Edition 9.1 – April 2023

PrimusGFS General Regulations V 3.2 January 2021

GLOBALG.A.P. General Regulations Integrated Farm Assurance Version 5.4-1-GFS_October 2021 GLOBALG.A.P. Chain of Custody General Regulations V 6.1 November 2022

Produce Safety Assurance (PSA) V5 July 2019

PRODUCE HANDLING ASSURANCE (PHA) STANDARD - General Regulations v1.2-1 October 2021 Harmonized Produce Safety Standard (HPSS) - Addendum to GLOBALG.A.P. General Regulations - General Regulations V1-2 August 2020

BRC004: Requirements For Certification Bodies Offering Certification Against the Criteria of BRC Global Standards-Issue 9, June 2022

BRCGS Global Standard for Food Safety (Issue 9)

BRCGS Global Standard Storage and Distribution (Issue 4)

BRCGS Global Standard Packaging Materials (Issue 6)

International Featured Standards (IFS) Food Version 8, April 2023

This certificate is valid only when accompanied by a current scope of accreditation.

The current scope of accreditation can be verified at www.anab.org.

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Expiry Date: 01 June 2024



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for programs within the following

SCOPE OF ACCREDITATION

GRANTED 2015-10-07:

- SQF Code Edition 9.0
 - SQF Food Safety Code: Animal Feed Manufacturing Edition 9.0
 - SQF Food Safety Code: Animal Product Manufacturing Edition 9.0
 - SQF Food Safety Code: Aquaculture Edition 9.0
 - SQF Food Safety Code: Dietary Supplement Manufacturing Edition 9.0
 - SQF Food Safety Code: Food Manufacturing Edition 9.0
 - SQF Food Safety Code: Manufacture of Food Packaging Edition 9.0
 - SQF Food Safety Code: Pet Food Manufacturing Edition 9.0
 - SQF Food Safety Code: Primary Animal Production Edition 9.0
 - SQF Food Safety Code: Primary Plant Production Edition 9.0
 - SQF Food Safety Code: Storage and Distribution Edition 9.0
 - SQF Quality Code Edition 9.0
- PrimusGFS V3.2 Good Agricultural Practices (GAP)
- Farm
- Indoor Agriculture
- Harvest Crew

Good Manufacturing Practices (GMP)

- Storage and Distribution
- Cooler/Cold Storage
- Packinghouse
- Processing Perishable Plant Products
- Processing of Perishable Animal and Plant Products (mixed products)
- Processing of Ambient Stable Products

GRANTED 2015-10-07:

- International Featured Standards (IFS) Food Safety Version 8
 - Product Category 01: Red and white meat, poultry and meat products
 - Product Category 02: Fish and fish products
 - Product Category 03: Egg and egg products
 - Product Category 04: Dairy products



- Product Category 05: Fruits and Vegetables
- Product Category 06: Grain products, cereals, industrial bakery and pastry, confectionary, snacks
- Product Category 07: Combined products
- Product Category 08: Beverages
- Product Category 09: Oils and fats
- Product Category 10: Dry goods, other ingredients and supplements
- Product Category 11: Pet food

GRANTED 2015-10-07:

- BRCGS Global Standard for Food Safety (Issue 9)
 - Category 01: Raw Red Meat
 - Category 02: Raw Poultry
 - Category 03: Raw Prepared Products (Meat and Vegetarian)
 - Category 04: Raw Fish Products and Preparations
 - Category 05: Fruits, Vegetables and Nuts
 - Category 06: Prepared Fruit, Vegetables and Nuts
 - Category 07: Dairy, Liquid Egg
 - Category 08: Cooked Meat/Fish Products
 - Category 09: Raw Cured and/or Fermented Meat and Fish
 - Category 10: Ready Meal and Sandwiches; Ready to Eat Desserts
 - Category 11: Low/High Acid Cans/Glass
 - Category 12: Beverages
 - Category 13: Alcoholic Drinks and Fermented/Brewed Products
 - Category 14: Bakery
 - Category 15: Dried Foods and Ingredients
 - Category 16: Confectionery
 - Category 17: Cereals and Snacks
 - Category 18: Oils and Fats

GRANTED 2016-09-30:

- GLOBALG.A.P. General Regulations Integrated Farm Assurance: Option 1 Individual Producer Certification:
 - Crops Base: Fruit & Vegetables
 - Crops Base: Hops



- GLOBALG.A.P. General Regulations Integrated Farm Assurance: Option 2 Producer Group Certification
 - Crops Base: Fruit & Vegetables
 - Crops Base: Hops
- Produce Safety Assurance

GRANTED 2022-01-13:

- BRCGS Global Standard for Storage & Distribution (Issue 4)
 - Category 01: Chilled and frozen food
 - Category 02: Ambient food
 - Category 03: Packaging and packaging materials
 - Category 04: Consumer products

GRANTED 2021-02-17:

- HARMONIZED PRODUCE SAFETY STANDARD (HPSS)
- GLOBALG.A.P. PHA (Produce Handling Assurance) version v1.2-1 October 2021

GRANTED 2022-01-13:

- BRCGS Global Standard Packaging Materials (Issue 6)
 - Category 01: Glass manufacture and forming
 - Category 02: Paper making and conversion
 - Category 03: Metal forming
 - Category 04: Rigid plastics forming
 - Category 05: Flexible plastics manufacture
 - Category 06: Other manufacturing
 - Category 07: Print processes
 - Category 08: Chemical processes

GRANTED 2023-07-14:

GLOBALG.A.P. General Regulations: Chain of Custody (COC)

