



HALAL WATCH WORLD

THE **GOLD** STANDARD



DOCUMENT REGISTRATION REPORT

Miller Packing Company

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COMPANY BACKGROUND

Halal Watch World LLC is a halal certification limited liability corporation based in the state of New York, and has operated in the certification industry since 1990. HWW is an organization that stands upon the trust of the Muslim public, and believes that it is imperative that their trust never be jeopardized. We maintain standards to the highest degree of scrutiny and perform regular audits for the protection of our constituents.

Halal Watch World understands that halal certification is a communal obligation (فرض كفاية), meaning, at least one person of the community must uphold it. If no one takes up this responsibility, the entire community bears a burden of sin. Therefore, we must be extra diligent with this effort. We realize the seriousness of the matter and understand the dire consequences of not filling this duty to the fullest capacity. God explains this to us in the Holy Quran by His statement:

“And say not concerning that which your tongue says falsely: 'This is Halal and this is Haram,' so as to invent lies against Allah. Verily, those who invent lies against Allah will never prosper...A passing brief enjoyment (will be theirs), but they will have a painful torment.”

[Al Quran] 16:116-117

HWW ensures to the best of its ability a high level of authenticity is upheld. This allows them to gain the trust of the Muslim community, and garner strong relationships with companies who produce, process, and distribute halal products at all levels. By this, they are able to offer halal producing company's guidance and consultation on the direction of their processes and products, while ensuring that Islamic dietary standards are always maintained and monitored. Muslims can use this information in order to make well informed decisions about what they choose to eat.

Legal Filings: Halal Watch World holds registered trademark number 4728733, and Department of State (New York) number 4814343. Halal Watch World is also a registered halal certifying organization with The Department of Agriculture and Markets of New York State (See supporting documentation).

We begin in the name of God SWT



CERTIFICATION CONSIDERATIONS

There are 4 main factors taken into consideration when determining the halal status of a product:

Is the product/ingredient Halal Aslan (by default)?

If the product is Halal by default, then there will be no ingredient investigation conducted. An audit of the HPF (Halal Product Facility), facility related documents and product identification documentation will however, still be required.

Is the product/ingredient Halal certified via another organization?

If another organization certifies the product as Halal, then it is incumbent upon us to perform a *tahqeeq* (verification) certification of the establishment. We must be able to ascertain that the certifying body is competent and capable of determining the status of such products. In the event that we are unable to gain this information, our organization must inspect the location of production before certifying.

What is the Risk Assessment of the Facility?

Each HPF (Halal Product Facility) must be assessed and assigned an appropriate level of risk. Each facility is graded according to assessed risk. As risk increases, guidelines, restrictions, and measures become more stringent. Risk is determined according to the products present in the facility, product and process management, and the equipment utilized for processing. Any product/s made with or derived from the items mentioned below would be considered Haram:

1. Human derived ingredients
2. Pork
3. Donkey (excluding the Onager)
4. Animals with fangs or talons (Carnivorous)
(Excluding Hyena and Fox according to school of thought)
5. Animals not slaughtered according to Islamic ritual rites
6. Carrion
7. All forms of filth (Najis) i.e. Urine, Excrement, Blood, Pus, Vomit, etc
8. Insects (other than locusts)
9. Animals fed with more than 50% of any of the above without being fed on a pure diet for a stipulated number of days (The Jallaalah)
10. Any intoxicants
11. Anything toxic or harmful to the body (such as cigarettes)
12. Anything processed, made, produced, manufactured, and/or stored using utensils, equipment, and/or machinery in contact with

any of the above that have not been cleansed according to standards which remove contaminants.

HiRF: High Risk Facility

Any facility that utilizes item/s listed above or a derivative thereof within the HPF and processes both halal and haram products using indifferent tools, machinery, or utensils. Thus, HiRF's by nature involve contaminants in some way in its processing.

MeRF: Medium Risk Facility

Any facility that processes both halal and haram products using segregated tools, machinery, or utensils to the exclusion of items listed above. Facilities that process any of these items, even if segregation methods are employed, are to be deemed HiRF's.

LoRF: Low Risk Facility

Any facility that does not process haram products on or inside of the premises.

As mentioned earlier, in relation to each risk level there are guidelines, restrictions and measures in place for the avoidance of contamination. Before any facility or any product made in said facility can be considered Halal suitable or certified Halal, these guidelines will have to be strictly adhered to.

Regarding contamination, products cannot be cooked upon or within the same utensils without proper cleansing. This means that any liquid substance that interacts with non-halal products becomes contaminated. This includes oil, and other wet cooking surfaces. Thus, if a vat of oil is used to cook non-halal products (which is considered as filth), it cannot be used to cook Halal products without contaminating it.

Are there any contents in the product that contain impermissible ingredients?

We refer to the list of impermissible consumables on the previous pages. If the product under audit is found to contain any of the ingredients on the ban list, these products cannot be considered as halal, unless said ingredients are replaced with halal suitable alternatives.

Client Details: Miller Packing Company

FACILITY PROFILE

In 1910, Ben Miller, a German sausage maker, began manufacturing smoked meat products in Oakland, California. Since that time, Miller Packing Company has continued the tradition of producing only the highest quality hot dogs and sausages. Miller's products achieve their old world taste by combining fresh cuts of premium meats with a special blend of seasonings that have been passed down for over 100 years.

Client Details	
GENERAL INFORMATION	
Total Number of Products:	1
Total Number of Ingredients:	3
SUPPLIER OVERVIEW	
Supplier 1:	ABCO Laboratories Inc.
Supplier 2:	WENDA INGREDIENTS

PRODUCT INFORMATION

Product Name	HWW Product ID
Miller's Brandt All Natural	MR331_RM2023

PRODUCT PROFILE

Miller's/Brandt All Natural

Miller's/Brandt All Natural (MR331_RM2023)

Beef Frank

- **INGREDIENTS:**

- INGREDIENT 9807 | Miller Natural Frank Seasoning (ABCO Laboratories Inc.)
- INGREDIENT 9808 | Celery Powder (WENDA INGREDIENTS)
- INGREDIENT 9809 | Vinegar (WENDA INGREDIENTS)
- INGREDIENT ????? | Beef (OWB Packers, LLC)

CLEANING METHOD

Description:

5.0 **Procedure (daily)**

- 5.1 Squeegee food debris from oven floors and surrounding areas into pile and discard.
- 5.2 Rinse walls, doors, temperature probes, and floors of ovens with low pressure, hot water.
- 5.3 Foam walls, doors, temperature probes and floor with Enrich 299 at the recommended concentration.
- 5.4 Clean walls and doors with brush.
- 5.5 Clean temperature probes with single use scratch pad.
- 5.6 Rinse walls, temperature probes and doors with low pressure, hot water.
- 5.7 Squeegee water on the floors to the drains.
- 5.8 Visual inspection using flashlight to ensure the cleanliness of equipment's and parts before sanitizing. (If found food residues, reclean as needed)
- 5.9 Sanitize temperature probes with Multi-Quat

Frequency: Daily.

VENDOR ASSESSMENT

Vendor	Raw Material	Pass/Fail	Status Recommendation	Ingredient Source
ABCO Laboratories Inc.	Miller Natural Frank Seasoning	Pass	HALAL_ASLAN	PLANT
WENDA INGREDIENTS	Celery Powder	Pass	HALAL_ASLAN	PLANT
WENDA INGREDIENTS	Vinegar	Pass	HALAL_ASLAN	PLANT
OWB Packers, LLC	Beef	Pass	HALAL_SHARTAN	ANIMAL

TESTING METHOD

The following tests are performed for the production facility: ATP SWAB TESTING.

DOCUMENTATION

Category	Results
Legal Business Documents	PASS
Proof Of Purchase	PASS
Pest Control	PASS
Water Report	PASS
Traceability Plan	PASS
Flowchart of Processing	PASS
SSOP (Standard Sanitation Operating Procedure)	PASS
Recall Plan	PASS

CONCLUSION

Client was cooperative and compliant with all relevant documentation requests. All documentation has been analysed during this review. Miller Packing Company's product/s are deemed to be Halal compliant and suitable.

Based upon this information, the review team hereby recommends Halal certification for all products mentioned in this report.

My signature below is a testimony that the information provided herein is factual to the best of my knowledge.

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