



HALAL WATCH WORLD

THE **GOLD** STANDARD



DOCUMENT REGISTRATION REPORT

Alef Sausage Inc.

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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: Alef Sausage Inc.

FACILITY PROFILE

“It’s pretty simple, who we are,” says Alec with a shrug. “We make sausage. Altogether we make over 50 kinds using only the old-world recipes and traditional methods. We try to make everything taste just like we remember in the Ukraine.”

Client Details	
GENERAL INFORMATION	
Total Number of Products:	5
Total Number of Ingredients:	55
SUPPLIER OVERVIEW	
Supplier 1:	Greater Omaha Packing Co. Inc
Supplier 2:	Corbion
Supplier 3:	CCC Brands
Supplier 4:	Mar-Jac Poultry, AL, LLC P-1307

PRODUCT INFORMATION

Product Name	HWW Product ID
Halal Beef Cervelat	MR293_RF1503
Halal Beef Sujuk Salami	MR293_RF1504
Halal Beef Bologna (1)	MR293_RF1505
Halal Beef Hot Dog	MR293_RF1506
Halal Chicken Hot Dog	MR293_RF1507

PRODUCT PROFILE

Halal Beef Cervelat

Halal Beef Cervelat (MR293_RF1503)

Fully Cooked Ready to Eat Halal Beef Cervelat

- **INGREDIENTS:**
- INGREDIENT 5844 | Halal Beef from John R. Morreale Meat Inc. (Greater Omaha Packing Co. Inc)
- INGREDIENT 5845 | Sodium L. Lactate from The Ettlenger Corporation (Corbion)
- INGREDIENT 5846 | Salt from Atlas Spice Trader (CCC Brands)
- INGREDIENT 5847 | Sugar from Atlas Spice Traders (CCC Brands)
- INGREDIENT 5848 | Dextrose from Atlas Spice Traders (CCC Brands)
- INGREDIENT 5849 | Spices (Nutmeg, Fenugreek and Cumin) from Atlas Spice Traders (CCC Brands)
- INGREDIENT 5850 | Sodium Diacetate from The Ettlenger Corporation (Corbion)
- INGREDIENT 5852 | Sodium Erythorbate from Atlas Spice Traders (CCC Brands)
- INGREDIENT 5853 | Sodium Nitrite from Atlas Spice Traders (CCC Brands)
- INGREDIENT 5854 | Garlic From Atlas Spice Traders (CCC Brands)
- INGREDIENT 5855 | Black Pepper from Atlas Spice Traders (CCC Brands)

PRODUCT PROFILE

Halal Beef Sujuk Salami

Halal Beef Sujuk Salami (MR293_RF1504)

Fully Cooked Ready to Eat HALAL BEEF SUJUK SALAMI

- **INGREDIENTS:**
- INGREDIENT 5856 | Halal Beef from John R. Morreale Meat Inc. (Greater Omaha Packing Co. Inc)
- INGREDIENT 5857 | Sodium L. Lactate from The Ettlenger Corporation (Corbion)
- INGREDIENT 5858 | Salt from Atlas Spice Trader (CCC Brands)
- INGREDIENT 5859 | Sugar from Atlas Spice Traders (CCC Brands)
- INGREDIENT 5860 | Aleppo Pepper from Atlas Spice Traders (CCC Brands)
- INGREDIENT 5861 | Spices (Nutmeg, Allspice and Cumin) from Atlas Spice Traders (CCC Brands)
- INGREDIENT 5862 | Sodium Diacetate from The Ettlenger Corporation (Corbion)
- INGREDIENT 5863 | Sodium Erythorbate from Atlas Spice Traders (CCC Brands)

- INGREDIENT 5864 | Sodium Nitrite from Atlas Spice Traders (CCC Brands)
- INGREDIENT 5865 | Garlic From Atlas Spice Traders (CCC Brands)
- INGREDIENT 5866 | Black Pepper from Atlas Spice Traders (CCC Brands)
- INGREDIENT 5867 | Peruvian Paprika from Atlas Spice Traders (CCC Brands)
- INGREDIENT 5868 | Red Pepper Cayenne from Atlas Spice Traders (CCC Brands)

PRODUCT PROFILE

Halal Beef Bologna

Halal Beef Bologna (MR293_RF1505)

Fully Cooked Ready to Eat Halal Beef Bologna

- **INGREDIENTS:**
 - INGREDIENT 5869 | Halal Beef from John R. Morreale Meat Inc. (Greater Omaha Packing Co. Inc)
 - INGREDIENT 5870 | Sodium L. Lactate from The Ettliger Corporation (Corbion)
 - INGREDIENT 5871 | Salt from Atlas Spice Trader (CCC Brands)
 - INGREDIENT 5872 | Sugar from Atlas Spice Traders (CCC Brands)
 - INGREDIENT 5873 | Sodium Phosphate from Atlas Spice Traders (CCC Brands)
 - INGREDIENT 5874 | Spices (Nutmeg and Cumin) from Atlas Spice Traders (CCC Brands)
 - INGREDIENT 5875 | Sodium Diacetate from The Ettliger Corporation (Corbion)
 - INGREDIENT 5876 | Garlic from Atlas Spice Traders (CCC Brands)
 - INGREDIENT 5877 | Sodium Erythorbate from Atlas Spice Traders (CCC Brands)
 - INGREDIENT 5878 | Sodium Nitrite from Atlas Spice Traders (CCC Brands)

PRODUCT PROFILE

Halal Beef Hot Dog

Halal Beef Hot Dog (MR293_RF1506)

Fully Cooked Ready to Eat Halal Beef Hot Dog

- **INGREDIENTS:**
 - INGREDIENT 5879 | Halal Beef from John R. Morreale Meat Inc. (Greater Omaha Packing Co. Inc)
 - INGREDIENT 5880 | Sodium L. Lactate from The Ettliger Corporation (Corbion)
 - INGREDIENT 5881 | Salt from Atlas Spice Trader (CCC Brands)

- INGREDIENT 5882 | Sugar from Atlas Spice Traders (CCC Brands)
- INGREDIENT 5883 | Sodium Phosphate from Atlas Spice Traders (CCC Brands)
- INGREDIENT 5884 | Spices (Nutmeg and Cumin) from Atlas Spice Traders (CCC Brands)
- INGREDIENT 5885 | Sodium Diacetate from The Ettliger Corporation (Corbion)
- INGREDIENT 5886 | Garlic from Atlas Spice Traders (CCC Brands)
- INGREDIENT 5887 | Sodium Erythorbate from Atlas Spice Traders (CCC Brands)
- INGREDIENT 5888 | Sodium Nitrite from Atlas Spice Traders (CCC Brands)

PRODUCT PROFILE

Halal Chicken Hot Dog

Halal Chicken Hot Dog (MR293_RF1507)

Fully Cooked Ready to Eat Halal Chicken Hot Dog

- **INGREDIENTS:**

- INGREDIENT 5890 | Halal Chicken Meat from Fox Deluxe Foods (Mar-Jac Poultry, AL, LLC P-1307)
- INGREDIENT 5891 | Sodium L. Lactate from The Ettliger Corporation (Corbion)
- INGREDIENT 5892 | Salt from Atlas Spice Trader (CCC Brands)
- INGREDIENT 5893 | Sugar from Atlas Spice Traders (CCC Brands)
- INGREDIENT 5894 | Sodium Phosphate from Atlas Spice Traders (CCC Brands)
- INGREDIENT 5895 | Spices (Ginger, Rosemary, Cardamone) from Atlas Spice Traders (CCC Brands)
- INGREDIENT 5896 | Sodium Diacetate from The Ettliger Corporation (Corbion)
- INGREDIENT 5897 | Garlic from Atlas Spice Traders (CCC Brands)
- INGREDIENT 5898 | Sodium Erythorbate from Atlas Spice Traders (CCC Brands)
- INGREDIENT 5899 | Sodium Nitrite from Atlas Spice Traders (CCC Brands)
- INGREDIENT 5900 | White Pepper from Atlas Spice Traders (CCC Brands)

CLEANING METHOD

Description:

The facility is organized in such a way that wet cleaning is carried out in a specific area of the plant. Access to this area is secure and restricted to authorized personnel. Racks are provided for the storage of clean equipment parts and utensils.

- o in food processing areas, basic cleaning and sanitization steps will follow the following sequence: Removal of visible dirt and debris.
- o Washing/degreasing using an approved chemical (concentration will be specified by the chemical supplier).
- o Chemical strength will be tested to ensure that chemical concentration meets specifications.
- o Rinsing food contact surfaces with potable water.
- o Sanitizing using an approved chemical (concentration will be specified by the sanitation chemical supplier).
- o If applicable, rinsing sanitized surfaces with potable water a no-rinse sanitizer is used.

Frequency: Daily/As required.

VENDOR ASSESSMENT

Vendor	Raw Material	Pass/Fail	Status Recommendation	Ingredient Source
Greater Omaha Packing Co. Inc	Halal Beef from John R. Morreale Meat Inc.	Pass	HALAL_SHARTAN	ANIMAL
Corbion	Sodium L. Lactate from The Ettliger Corporation	Pass	HALAL_SHARTAN	SYNTHETIC
CCC Brands	Salt from Atlas Spice Trader	Pass	HALAL_ASLAN	MINERAL
CCC Brands	Sugar from Atlas Spice Traders	Pass	HALAL_ASLAN	PLANT
CCC Brands	Dextrose from Atlas Spice Traders	Pass	HALAL_ASLAN	PLANT
CCC Brands	Spices (Nutmeg, Fenugreek and Cumin) from Atlas Spice Traders	Pass	HALAL_ASLAN	PLANT
Corbion	Sodium Diacetate from The Ettliger Corporation	Pass	HALAL_SHARTAN	SYNTHETIC
CCC Brands	Sodium Erythorbate from Atlas Spice Traders	Pass	HALAL_SHARTAN	SYNTHETIC
CCC Brands	Sodium Nitrite from Atlas Spice Traders	Pass	HALAL_SHARTAN	SYNTHETIC
CCC Brands	Garlic From Atlas Spice Traders	Pass	HALAL_ASLAN	PLANT
CCC Brands	Black Pepper from Atlas Spice Traders	Pass	HALAL_ASLAN	PLANT
CCC Brands	Aleppo Pepper from Atlas Spice Traders	Pass	HALAL_ASLAN	PLANT
CCC Brands	Spices (Nutmeg, Allspice and Cumin) from Atlas Spice Traders	Pass	HALAL_ASLAN	PLANT
CCC Brands	Peruvian Paprika from Atlas Spice Traders	Pass	HALAL_ASLAN	PLANT
CCC Brands	Red Pepper Cayenne from Atlas Spice Traders	Pass	HALAL_ASLAN	PLANT
CCC Brands	Sodium Phosphate from Atlas Spice Traders	Pass	HALAL_SHARTAN	SYNTHETIC
CCC Brands	Spices (Nutmeg and Cumin) from Atlas Spice Traders	Pass	HALAL_ASLAN	PLANT
CCC Brands	Garlic from Atlas Spice Traders	Pass	HALAL_ASLAN	PLANT
Mar-Jac Poultry, AL, LLC P-1307	Halal Chicken Meat from Fox Deluxe Foods	Pass	HALAL_SHARTAN	ANIMAL

CCC Brands	Spices (Ginger, Rosemary, Cardamone) from Atlas Spice Traders	Pass	HALAL_ASLAN	PLANT
CCC Brands	White Pepper from Atlas Spice Traders	Pass	HALAL_ASLAN	PLANT

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. Alef Sausage Inc.'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.

REVIEW AGENT:



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Certification Committee Chair

Date: March 19, 2024