



إدارة سلامة الغذاء Food Safety Department

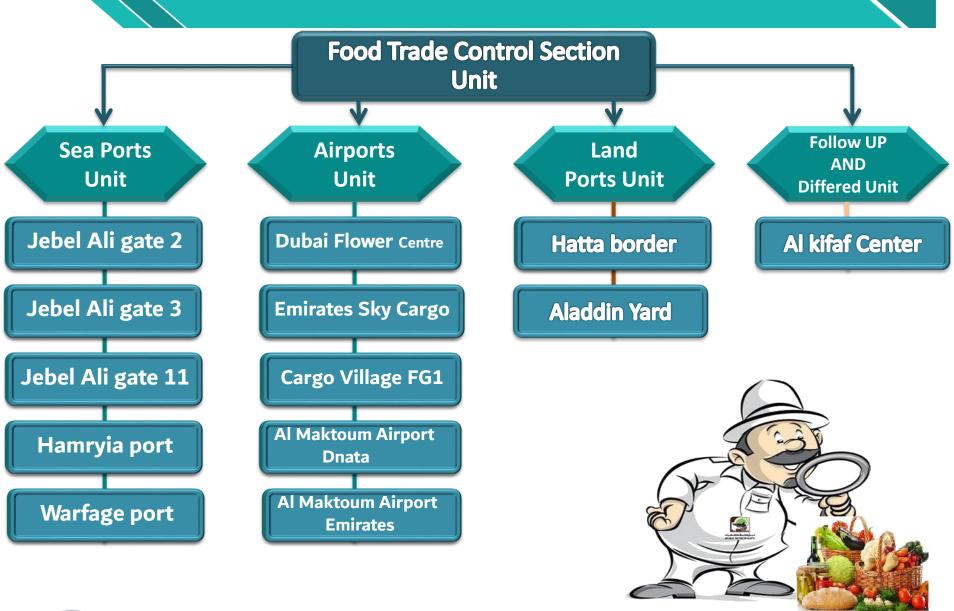


Dubai Municipality Organization





Food Trade Control Section Unit



Sea Ports Unit

Air Ports Unit









Average Monthly Shipments:

13,000 shipments

Average Monthly Shipments:

12,000 shipments

Follow Up And Differed

Average Monthly Shipments:

35000 shipments

Land Ports Unit







Average Monthly Shipments:

4000 shipments



Average Monthly Shipments:

6000 shipments

Food Trade Control Section

☐ Food trade control section is part of food safety

department in DM which is under the sector of

Environment Health & Safety Control.

Food safety department have four sections





Our Main Objectives Food Trade Control

- To Ensure The Safety Of Imported Food Shipments.
- ☐ To Achieve Our goals In high Quality Services In All Dubai

Ports.

- To Reduce Rejected Foods.
- To Increase Customer Satisfaction.





Our Responsibilities

- Inspecting And Releasing All Imported Food Shipments for Local Market.
- Inspecting and Releasing All Imported Food Shipments for re Export Purpose.
- Supervising Food Destruction Process.
- ☐ Verify the Compliance Of Imported Foodstuff Through:
 - Physical inspection.
 - Labeling inspection.
 - Sampling for lab Test.





☐ Objectives

- 1. Assuring Food Safety and Quality.
- 2. Protecting public health by reducing the risk of foodborne illness.
- 3. Minimize the rejection of non-conforming foods.
- 4. To overcome the difficulties and obstacles facing the export of food from exporting countries
- 5. To sensitize exporters to the import requirements in force in the UAE.
- 6. Fast release of food shipments.



Food Import Requirements

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Prior Requirements

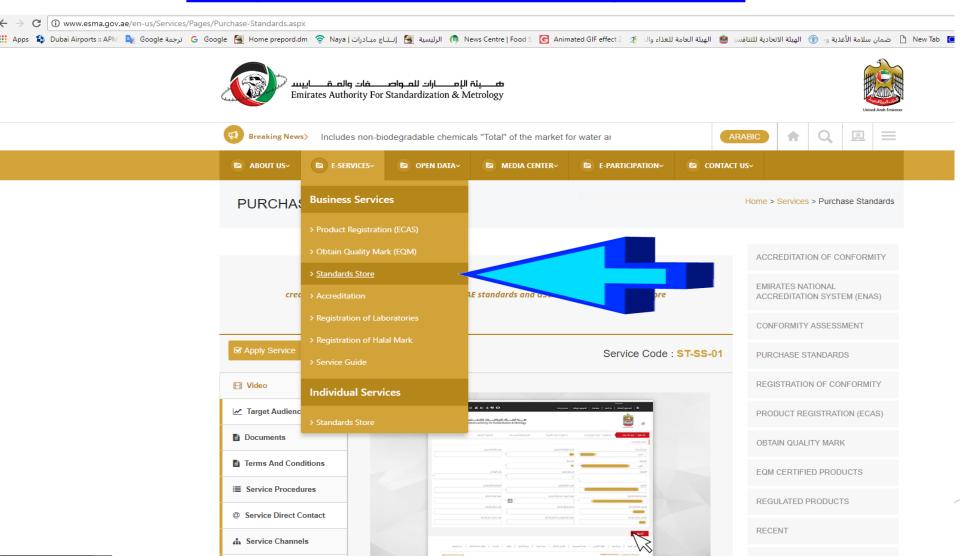
Food Importers:

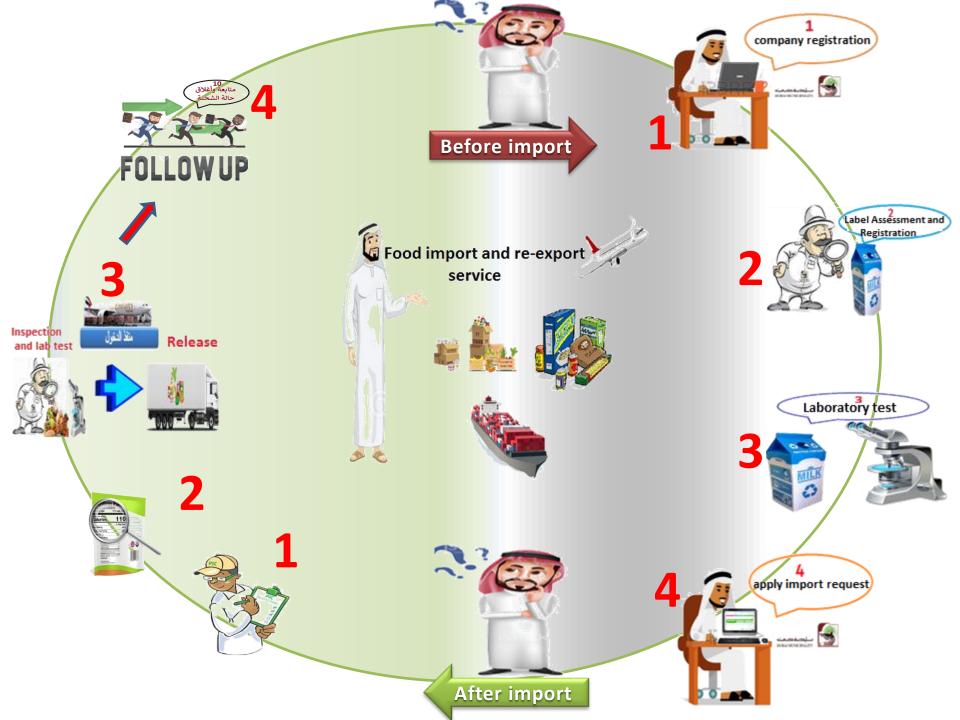
- 1. Must have business trade License with food activity
- 2. Register the company in DM smart system.
- 3. Must have all the required documents for food importation.
- 4. Registration and label assessment of all food items in Food Import and Re-export System (FIRS).
- Laboratory testing of food items (optional and recommended)



How To Get Food Standards?

http://www.esma.gov.ae





Food Trade Person-In-Charge



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□ Definition of Food Trade PIC (For Importer):

The food trade person in charge is the person assigned by the food establishment to manage all processes related to the imported food consignments and authorized to follow with Food Safety Department for any related issue on this regard.

Objectives Of The Food Trade PIC Program

- Sharing Food Control Responsibility with Consignee
- Reduce Rejected Food.
- Compliance with Regulation & Standards.
- Speed-Up Consignments Release.







☐ Contents

Belgium - Statistics

Contraventions









☐ Belgium- Statistic 2017

| Statistic 2017 | | | | | |
|----------------|-----------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|---------------------------|------------------------------|
| Year | No of imported consignments | No- of Containers | No of items imported | Total item contraventions | Quantity food imported .tons |
| 2017 | 2,053 | 2,567 | 14,142 | 7,986 | 42,182 |



Number Of Imported Shipments

| Number of imported shipments 2017 | | | |
|-----------------------------------|-------------------|------------------------------|--|
| S/N | Country of Origin | Number of imported shipments | |
| 1 | India | 68,796 | |
| 2 | Oman | 46,487 | |
| 3 | Pakistan | 16,640 | |
| 4 | Egypt | 15,193 | |
| 5 | Netherlands | 13,714 | |
| 6 | United States | 11,911 | |
| 7 | Australia | 11,187 | |
| 8 | China | 9,025 | |
| 9 | Iran | 8,806 | |
| 10 | Thailand | 8,447 | |
| 11 | Kenya | 8,062 | |
| 12 | United Kingdom | 7,879 | |
| 13 | Turkey | 7,289 | |
| 14 | Ethiopia | 6,965 | |
| 15 | France | 6,872 | |
| 16 | Italy | 6,705 | |
| 17 | Sri Lanka | 6,524 | |
| 18 | Spain | 6,319 | |
| 19 | South Africa | 6,079 | |
| 20 | Vietnam | 4,717 | |
| 21 | Brazil | 3,940 | |
| 22 | Malaysia | 3,645 | |
| 23 | Philippines | 3,479 | |
| 24 | Germany | 3,376 | |
| 25 | Norway | 3,166 | |
| 26 | Lebanon | 3,034 | |
| 27 | Indonesia | 2,791 | |
| 28 | New Zealand | 2,668 | |
| 29 | Saudi Arabia | 2,231 | |
| 30 | Morocco | 2,102 | |
| 31 | Belgium | 2,053 | |
| 32 | Tunisia | 1,903 | |
| 33 | Canada | 1,440 | |
| 34 | Ukraine | 1,423 | |
| 35 | Japan | 1,172 | |
| 36 | Bangladesh | 1,151 | |
| 37 | Poland | 1,097 | |



Number Of Imported Items

| Number of imported item 2017 | | | | |
|------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------------|--|--|
| S/N | Country of Origin | Number of imported item | | |
| 1 | United Kingdom | 291,843 | | |
| 2 | India | 267,654 | | |
| 3 | Netherlands | 174,959 | | |
| 4 | Oman | 173,657 | | |
| 5 | United States | 109,628 | | |
| 6 | Thailand | 78,709 | | |
| 7 | Italy | 67,768 | | |
| 8 | Australia | 57,063 | | |
| 9 | Pakistan | 48,061 | | |
| 10 | Egypt | 40,741 | | |
| 11 | Sri Lanka | 38,755 | | |
| 12 | Turkey | 33,454 | | |
| 13 | Kenya | 29,290 | | |
| 14 | Iran | 27,562 | | |
| 15 | Philippines | 25,529 | | |
| 16 | South Africa | 25,293 | | |
| 17 | Lebanon | 22,140 | | |
| 18 | Germany | 21,170 | | |
| 19 | Spain | 19,922 | | |
| 20 | China | 19,451 | | |
| 21 | Japan | 18,661 | | |
| 22 | Bangladesh | 16,373 | | |
| 23 | New Zealand | 15,494 | | |
| 34 | Brazil | 15,487 | | |
| 25 | Belgium | 14,142 | | |
| 26 | Vietnam | 9,573 | | |
| 27 | Ukraine | 9,049 | | |
| 28 | Ethiopia | 8,623 | | |
| 29 | Korea(South) | 8,358 | | |
| 30 | Ireland | 7,984 | | |



Top Imported Items 2017

| Top imported items 2017 | | |
|-------------------------|------------------|--|
| Product Name | Total Weights KG | |
| french fries | 6,468,241 | |
| potato | 6,407,104 | |
| mixed vegetables | 3,151,426 | |
| powdered milk | 2,431,278 | |
| green peas | 1,906,899 | |
| milk chocolates | 1,258,978 | |
| green beans | 1,237,005 | |
| wheat base | 1,026,075 | |
| spinach | 963,293 | |
| dark chocolate | 829,161 | |
| corn | 784,524 | |
| yeast | 739,380 | |
| biscuits | 685,890 | |
| white chocolates | 636,660 | |
| vegetable spread | 568,949 | |
| potato chips | 480,006 | |
| whole eggs | 466,160 | |
| chocolate syrup | 447,046 | |
| orange juice | 429,486 | |
| malt beverage | 422,133 | |
| broccoli | 413,544 | |
| filling | 405,832 | |
| cauliflower | 388,996 | |
| margarine | 368,065 | |
| cake mix | 356,578 | |
| glaze paste | 348,346 | |
| unsalted butter | 337,575 | |
| soy milk | 295,889 | |
| potato snacks | 290,763 | |
| chicken meat | 272,654 | |





□ Contraventions

Group Contraventions 2017

| 2017 | | | |
|-----------------------------|-------|--------|--|
| Label contraventions | 6,763 | | |
| Certificates contraventions | 1,208 | 14,142 | |
| | | | |
| Total | 7,986 | 14,142 | |





□ Top Group Contraventions

Top Group Contraventions 2017

| 2017 | | | | |
|-------|--|-------------|--------------|--|
| S. No | Contravention | No Of Items | Total Weight | |
| 1 | Production date is not declared | 1049 | 156,707 | |
| 2 | Exceeding shelf life | 901 | 60,256 | |
| 3 | Wrong expiry date | 567 | 9,356 | |
| 4 | Arabic Label Is Not Declared | 402 | 1,091,013 | |
| 5 | Health Certificate copy only submitted | 356 | 536,253 | |
| 6 | Country of origin not declared in Arabic | 342 | 28,769 | |
| 7 | Product name is not declared in Arabic | 162 | 225,974 | |
| 8 | Health Certificate not submitted | 114 | 384,237 | |
| 9 | Organic Certificate not submitted | 85 | 47,439 | |
| 10 | GMO free certificate not submitted | 53 | 260,057 | |
| 11 | Expiry year not declared | 48 | 978 | |
| 12 | Expiry Date is not clear | 43 | 741 | |
| 13 | Production and Expiry Dates are on sticker | 37 | 69,817 | |
| 14 | Country of origin is not declared | 32 | 196,514 | |
| 15 | Organic certificate not comply | 30 | 19,250 | |
| 16 | Halal Certificate only copy submitted | 25 | 526,428 | |
| 17 | Two different country of origin declared | 24 | 36,118 | |
| 18 | Item is not available for inspection | 23 | 35,195 | |
| 19 | Health certificate does not comply with regulation | 23 | 14,787 | |
| 20 | Individual packet without label | 22 | 66,978 | |

Total Contraventions

| | Total Contraventions <u>2017</u> | | | |
|------|----------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------------|--|
| S.NO | Country of Origin | Total item import | Total Contraventions | |
| 1 | United Kingdom | 291,843 | 146,704 | |
| 2 | France | 160,500 | 86,640 | |
| 3 | India | 267,654 | 71,008 | |
| 4 | United States | 109,628 | 36,521 | |
| 5 | Italy | 67,768 | 35,436 | |
| 6 | Japan | 18,661 | 24,966 | |
| 7 | Netherlands | 174,959 | 17,468 | |
| 8 | Australia | 57,063 | 13,080 | |
| 9 | Germany | 21,170 | 9,177 | |
| 10 | Kenya | 29,290 | 9,096 | |
| 11 | Turkey | 33,454 | 8,495 | |
| 12 | Belgium | 14,142 | 7,991 | |
| 13 | Pakistan | 48,061 | 6,240 | |
| 14 | Brazil | 15,487 | 5,714 | |
| 15 | South Africa | 25,293 | 5,582 | |
| 16 | Greece | 6,061 | 5,529 | |
| 17 | New Zealand | 15,494 | 5,527 | |
| 18 | Ireland | 7,984 | 5,499 | |
| 19 | Philippines | 25,529 | 5,477 | |
| 20 | Thailand | 78,709 | 4,906 | |
| 21 | Spain | 19,922 | 4,597 | |
| 22 | Oman | 17,3657 | 3,416 | |
| 23 | China | 19,451 | 3,358 | |
| 24 | Canada | 7,606 | 2,765 | |

The Required Documents

- Required documents from country of origin
 - **Health Certificate** from Authorized Government Entity
 - **Halal Certificate** (For the meat, poultry & its products)
 - **Packing list**
 - Other Certificate:
 - Fish not fed with pork protein or its derivatives Certificate for Farmed Fish and Seafood's.
 - **Organic Certificate** (If claimed)
 - **GMO free Certificate** (If Claimed)

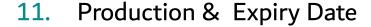


Documents

Health Certificate

- **☐** What details must be declared in the Health certificate?
- 1. Logo and address
- 2. issuing Authority
- 3. Title
- 4. Certificate No
- 5. Date of Issue
- 6. Exporter
- 7. Importer

- 7. Item Description
- 8. Quantity
- 9. Weight
- 10. Health Statement



- 12. Storage Temp
- 13. Authorized Signature and stamp





☐ Requirements Halal Certificate

✓ Halal Certificate:

- Official logo of the Islamic association
- 2. Serial number/ Date
- Abattoir's name and address
- 4. Item description
- Brand name
- 6. Total Quantity/weight
- 7. Port of loading



Label Requirement

Brand name

Names or E-No. of additives (if any)

Instructions for use (if any)

Warning (if any)

Arabic & English



Product name

Manufacturer name

Net weight

Country of origin

Barcode No

Ingredients

Storage conditions

Prod & Expiry dates





Meeting with Belgium Delegations





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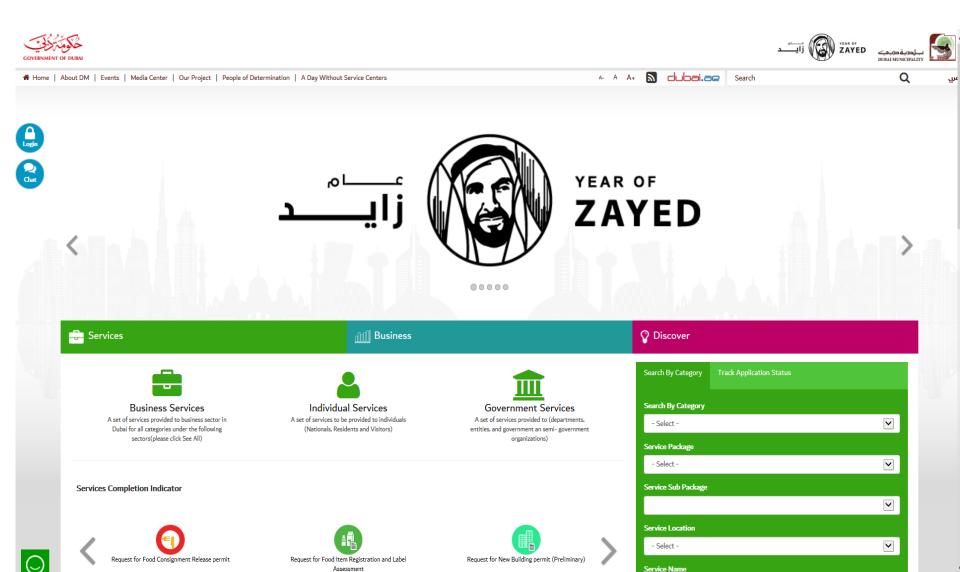
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