

**Amendment to the list of traders
who may have distributed or used lard/lard products
manufactured by CHANG GUANN Co. Ltd. on or after 1 March 2014**

The Centre for Food Safety (CFS) published on 14 September 2014 a list of traders who may have distributed or used lard/lard products manufactured by CHANG GUANN Co. Ltd. on or after 1 March 2014, with the following remarks –

- (a) The list represents customer information provided by importers and major distributors.
- (b) The list may not be complete and may be updated as appropriate.
- (c) Publication of the list is to ensure recall of specified products in a timely and systematic manner under the Food Safety Order. At the time of publication, companies on the list may have no stock of relevant products, or have returned them to suppliers, or have removed them from the shelves, or have stopped using such products over a period of time.

2. CFS would deal with any request for amending the list of traders in the following manner -

- (a) As the list published represents customer information provided by importers and major distributors, any trader on the list who would like to propose any amendment to the list relevant to him should approach respective importer/distributor to seek clarification by cross-checking the transaction records kept by both parties as required under the Food Safety Ordinance (Cap. 612); .
- (b) If the importer/distributor concerned is satisfied with the proposed amendment to the list after verifying the transaction

records, the importer/distributor concerned should approach CFS to request the amendment to the list as proposed by the trader, with production of relevant records (such as invoices) kept by respective parties, for CFS' inspection under section 27 of the Food Safety Ordinance.

- (c) Under the Food Safety Ordinance, importers, distributors and retailers are required to keep proper record of their trade transactions. Importers/distributors and all traders are reminded that it is an offence if the relevant provisions of the Ordinance are not complied with.
- (d) Upon receipt of the request from the importer/distributor concerned to amend the list, CFS may contact the trader to verify the information received. CFS will consider whether there are reasonable grounds for acceding to the request, and if so, amend the list as soon as possible.

3. Enquiries may be directed to CFS via the following email or fax number –

- (a) Applicable to importers :

Email : dmylam@fehd.gov.hk

Fax : 2776 5226

- (b) Applicable to distributors/retailers :

Email : Food_Recall_Notification@fehd.gov.hk

Fax : 2521 4784

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