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Testing performed at the above address only

DETAIL OF ACCREDITATION

| Materials/Products tested | Type of test/Properties measured/Range of measurement | Standard specifications/ Equipment/Techniques used |
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| FOOD AND FOOD PRODUCTS including Dairy Products | Microbiological Tests * indicates examination performed under Food Standards Agency designation as an Official Laboratory in accordance with retained Regulation (EU) 2017/625 and Northern Ireland Protocol | Documented In-House Methods |
| | *Bacillus cereus and Bacillus spp (Presumptive) *Clostridium perfringens | FM 006 using PEMBA spread plate FM 007 based on ISO 15213-2:2023 with in-house confirmation |
| | *Enterobacteriaceae | using Nagler medium and API32A FM 004 based on ISO 21528- 2:2017 |
| | *Listeria monocytogenes and Listeria spp | FM 009 based on ISO 11290- 2:2017, confirmation using Microbact Identification System |
| | *Coagulase positive Staphylococci (including <i>Staphylococcus aureus</i>) | FM 015 using Brilliance Staph 24 agar spread plate, confirmation with latex agglutination and tube coagulase |

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| FOOD AND FOOD PRODUCTS including Dairy Products (cont'd) | Microbiological Tests (cont'd) | Documented In-House Methods | |
| (excluding Diary Products) | *Total aerobic colony count | FM 001 using Plate Count agar at 30°C for 48h by surface spread technique | |
| | *Escherichia coli (β-glucuronidase positive) | FM 003 using TBX spread plate | |
| Raw Molluscs only | *Escherichia coli (β-glucuronidase positive) | FM 014 MPN method based on CEFAS NRL Generic Protocol issue 17 dated 20.03.24 | |
| | Detection: | | |
| | *Campylobacter spp | FM 011 using Bolton Broth, mCCDA and confirmation based on BS EN ISO 10272- 1:2017 + A1:2023 | |
| | *Escherichia coli O157 | FM 013 based on ISO 16654:2001+A 2:2023 with confirmation to latex agglutination stage only | |
| | *Listeria monocytogenes and Listeria spp | FM 009 based on ISO 11290- 1:2017, confirmation using Microbact Identification System | |
| (including raw molluscs) | *Salmonella spp | FM 010 based on BS EN ISO 6579- 1:2017+A1:2020, confirmation using API 20E and serology | |
| WATER Potable, non-potable, recreational, bottled including Heathercare Waters | Microbiological Tests | Documented In-House Method | |
| | Enumeration: | | |
| | Pseudomonas aeruginosa | WM 006 using membrane filtration with CFC Agar and incubation at 37 °C for 48hrs | |
| END | | | |

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