



## List of Approved Halal Organisations under Part 6 of the Animal Products Notice: General Export Requirements for Halal Animal Material and Halal Animal Products (the Notice)

### Listing as an Approved Halal Organisation for Countries Specified in Annex 2 of the Notice

The following organisations have been approved as Approved Halal Organisations pursuant to clause 6.2.3 of the Notice. They are also hereby listed for specified countries in corresponding Column 4 of the following table pursuant to clause 6.3.3 of the Notice.<sup>1</sup>

Organisation Name	Organisation Acronym	Animal Product Type	Specified Country in Annex 2 of the Notice	Contact
Alkaussar Halal Food Authority Limited <sup>2</sup>	AHFA	Meat (including poultry)	Indonesia	Taoufik Elidrissi
Federation of Islamic Associations of New Zealand (Inc.)	FIANZ	Meat (including poultry)	Algeria Bahrain Egypt Indonesia Jordan Kuwait Malaysia Oman Qatar Saudi Arabia	Sultan Eusoff
New Zealand Islamic Development Trust	NZIDT	Meat (including poultry)	Algeria Bahrain Egypt Jordan Kuwait Libya Malaysia Morocco Oman Qatar United Arab Emirates	Taoufik Elidrissi
New Zealand Islamic Meat Management Limited	NZIMM	Meat (including poultry)	Algeria Bahrain Egypt Kuwait Oman	Khalid Fakir

### Further Advice on AHO Approval and Listing Under the Notice

- Organisations are required by the Notice to meet the criteria set out in clause 6.2.1(2) in order to be approved as an AHO. The organisations in the table above have met the criteria.

<sup>1</sup> In order to be able to carry out halal certification services for product intended for export to countries in Annex 2 of the Notice, the AHOs must be specifically listed for those countries.

<sup>2</sup> AHFA is a wholly owned subsidiary of NZIDT and accordingly NZIDT provides halal inspection and certification services for AHFA.

- Once approved, an AHO can carry out halal certification services for product intended for export to any countries other than those specified in Annex 2 of the Notice.
- In order to be able to carry out halal certification services for product intended for export to countries in Annex 2 of the Notice, the AHO must be specifically listed for those countries. Listing for those countries is subject to the AHO meeting the listing criteria specified in clause 6.3.2 of the Notice.
- Each AHO in Column 1 of the table above have met the criteria to be listed for Annex 2 countries in corresponding Column 4.



Specific Approval for Halal Certification to Markets not specified in Annex 2 of the Animal Products Notice: General Export Requirements for Halal Animal Material and Halal Animal Products

Organisation Name	Organisation Acronym	Animal Product Type	Country <sup>3</sup>	Approving Organisation	Contact
Federation of Islamic Associations of New Zealand (Inc.)	FIANZ	Meat (including poultry)	Singapore	Majlis Ugama Islam Singapura (MUIS)	Sultan Eusoff
New Zealand Islamic Development Trust	NZIDT	Meat (including poultry)	Singapore	Majlis Ugama Islam Singapura (MUIS)	Taoufik Elidrissi

<sup>3</sup> MPI has received confirmation that FIANZ and NZIDT are approved by Majlis Ugama Islam Singapura (MUIS) the religious authority of Singapore. Halal export certification from a MUIS-approved AHO is only required for meat products sold to MUIS-certified establishments within Singapore.



Halal certifiers for food products outside the scope of the Animal Products Notice:  
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specifically approved by one or more markets.

Organisation Name	Organisation Acronym	Products	Country	Approving Organisation	Contact
Alkaussar Halal Food Authority Limited	AHFA	Processed foods including further processed meat	Indonesia <sup>4</sup>	Majelis Ulama Council (MUI)	Taufik Elidrissi
Asia Pacific Halal Services New Zealand Pty 2011 Ltd	APHSNZ	Processed foods including further processed meat	Indonesia <sup>5</sup>	Majelis Ulama Council (MUI)	Mohamud Mohamed
New Zealand Islamic Development Trust	NZIDT	All food	Qatar <sup>6</sup>	Qatar Port Health & Food Control Section, Supreme Council of Health	Taufik Elidrissi

<sup>4</sup> Alkaussar Halal Food Authority Limited is approved by Indonesia's MUI to provide halal certification for processed foods and processed and further processed meat but is not currently approved by MPI as these products are outside the scope of the Notice.

<sup>5</sup> Asia Pacific Halal Services New Zealand Pty 2011 Ltd is approved by Indonesia's MUI to provide halal certification for processed foods and processed and further processed meat but is not currently approved by MPI as these products are outside the scope of the Notice.

<sup>6</sup> In November 2014 Qatar Port Health & Food Control Section, Supreme Council of Health advised that they will only accept Halal certificates signed by NZIDT for food related products.