



CERTIFICATE OF ANALYSIS

Food Act 2008 Section 81

For the purposes of Section 81 of the *Food Act 2008* the approved form of a certificate of analysis is a form that contains the information specified in section 81(3) and must include the information specified below:

1. The name and address of the laboratory and the location where the analysis was carried out (if different from the address of the laboratory);
2. The name and address of the client (e.g. Food Unit, Department of Health);
3. Identification of the method used;
4. Where applicable any deviations, additions or exclusions from the nominated test method;
5. A description of the sample analysed;
6. The unique identifying code of the sample;
7. The date of receipt of the sample and the date of performance of the analyses;
8. The analysis results;
9. The signature of the person authorising the test report (person in charge of the laboratory or approved analyst) and date;
10. A statement specifying that the test report shall not be reproduced except in full;
11. Where applicable, a statement on the estimated uncertainty of measurement;
12. Specify the requirements, if any, of the Australia New Zealand Food Standards Code relating to the carrying out of the analysis and certify that the analysis was carried out in accordance with those requirements.

The certificate of analysis may also include other relevant information not specified.

Approved by:

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