

**To: Directors of Public Protection Wales**

28<sup>th</sup> July 2008

Reference: ENF/W/08/044

Dear Director,

**Guidance on the safety and shelf-life of vacuum and modified atmosphere packed chilled foods with respect to non-proteolytic *Clostridium botulinum***

Further to correspondence issued 25<sup>th</sup> July 2008 (ENF/W/08/044). I would advise that the letter was incorrectly dated 2006. I enclose a correctly dated letter for your records and convenience.

I would also advise that the fact sheet that accompanied the guidance has been translated and is now available through the medium of Welsh which can be accessed via the Agency's website:

<http://www.food.gov.uk/multimedia/pdfs/welsh/vacpackwelsh0708.pdf>

The translated fact sheets can also be ordered in hard copy via the Agency website:

<http://www.food.gov.uk/aboutus/publications/>

Yours sincerely,



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