FOOD SAFETY MANAGEMENT SYSTEM (ISO 22000)

CERTIFICATION SCHEME

Integrates Principles of HACCP System and Prerequisite Programmes and Management System Principles, Applicable To All Organizations Regardless of Size In Any Aspects of the Food Chain.
ISO 22000 is a Food Safety Management System, which can be applied independent to other management systems or integrated with existing food safety systems such as Hazard Analysis and Critical Control Point (HACCP) and Good Manufacturing Practice (GMP) Certification.

Apart from food, ISO 22000 also applies to feed producers, primary producers, food manufacturers, transport and storage operators, retail outlets etc.

This standard can also be applied to related organizations such as producers of equipment, packaging materials, cleaning agents, additives and ingredients. It may also be applied to service providers.

Under the ISO 22000 certification scheme, food businesses are required to plan, implement, operate, maintain, evaluate and update the food safety system consistently, which is aimed at continual improvement and meeting customer and regulatory requirements.

In implementing ISO 22000, the Food Safety Management System requires the implementation of Prerequisite Programmes (PRP) and HACCP. The Prerequisite Programme (PRP) standards, which are considered in the implementation of ISO 22000 are:

- ISO/TS 22002-2 - Prerequisite Programmes on food safety. Part 2: Catering.
- ISO/TS 22002-3 - Prerequisite Programmes on food safety. Part 3: Farming.
- ISO/TS 22002-4 - Prerequisite Programmes on food safety. Part 4: Food Packaging Manufacturing.

**WHY SIRIM QAS?**

SIRIM QAS International, a premier provider of management system certification services in Malaysia, has the largest pool of well-trained and competent auditors in all areas including food safety. The auditors are multi-skilled and capable of performing combined and integrated audits comprising of ISO 22000, HACCP and GMP in a single audit. Organizations will be awarded with three certificates namely, ISO 22000, HACCP and GMP with an aligned expiry date, which would facilitate the certified organizations to monitor of the validity of the three certificates.

In terms of accreditation, the ISO 22000 as well as HACCP and GMP certification schemes have obtained accreditation from the Department of Standards Malaysia. This means that the food safety certification schemes, including ISO 22000 provided by SIRIM QAS International are assessed by the assessors from the Department of Standards Malaysia on a regular basis to ensure that the food safety certification services provided by SIRIM QAS International continuously comply to stringent accreditation requirements and the food safety certification services provided are always credible and carried out with integrity.

Besides the accreditation obtained from the national accreditation body, SIRIM QAS International is a member of IQNet, an international body with a total number of membership of 35 countries. This effectively means that the ISO 22000 certificate issued by SIRIM QAS International, also recognised by 35 countries. This fact allows organizations awarded with the ISO 22000 certification by SIRIM QAS International to a wider market acceptance, market place and market space globally.

**The Benefits**

- **In The Marketplace**
  Customers assurance towards the quality of the food products through the demonstrated implementation and ongoing maintenance of the system.

- **To The Organization Producing The Food**
  The organization has confidence that it has done the right things to provide control over activities that affect food safety. The food safety management system is well-planned, monitored, audited (internally and externally), and measured, and feedback is provided in a timely manner to decision makers.

- **ISO 22000 goes well beyond regulatory requirements**
  ISO 22000 include— but goes beyond— existing HACCP programs. They include the management system elements, which is essential to implement a systemic food safety system in the organizations.

**Application Process:**

1. Submission of Questionnaire
2. Issuance of Quotation
3. Submission of Application
4. Conduct of Stage 1 Auditing
5. Conduct of Stage 2 Auditing
6. Recommendation & Approval
7. Issuance of Certification
8. Surveillance Audit/ Recertification

**YOUR NEXT STEP**

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