

LISTERIA UPDATE



A 10 STEP RCL STATUS:

- #1** Our first concern is the wellbeing of our consumers
- #2** We are deeply concerned about the tragic outbreak of listeriosis and are working closely with various Government departments to resolve the issue.
- #3** The specific "Listeria monocytogenes ST6" [dangerous] strain of listeria has **not** been linked to our Wolwehoek manufacturing facility
- #4** We adhere to strict food safety protocols across all our manufacturing sites – our facilities are FSSC 22000 or ISO 22000 compliant.
- #5** As a precautionary measure, the government has issued a recall notice for all Rainbow polony products, although test results of environmental samples are still outstanding.
- #6** RCL FOODS has ordered, as a precautionary measure, a recall of all its polony products from the entire customer base
- #7** RCL FOODS recall concerns polony, **not fresh or frozen chicken.**
- #8** Other processed Rainbow products (Freezer to Fryer, MCP, Fully Cooked) are not affected
- #9** **Cooked food is safe.** Cooking at heat above 70 degrees kills listeriosis
- #10** There has been some confusion in the press - Enterprise is **not** owned by RCL FOODS.

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