

To: Lead Food Officers

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Dear Colleague

FSS, in partnership with the SFELC Food Safety and Food Standards Sub Committees, have recently published '[Guidelines for Local Authorities on the Implementation of Commission Regulation \(EU\) 2017/2158 – establishing mitigation measures and benchmarking levels for the reduction of the presence of acrylamide in food.](#)'

This information note is intended to help authorised officers as required in the Food Law Code of Practice, with the interpretation and implementation of [Commission Regulation \(EU\) 2017/2158](#).

[CookSafe](#) has also been updated and now includes an Acrylamide insert to help Food Business Operators identify and reduce acrylamide in products. This has been translated into Bengali, Punjabi, Urdu and Cantonese.

Yours sincerely

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