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#### **Foreword**

This Malaysian Standard was developed by the Working Group on Halal Logistics under the authority of the Industry Standards Committee on Halal Standards.

MS 2400 consists of the following parts, under the general title Halal supply chain management system:

Part 1: Transportation - General requirements

Part 2: Warehousing - General requirements

Part 3: Retailing - General requirements

Major modifications in this revision are as follows:

- a) the title of this Malaysian Standard has been changed from Halalan-toyyiban assurance pipeline - Part 1: Management system requirements for transportation of goods and/ or cargo chain services, to Halal supply chain management system - Part 1: Transportation -General requirements
- b) the term 'halalan toyyiban' assurance pipeline has been replaced with 'halal supply chain';
- c) clause 2 on normative references has been added;
- d) the term 'halalan toyyiban' has been replaced with 'halal';
- e) the term 'toyyiban status' has been replaced with 'halal status' and the term 'toyyiban' has been deleted:
- f) the term 'shariah ritual cleansing' has been replaced with 'sertu';
- g) the terms and definitions of 'toyyib/ toyyiban' and 'transportation unit' have been deleted,
- h) 3.2.1.2 (f) has been added under management responsibility;
- i) 3.2.2.1 has been replaced with 'responsibility and authority';
- j) clause on 'halalan toyyiban leader' has been deleted;
- k) 'halalan toyyiban committee' has been replaced with 'internal halal committee';
- l) clause on 'transport' has been replaced with 'preparation and dispatch';
- m) clauses on 'outsource, service providers/ subcontractors control' and 'transport location' has been added;
- n) table B2b. Toyyiban Control Point severity/impact ranking has been deleted; and
- o) Annex B has been changed from normative to informative.

This Malaysian Standard cancels and replaces MS 2400-1:2010, *Halalan-toyyiban assurance* pipeline - Part 1: Management system requirements for transportation of goods and/ or cargo chain services.

Compliance with this Malaysian Standard does not of itself confer immunity from legal obligation.

# Halal supply chain management system - Part 1: Transportation - General requirements (First revision)

## 0 Introduction

- **0.1** The halal supply chain links producers of products, goods and/ or cargo with consumers. It provides assurance that products, goods and/ or cargo delivered from one custodian to another is in accordance with halal requirements, thus preserving the halal integrity of the products, goods and/ or cargo.
- **0.2** The halal supply chain is translated into a set of management system requirements standards which comprise of the following:
- Transportation
- Warehousing
- Retailing
- **0.3** The implementation of these standards are consistent with the principles of the following standards:
- a) MS 1900, Shariah-based quality management systems Requirements with guidance. This Malaysian Standard specifies requirements for a quality management system where an organisation:
  - i) needs to demonstrate its ability to consistently provide product that meets *Shariah*, customer and applicable regulatory requirements; and
  - ii) aims to enhance customer satisfaction through the effective application of the system, including processes for continual improvement of the system and the assurance of conformity to *Shariah*, customer and applicable regulatory requirements.
- b) Halal product standards. These Malaysian Standards specifies the general requirements in the manufacturing and handling of halal products. It serves as a basic requirement for halal products in general. Halal products standards include:
  - i) MS 1500, Halal Food General requirements
  - ii) MS 2634, Halal cosmetics General requirements
  - iii) MS 2200-2, Islamic consumer goods Part 2: Usage of animal bone, skin and hair General guidelines
  - iv) MS 2424, Halal pharmaceuticals General requirements
  - v) MS 2636, Halal medical device General requirements
  - vi) MS 2565, Halal packaging General guidelines

**0.4** Figure 1 shows the relationship between the elements within the halal supply chain.

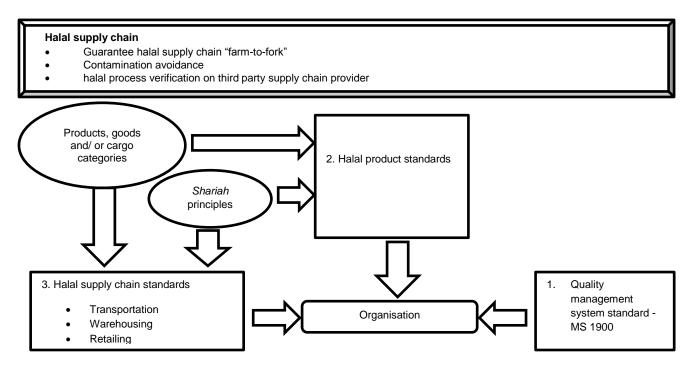


Figure 1. Elements of the Halal Supply Chain Management System

**0.5** Figure 2 shows the application of various standards within the halal supply chain.

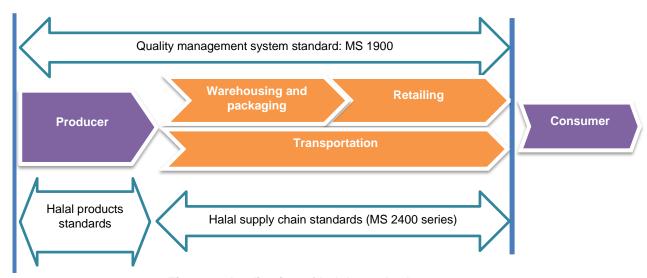


Figure 2. Application of halal standards

## 1 Scope

#### 1.1 General

This Malaysian Standard specifies management system requirements for assurance of the halal integrity of products, goods and/ or cargo being handled through various modes of transportation.

#### 1.2 Application

**1.2.1** This Malaysian Standard consists of requirements which are industry specific and is intended to be applicable to such organisations, regardless of type, size, products, goods and/ or cargo being transported. It specifies the framework for an organisation to establish a management system based on halal requirements in meeting customer and applicable regulatory requirements.

## **1.2.2** It is also intended for use by:

- a) manufacturers;
- b) collection and distribution centres; and
- c) storage operators.

## 2 Normative references

The following normative references are indispensable for the application of this standard. For dated references, only the edition cited applies. For undated references, the latest edition of the normative references (including any amendments) applies.

MS 2393, Islamic and halal principles - Definitions and interpretations on terminology

## 3 Terms and definitions

For the purposes of this standard, the terms and definitions given in MS 2393 and the following apply.

## 3.1 affected product

A product which halal status is affected.

#### 3.2 backhaul

Return movement of a means of transport which has provided a transport service in one Direction.

## 3.3 chilled temperature

Temperature ranging from 1 °C to 10 °C.

#### 3.4 competent authority

Competent authority is the agency which is entrusted by the government to carry out work according to specified requirements.

NOTE. In Malaysia, there are various competent authorities which are responsible in respective areas such as Islamic affairs, halal certification, animal health, public health, food safety, and etc.

#### 3.4.1 halal competent authority

In Malaysia, the halal competent authorities are Department of Islamic Development Malaysia (JAKIM) and the various State Islamic Religious Councils.

## 3.5 consignee

Party described in the transport document to whom the products, goods and/ or cargo are to be delivered.

#### 3.6 consignment

Separately identifiable amount of products, goods and/ or cargo transported or available to be transported and specified in one transport document.

NOTE. Consignment is part of the hierarchy of terms: goods item, shipment, cargo, and load.

## 3.7 consignor (shipper)

Individual or organisation that prepares or instructs the preparation of a delivery document by which a carrier is directed to transport products, goods and/ or cargo from one location to another.

#### 3.8 consolidation

Grouping together of smaller consignments of products, goods and/ or cargo into larger consignment for carriage as a larger unit.

#### 3.9 contaminant

Any non-halal and/ or detrimental (*mudhorat*) substances that are intentionally or unintentionally added which render the product as non-halal.

## 3.10 contaminated product

A product which the halal status is contaminated by a potential contaminant

### 3.11 contamination

The state of being contaminated by contaminant and/ or precursor which affects the halal status.

## 3.12 custodian

Individual or entity authorised with and in lawful possession of the consignments. Note. Also known as bailment.

#### 3.13 infrastructure facilities

A place, premises, plant, buildings, ports or depot where the means of transport belonging to a particular organisation are parked, stored and serviced when not in use.

## 3.14 freight forwarder

Party/ intermediary that collects shipment from shippers, consolidates these shipments into consignments as well as to provide advice and documentation arrangement of the consolidated shipment to a destination where the next party delivers the shipment to the consignee.

## 3.15 frozen product

Frozen product shall be product that for one continuous period from the time of preparation for sale has been maintained at a temperature below minus 18 °C and shall not have been thawed before sale.

#### 3.16 halal

Matters that are lawful and permitted in Islam based on the Shariah law and fatwa.

#### 3.16.1 non-halal (*haram*)

Matters that are unlawful and prohibited in Islam based on the Shariah law and fatwa.

#### 3.17 Halal Control Point

A point, step or procedure at which controls can be applied and contamination can be prevented or eliminated.

## 3.18 Halal Management System

An integrated management system developed, implemented and maintained by an organisation to manage products and services in order to maintain halal integrity through Internal Halal Control System or Halal Assurance System.

## 3.19 halal supply chain

A value supply chain management system that conforms to the halal principles.

## 3.21 means of transport

Particular vessel, vehicle, or other devices used for the transport of products, goods, cargo or persons.

#### 3.22 mode of transport

Transportation unit travelling via land, sea/ inland waterway or air.

#### 3.23 najs

Matters that are impure according to Shariah law and fatwa.

## **3.23.1** Najs according to Shariah law are:

- a) dogs, pigs and their descendants or derivatives such as sperm and ova;
- b) items that are contaminated with items that are non-halal;
- c) items that come into direct contact with items that are non-halal;
- any liquid and objects discharged from the orifices of human beings or animals such as urine, blood, vomit, pus, placenta and excrement;
- e) carrion or halal animals that are not slaughtered according to *Shariah* law and *fatwa* except for aquatic animals and certain insects; and
- f) Khamr and food or beverages or items which contain or are mixed with khamr.

#### NOTES:

- 1. Khamr is liquor or any liquid that intoxicates and is prohibited according to Shariah law and fatwa.
- 2. Synthetic ethanol is not considered as *najs*.
- 3. Intoxicants (psychotropics, tranquilizers, hypnotics and anesthetic agents) for medical use are not considered as *najs*.

## **3.23.2** There are three categories of *najs*:

- a) al-mughallazah which is considered as severe najs which are dogs and pigs (khinzir) including any liquid and objects discharged from their orifices, descendants and derivatives.;
- al-mutawassitah which is considered as medium najs which does not falls under severe
  or light najs such as vomit, pus, blood, khamr, carrion, liquid and objects discharged from
  the orifices; and
- c) al-mukhaffafah which is considered as light najs. The only najs in this category is urine from a baby boy at the age of two years and below who has not consumed any other food except his mother's milk.

#### 3.24 non-conformance

The absence of, and/ or the failure to implement and maintain, one or more system requirement, or situation which would, on the basis of available objective evidence or evaluation, raise doubt to halal perspectives.

## 3.25 outsource

Subcontractor/outsourced service provider in transportation activities.

#### 3.26 potential contaminant

Any non-halal or detrimental (*mudhorat*) substances that are intentionally or unintentionally added which may render the product as non-halal.

## 3.27 potential precursor

Result of activity(s) or substance(s) not intended as part of the product that may affect the halal status and intended use of the product.

## 3.28 precursor

Result of activity(s) or substance(s) not intended as part of the product that affects the halal status and intended use of the product.

## 3.29 proof of delivery

Confirmation of time (date) and location of receipt of delivered consignment (cargo) by a person authorised by the consignee to do so. Electronic links or other similar means of confirming collection/ delivery status should also be recognised where available and appropriate.

### 3.30 qualified personnel

Meeting the standards, requirements and training for a position.

## 3.32 Shariah

Overall legal and regulation of Allah pertaining to life and welfare of mankind for the prosperity of life in this world and in the hereafter. Shariah divided into three types of ahkam:

- a) Al-i'tiqadiyyah: Rules that relate to belief.
- b) Al-akhlagiyyah: Rules that relate to ethics:
- c) Al-'amaliyyah: Rules that relate to human relation to Allah, human to human.

#### 3.33 Shariah law and fatwa

#### 3.33.1 Shariah law

Shariah law is the commands of Allah concerning the conduct of mukallaf which consist of demands (commandments and prohibitions), option (hukm taklifi) or hukm wad'i<sup>1</sup>.

Shariah law in Malaysia is as the laws of Islam in the Mazhab of Shafie or the laws of Islam in any of the other Mazhabs of Hanafi, Maliki and Hanbali which are approved by the Yang diPertuan Agong to be in force in the Federal Territory or the Ruler of any State to be in force in

that state within Malaysia.

#### Notes:

 Hukm wad'i is a requirement prior to the implementation of any Shariah law, e.g. adhering to the prayer time is the requirement for prayer to be valid.

#### 3.33.2 fatwa

Legal opinion concerning Islamic law issued by competent Muslim scholar.

In Malaysia context, fatwa means any religious decree which is verified by an authority related to the religion of Islam and is approved by Yang di-Pertuan Agong to be in force in the Federal Territory or by the Ruler of any State to be in force in that state within Malaysia.

#### 3.34 sertu

The act of cleansing with intention of purifying the body, clothing, spaces, utensils and equipment that was in contact with *najs al-mughallazah*; by washing seven times using *mutlaq* water, one of which shall be water mixed with soil.

#### 3.36 validation

Process of establishing evidence that provides assurance that a product, service, or system accomplishes its intended halal requirements.

## 3.37 value supply chain

The system of organisations, people, technology, activities, information and resources involved in moving a product or service from supplier to the customer.

The products pass through all activities of the supply chain and add value at each activity.

## 3.38 verification

Halal quality process that is used to evaluate whether or not a product, service, or system complies with regulations, specifications, or conditions imposed at the start of a development phase.

## 3.39 window delivery time

Specific period of time within which the customer prefers to receive their delivery.

## 4 Requirements

## 4.1 Requirements related to Shariah

The organisation shall ensure that the implementation of this standard is in accordance with *Shariah* requirements and/ or *Shariah* practices of the recipient and/ or importing country.

## 4.2 Management responsibility

## 4.2.1 Halal policy

The management of the organisation shall define and document its policy and commitment with regards to identification, evaluation and controls related to halal integrity.

## 4.2.1.1 The management shall:

 define the scope of the Halal Management System. The scope shall specify the processes and location of processes/ activities which are covered by the system from the beginning to the end of the processes related to transportation of products, goods and/or cargo transport chains activities;

- b) ensure that its policy is relevant to and in compliance with halal requirements;
- ensure that the policy with regards to the halal objective is understood, implemented and maintained at all levels of the organisation;
- d) review the results of the risk management activities at defined intervals to ensure continuing suitability and the effectiveness of the risk management process;
- e) ensure that appropriate communication processes are established within and outside the organisation to ensure the effectiveness of the Halal Management System; and
- f) provide suitable praying area for muslim workers.

## 4.2.2 Organisation

## 4.2.2.1 Responsibility and authority

**4.2.2.1.1** The management shall establish an internal halal committee which consist of muslim personnel who are responsible to ensure the effectiveness in implementation of Halal Management System.

#### 4.2.2.1.2 Organisation shall:

- appoint internal halal committee whose tasks, responsibilities, and authority shall be defined, documented and communicated to ensure the effective operation of the Halal Management System;
- b) ensure halal leader and/ or halal executive and internal halal committee members are formally trained in halal principles and its application;
- c) ensure that sufficient resources (i.e. manpower, facility, financial and infrastructure) are provided in order to implement the Halal Management System.
- d) ensure all activities are properly recorded. All documents and records shall be maintained and traceable.

#### 4.2.2.2 Internal halal committee

- **4.2.2.2.1** A multi-disciplinary internal halal committee shall be set up to develop, maintain and review the Halal Risk Management. The committee shall have the knowledge and experience with regard to organisation's processes and halal principles and its applications.
- **4.2.2.2.2** The internal halal committee shall have clearly defined responsibility and authority including to:
- a) ensure that the halal leader and/ or halal executive as reference point on halal matters for the organisation;
- monitor, identify and record any problems with regard to the processes and the Halal Management System;
- c) report any problems encountered related to the implementation of halal supply chain to the halal leader for further action.

- d) ensure that the Halal Management System is established, implemented and maintained in accordance with this standard;
- e) organise and coordinate the halal activities;
- f) perform verification and validation activities on the halal supply chain;
- g) initiate corrective actions and controls to the processes including product recall and withdrawals until the deviation or the unsatisfactory condition related to halal requirements have been corrected;
- h) initiate preventive action to prevent recurrence that will affect the halal status; and
- i) report on the suitability and effectiveness of the Halal Management System for management review.

NOTE. The halal committee can be a newly established committee or part of an existing committee in an organisation.

## 4.3 Halal Management System requirements

#### 4.3.1 General

- **4.3.1.1** The organisation shall identify, document and ensure overall source(s) that could affect the halal integrity are controlled to prevent reaching the end user or consumers.
- **4.3.1.2** The organisation shall ensure the documentations established are in compliance with the requirements laid down in this standard.
- **4.3.1.3** Where the organisation incorporates the documentation of the Halal Management System in an existing management system, their relationship shall be clearly described in the existing management system documentations.

## 4.3.2 Procedures of the Halal Management System

- **4.3.2.1** The organisation shall establish documented procedures and a Halal Risk Management Plan to ensure consistency and compliance to the requirements of this standard and the organisation's stated policy and objective of halal principles.
- **4.3.2.2** The organisation shall take into considerations all current issues and developments related to halal principles, fatwa, including relevant regulatory requirements in establishing and maintaining the documentations.

#### 4.3.3 Validation

- **4.3.3.1** The objective of the validation is to ensure that all Halal Control Points identified are complete and correct and that they will be effectively controlled under the proposed Halal Risk Management Plan.
- **4.3.3.2** Validation shall be carried out on the following, but not limited to:
- a) Halal Risk Management Plan;

- b) changes in the operation (incoming materials, processes, packaging, equipment, etc.) that could adversely affect the halal integrity of the products being handled;
- c) control measures; and
- d) corrective actions.

## 4.3.4 Halal Risk Management Plan

The organisation shall establish a Halal Risk Management Plan according to the principles outlined below:

## 4.3.4.1 Identification of halal potential contaminant and/ or precursor

- **4.3.4.1.1** All known or foreseeable potential contaminant and/ or precursor associated with the processes in both normal and fault conditions that are likely to occur within the scope of Halal Management System shall be identified. This includes previously recognised incidences and sequences of events that may affect the products, goods and/ or cargo status.
- **4.3.4.1.2** The basis of identification shall take into consideration the core purpose of the processes, inter phases to and from the processes, process flows, operations, establishment and facilities layout.
- **4.3.4.1.3** The potential contaminant and/ or precursor identified shall be recorded.
- **4.3.4.1.4** For any potential contaminant and/ or precursor identified, the likelihood and severity/ impact of occurrence of the potential contaminant and/ or precursor shall be evaluated and recorded.
- **4.3.4.1.5** The risk for potential contaminant and/ or precursor shall be ranked. Identification of potential contaminant and/ or precursor shall be based on the requirements described in 5.1, 5.2 and 5.3.

An example of a typical Halal Control Point analysis worksheet format is given in Table A1 in Annex A. For determination of likelihood, severity and risk ranking, the Tables B1, B2 and B3 in Annex B may be referred.

#### 4.3.4.2 Determination of control measures

- **4.3.4.2.1** Based on the result of the evaluation, taking into consideration the risk decisions outlined in Table B4 (Annex B), suitable control measures for each potential contaminant and/ or precursor shall be determined.
- **4.3.4.2.2** The control measures shall prevent or eliminate the contamination suitable to the halal perspectives.
- **4.3.4.2.3** If there is no suitable method available to prevent or eliminate the potential contaminant and/ or precursor, the processes shall be modified to suit the intended purpose.
- **4.3.4.2.4** The organisation shall implement the control measures identified and recorded in the Halal Risk Management file.

**4.3.4.2.5** The control measures shall be verified for effectiveness and the results of verification shall be recorded in the Halal Risk Management file.

#### 4.3.4.3 Determination of Halal Control Point

- **4.3.4.3.1** The determination of a Halal Control Point should be facilitated by the application of the Halal Control Point Risk Matrix (see Table B3, Annex B). The process steps in which the potential contaminant and/ or precursor evaluated as high and significant shall be determined as a Halal Control Point.
- **4.3.4.3.2** Documentation shall be made available to provide evidence for determination of Halal Control Point.

#### 4.3.4.4 Determination of monitoring system for Halal Control Point

- **4.3.4.4.1** A monitoring system shall be established for each Halal Control Point identified. The monitoring system shall consist of planned measurements or observations to maintain the halal integrity status of the products, goods and/or cargo being handled, detect non-implementation of control measures and possible product contamination to be controlled and dealt with in a timely manner; to prevent contamination reaching the end user.
- **4.3.4.4.2** The monitoring system shall comprise of, but not limited to, what is being monitored, monitoring method, monitoring frequency, personnel responsible for monitoring and evaluating the monitoring result, location of monitoring, etc.
- **4.3.4.4.3** Monitoring result shall be recorded. Where possible, when monitoring results indicate trends towards non-implementation or ineffectiveness of control measures, appropriate process adjustments shall be taken before a deviation occurs and recorded.

#### 4.3.4.5 Determination of corrective actions for Halal Control Point

- **4.3.4.5.1** The organisation shall document the corrective actions taken when monitoring result shows that control measures are not implemented or ineffective to eliminate or prevent the contamination.
- **4.3.4.5.2** Corrective actions shall ensure the halal integrity of the products, goods and/or cargo or process is protected, the control measures are being re-implemented as planned and the goods during which period the control measures are not implemented are handled according to procedures established.

## 4.3.4.6 Determination of verification procedures

- **4.3.4.6.1** The organisation shall establish and maintain documented procedures for verification activities.
- **4.3.4.6.2** The organisation shall carry out verification activities which include the following:
- a) review of Halal Risk Management Plan;
- b) assessment of all control measures;

- c) analysis of (near) recalls and product disposition due to non-implementation of control measures;
- d) compliance of the process flow diagrams and layout with documented situation;
- e) analysis of customer and consumer complaints related to halal integrity;
- f) evaluation of Halal Risk Management Plan with applicable legislation and authority
- g) review of gaps between current and desired level of knowledge, awareness and training of staff with respect to halal knowledge; and
- h) consistency of current documentation.
- **4.3.4.6.3** The organisation shall plan the verifications based on the state and the importance of the activities and shall be performed by qualified personnel. The verification shall include what is being verified, method of verification, frequency, person responsible for verification and periodical audit.
- **4.3.4.6.4** Records of verification activities shall be maintained.

### 4.3.4.7 Documentation system and management of records

## 4.3.4.7.1 Documentation system

**4.3.4.7.1.1** The organisation shall establish and maintain documentation for Halal Risk Management System and relevant documentations to ensure conformity with the requirement of this standard and the applicable legislations and regulations.

NOTE. Documentation should be appropriate to the nature, size and complexity of the processes.

- **4.3.4.7.1.2** A documented procedure shall be established to define the controls needed:
- a) to approve documents prior to issue;
- b) to review and update as necessary and re-approve documents;
- c) to ensure changes and the current revision status of documents are identified;
- d) to ensure that relevant versions of applicable documents are available at points of use;
- e) to ensure documents remain legible and readily identifiable;
- f) to ensure that documents of external origin are identified and their distribution controlled;
- g) to prevent unintended use of obsolete documents, and to apply suitable identification to them if they are retained for any purpose; and
- h) to observe proper placement and storage of documents which contain Quranic elements.

#### 4.3.4.7.2 Control of records

**4.3.4.7.2.1** Records shall be established and maintained to provide evidence of conformity to the requirements and effective implementation of Halal Risk Management System.

- **4.3.4.7.2.2** Records shall remain legible, identifiable and retrievable.
- **4.3.4.7.2.3** The organisation shall define the control needed for the identification, storage, protection, retrieval, retention time and disposition of records.

## 4.4 Halal Risk Management Plan Summary

The application of halal principles can be summarised in a Halal Risk Management Plan Summary.

Refer to Table C1 (Annex C) for a typical example of Halal Risk Management Plan Summary.

## 4.5 Information and communication system

The organisation shall provide information and communication systems to support its operations and to interchange information with other service providers (including freight forwarders) and customers.

## 5 Preliminary steps to enable risk management process

The organisation shall consider the following during the establishment of the Halal Risk Management Plan.

#### 5.1 Process characteristics

- **5.1.1** All inbound and outbound transportation services shall be described in documents to the extent needed to conduct the risk analysis, including the following, as appropriate:
- a) biological, chemical and physical characteristics;
- b) description of containers and equipment (trucks, vans, etc.) if applicable;
- c) mode of transportation;
- d) placement, stacking and storage conditions;
- e) conduct check list prior to dispatch and receiving;
- f) handling and distribution activities; and
- g) acceptance criteria or specifications appropriate for the transportation services.
- **5.1.2** The information shall be kept updated.

## 5.2 Process flow diagrams

**5.2.1** The organisation shall prepare a complete flow of diagrams of the process(s) covered by the Halal Risk Management Plan. The process flow diagram shall provide a schematic overview of the operation and provide the basis for evaluating the possible introduction, occurrence or increase of the potential contamination.

- **5.2.2** Flow diagrams shall be clear, accurate and sufficiently detailed. Flow diagrams shall include the following but not limited to:
- a) the sequence and interaction of all steps in the operation;
- b) any agent or outsourcing parties;
- inbound and outbound products, goods and/ or cargo as well as intermediate products, goods and/ or cargo are released;
- d) where human handling is involved; and
- e) where Halal Control Points.
- **5.2.3** The flow diagrams shall be verified on-site by the internal halal committee, other than the person(s) who prepares them. Verified flow diagrams shall be maintained as records.

## 5.3 Layout plan

- **5.3.1** All facilities, such as process(s) sites, storage areas and personnel facilities shall be depicted in the plant layout. Construction and layout shall permit adequate maintenance and cleaning.
- **5.3.2** In the layout plan the items to be indicated shall include:
- a) the areas where cross contamination of and incidental contact with in-process and finished products by inbound materials, raw materials, processing aides such as chemicals, additives, lubricants, packaging, pallets, containers, etc. can occur;
- b) the routing of inbound materials, intermediate materials, finished products, goods and/ or cargo, personnel, etc.
- c) the areas and facilities for personnel use; and
- d) other facilities such as quarantine area, receiving areas, sorting areas, sanitary facilities, pest control stations, waste disposal areas, lighting, etc.

### 5.4 Chain of custody

- **5.4.1** Verification of the consignments of products, goods and/ or cargo transferred from a custodian shall be done by the next custodian of the consignments.
- **5.4.2** Validation on the next custodian's compliance to this standard shall be done to ensure the halal integrity of the consignments.

#### 5.4.3 Identification of stakeholder and user of the process

- **5.4.3.1** The stakeholders of this standard include organisations involve in the delivery of halal products, goods and/ or cargo throughout the supply chain.
- **5.4.3.2** The organisation shall ensure that the outsourcing party is informed of the halal status of the consignment and its requirements.

**5.4.3.3** The transfer processes and activities of the halal products, goods and/ or cargo to the next custodian shall be documented and attested.

#### 5.4.4 Goods in transit

- **5.4.4.1** Where there are specific environmental conditions defined and agreed as part of the arrangements, it is the responsibility of the organisation to ensure that there are effective management systems and controls to demonstrate and prove compliance to halal requirements. In addition, there should be adequate records available to prove compliance with any statutory conditions relevant to the nature of the consignment and modes of transport.
- **5.4.4.2** This requirement is applicable but not limited to:
- a) temperature;
- b) humidity;
- c) air pressure;
- d) controlled environment;
- e) drop and shock;
- f) compression loading;
- g) vibration; and
- h) orientation, segregation and separation of products, goods and/ or cargo.
- **5.4.4.3** The organisation and its service providers shall provide adequate facilities to ensure the integrity of halal products, goods and/ or cargo received is not compromised deteriorate or suffer loss or damage during times of storage including temporary storage in transit.
- **5.4.4.4** They shall also ensure that suitable and secure facilities are provided, where appropriate to the nature of the products, goods and/ or cargo to be transported in accordance with the requirements of the consignor and/ or the consignee.
- **5.4.4.5** The organisation shall provide suitable means of transporting consignment throughout the transport chain, including equipment and resources as necessary to maintain the integrity of the halal principles.

## 5.4.5 Preparation and dispatch

**5.4.5.1** The organisation shall ensure that details of all agreements with the next custodian relating to the preparation, loading, stowing, securing and dispatch of all packed goods and/ or cargo are available to the personnel responsible for this part of the service performance. This information should contain all relevant aspects such as loading information, sequence of loading, window delivery time, accompanying documentation and product identification. Where appropriate, there should be clear methods of identification which maintain traceability of product and load/shipment details.

**5.4.5.2** The organisation shall also ensure the transport operations including agents and/ or outsourcing parties in accordance to legal and halal requirements.

#### 5.4.6 Loss/ damage

The organisation shall ensure that any loss or damage to the consignment throughout the transportation process be identified and the next custodian informed accordingly. Loss/damage found shall be documented.

#### 5.4.7 Documentation

- **5.4.7.1** The organisation shall ensure that the implementation of proper documentation and the availability of required documents (e.g. bill of lading, advance shipping notice, packing list, air way bill or delivery order) to verify the nature of the consignment, type of load, the destination and the mode of transport. Any discrepancy arising shall be recorded together with corrective actions taken.
- **5.4.7.2** It is also the responsibility of the organisation to ensure that there is evidence of collection and delivery (proof of delivery) confirmed by persons authorised to provide such confirmation on behalf of the next custodian or consignee.

## 5.4.8 Agents/ Outsourcing parties

The organisation shall monitor the performance of its agents and/ or outsourcing parties to ensure compliance with halal requirements. These transport services include (but not limited to); delivery and pick up, backhaul and consolidation consignment.

## 6 Operations of the Halal Risk Management Plan

## 6.1 Transportation of products, goods and/ or cargo chain services and related activities

Typical activities of the above (as per Figure 4) may include the following:

- a) customers instruction;
- b) identification and segregation of non-halal products;
- c) incoming products, goods and/ or cargo subject to integrity checks;
- d) products, goods and/ or cargo transfer to warehouse;
- e) unload products, goods and/ or cargo at receiving area;
- f) appropriate storage location according to type of products, goods and/ or cargo;
- g) storage at ante room (for ambient products, goods and/ or cargo);
- h) maintenance of transports including temperature controlled truck;
- i) sorting of products, goods and/ or cargo according to customer's sales order (SO);

- j) outsources monitoring;
- k) customs' or authorities' inspection; and
- I) others.

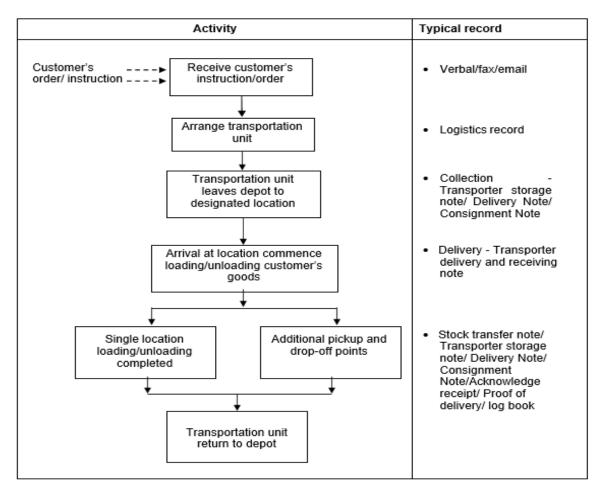


Figure 4. Typical elements and flow of transportation of products, goods and/or cargo chain services and related activities

## 6.2 Records to be maintained

Records of transportation of products, goods and/ or cargo transport chain services activities shall be maintained as evidence for the operation of the Halal Risk Management system.

## 6.3 Control of non-conformity

## 6.3.1 Handling of contaminated and affected products, goods and/ or cargo

## 6.3.1.1 Procedures and records to be maintained

A documented procedure shall be established and records maintained to define handling, control and disposal of contaminated and affected products, goods and/ or cargo resulting from handling under conditions where the control measures are not implemented or

ineffectively implemented, to prevent the contaminated and/ or affected products, goods and/ or cargo from being released to end user. Records related to handling of contaminated and/ or affected products, goods and/ or cargo shall be maintained.

## 6.3.1.2 Disposition of contaminated and/ or affected products, goods and/ or cargo

- **6.3.1.2.1** The contaminated and/ or affected products, goods and/ or cargo shall be isolated and referred to the internal halal committee for decision. All decisions for disposition shall be recorded together with information on the nature of contamination, its cause(s) and consequences including information needed for traceability purposes related to the contaminated and/ or affected products, goods and/ or cargo, and referred to the relevant parties.
- **6.3.1.2.2** The disposition of the contaminated and/ or affected products, goods and/ or cargo shall be carried out under strict supervision, or referred to the rightful owner.

## 6.3.2 Handling of doubtful products, goods and/ or cargo

- **6.3.2.1** Products, goods and/ or cargo handled under conditions where control measures are not implemented or ineffectively implemented, which have not been confirmed as contaminated or affected, are considered as doubtful products, goods and/ or cargo.
- **6.3.2.2** The products, goods and/ or cargo handled under conditions where control measures are not implemented shall be evaluated with respect to the cause(s) of contamination and the impact of the contamination in terms of halal perspective.
- **6.3.2.3** Such products, goods and/ or cargo shall be isolated and quarantined for further action. The evaluation shall be recorded.

#### 6.3.2.4 Evaluation for release of doubtful products, goods and/ or cargo

Each lot of doubtful products, goods and/ or cargo shall only be released when the following conditions apply:

- a) evidence other than the monitoring system demonstrates that the control measures have been effective;
- b) evidence shows that the effect of the control measures for that particular products, goods and/ or cargo complies with halal requirements; and
- the results of sampling, analysis and/ or other verification activities demonstrate that the doubtful lot of products, goods and/ or cargo complies with the halal requirements.
- **6.3.2.5** If the doubtful products, goods and/ or cargo released are subsequently determined to be non-halal, the organisation shall notify relevant interested parties for appropriate action.

## 6.3.3 Corrective actions

**6.3.3.1** A documented procedure shall be established and maintained to specify appropriate actions to identify and eliminate the cause of cross contaminated or affected products, goods and/ or cargo to prevent recurrence and to bring the process or system back into control after the non-conformity is encountered. These actions include:

- a) reviewing of non-conformities;
- b) reviewing of trends in monitoring results that may indicate trend of loss of control;
- c) determining the cause(s) of non-conformities;
- d) evaluating the need for action to ensure that non-conformities do not recur;
- e) determining and implementing the actions needed;
- f) recording the results of corrective actions taken; and
- g) reviewing corrective actions taken that they are effective.
- **6.3.3.2** Corrective actions shall be recorded.

#### 6.4 Isolation and notification

- **6.4.1** In the event to facilitate complete and timely isolation and notification of lots of products, goods and/ or cargo which have been identified as cross contaminated or affected during handling, top management of the organisation shall appoint personnel having the authority to execute the isolation and notification.
- **6.4.2** The organisation shall establish and maintain documented procedures for isolation and notification of products, goods and/ or cargo.
- **6.4.3** When establishing the procedure, the organisation shall consider the degree of detail regarding traceability in the handling processes.
- **6.4.4** Isolated products, goods and/ or cargo shall be secured or held under supervision and handled according to 6.3.
- **6.4.5** The cause, extent and result of an isolation shall be recorded and reported to top management as input for the management review.
- **6.4.6** The organisation shall verify and record the effectiveness of the isolation and notification procedure.

## 6.5 Communication

The management shall ensure that appropriate communication processes are established within the organisation and to the external interested parties with regards to the effectiveness of the Halal Management System. The use of information and communication technology (ICT) system as mode of communication should be encouraged within the organisation.

#### 6.6 Traceability

- **6.6.1** The organisation shall establish and apply a traceability system that enables the identification of products, goods and/ or cargo in the transportation chain services.
- **6.6.2** The traceability system shall enable the identification of the inbound products, goods and/ or cargo for the processing stages from the immediate suppliers and the distribution routes and destination of the products, goods and/ or cargo.

**6.6.3** The organisation shall define the retention period for the traceability records of products, goods and/ or cargo. The records maintained shall be in accordance with the statutory and regulatory requirements and customer requirements.

## 6.7 Control of monitoring and measuring equipment

- **6.7.1** The organisation shall establish and maintain a documented procedure for the control of measuring equipment and methods used in the monitoring of the Halal Management System (e.g. halal risk assessment, Halal Control Point(s), validation and verification activities). The measuring equipment shall be calibrated or verified at specified intervals prior to use against measurement standards traceable to national or international measurement standards.
- **6.7.2** Where no such standard exists, the basis used for the calibration or verification shall be documented.
- **6.7.3** Methods used in connection with monitoring, validation and verification of cross contamination shall be appropriate, and ensure that reproducible and repeatable results are obtained.
- **6.7.4** Records of the results of calibration and/ or verification shall be maintained.

## 6.8 Emergency preparedness

The management shall establish, implement and maintain procedures to manage potential emergency situations resulting in contamination including incidents and which are relevant to the role of the organisation. The organisation need to identify certain measures of control to be adopted to reduce the impact of such disaster.

## 6.9 Outsourced service providers/ subcontractors control

- **6.9.1** Where the organisation outsources any process that affects the halal requirement, the organisation shall ensure control of such processes. Control of such outsourced processes shall be in accordance to the Halal Management System.
- **6.9.2** The organisation shall evaluate and select outsourced service providers/subcontractors based on their ability to supply products or services in accordance with the halal requirements. Criteria for selection and evaluation of outsourced service providers/subcontractors shall be established. Records for selection and evaluation of outsourced service providers/subcontractors shall be maintained
- **6.9.3** The organisation shall re-evaluate the outsourced service providers/ subcontractors to ensure compliance with halal requirements. Any corrective action arising from the re-evaluation shall be recorded.

## 7 General requirements for premises, infrastructure, facilities and personnel

#### 7.1 Transport location

The organisation should consider potential source of contamination when deciding on the location of the vehicle to protect halal integrity. The vehicle should mitigate or be located away from the following:

- a) environmentally polluted areas and industrial activities which pose a serious threat;
- b) areas subject to flooding;
- c) pest infestation areas; and
- d) areas where wastes, either solid or liquid, cannot be removed effectively.

## 7.2 Premises design and layout

- **7.2.1** Where appropriate, the design and layout of the premises should permit good hygiene practices, including protection of products, goods and/ or cargo against cross-contamination between and during operations. Construction and layout of the infrastructure facilities shall permit adequate maintenance and cleaning.
- **7.2.2** Internal structure of the premises should be soundly built from durable materials and be easy to maintain, clean and where appropriate able to be disinfected or perform *sertu*.
- **7.2.3** Where required, appropriate area for eating and drinking shall be allocated to the personnel. The area shall be well-maintained and kept in good condition to prevent pest access and harbourage.

## 7.3 Facilities, equipment and materials

- **7.3.1** Containers for products, goods and/ or cargo, should be specifically identifiable, suitably constructed and where appropriate, made of impervious materials. They should be properly secured to prevent malicious or accidental contamination to the products, goods and/ or cargo being handled.
- **7.3.2** The organisation shall provide hygiene facilities to ensure appropriate degree of personnel hygiene can be maintained and to avoid contaminating the products, goods and/ or cargo. The facilities shall be suitably located and designated. Facilities shall include:
- a) adequate means of hygienically washing and drying hands, including wash basins and a supply of water and sanitisers, and the provision of advisory signs;
- b) adequate number of lavatories of appropriate hygienic design; and
- c) adequate changing facilities and locker rooms for personnel.
- **7.3.3** The management shall ensure that all equipment used in the transport chain activities meet specified requirements and are appropriately designed, constructed, and installed to facilitate maintenance, adjustment, cleaning and use.
- **7.3.4** Where a material present could reasonably be expected to have an adverse effect on halal requirements of products, goods and/ or cargo, the management shall establish and maintain procedures for the handling of such material.

#### 7.4 Personnel hygiene, health status and cleanliness

## 7.4.1 Personnel health status

The organisation shall ensure that personnel who directly or indirectly come in contact with the products, goods and/ or cargo or processes likely to contaminate the products, goods and/ or cargo being handled follow certain guidelines:

- a) Health status: Personnel with known, or suspected to be suffering from, or carrier of a disease or illness likely to be transmitted through handling and contact with products, shall declare their health status. Any person so affected should immediately report illness or symptoms of illness to the management.
- Medical examination: Personnel should carry out medical examination if clinically or epidemiologically indicated.
- c) Illness and injury: Personnel with serious medical conditions that require any need for medical examination/ treatment and/ or possible exclusion from the operation processes should report to the management for further action.

#### 7.4.2 Personnel cleanliness

- **7.4.2.1** Personnel involved in the handling process shall maintain a high degree of personnel cleanliness.
- **7.4.2.2** Personnel with cuts and wounds, if allowed to continue working, should ensure that the cuts and wounds be covered by suitable waterproof dressings.
- **7.4.2.3** Personnel should observe a proper hand washing technique before start of handling activities, immediately after using the lavatories and after handling raw or contaminated products, goods and/ or cargo which could result in contamination of other products, goods and/ or cargo.
- **7.4.2.4** If the personnel have come into contact with non-halal products, goods and/ or cargo, the personnel shall wear proper attire before handling the products, goods and/ or cargo and perform the *sertu* when needed.

## 7.4.3 Personnel conduct

- **7.4.3.1** Personnel shall refrain from behaviour that could result in contaminating the products, goods and/ or cargo being handled such as smoking, spitting, chewing or eating/ drinking, and sneezing or coughing over protected and unprotected products, goods and/ or cargo during the handling process.
- **7.4.3.2** Personnel should also not bring into handling process areas any personal effects that could cause contamination to the products, goods and/ or cargo.

## 7.4.4 Visitors

Visitors to the handling process areas should adhere to all personnel hygiene provisions.

## 7.5 Environment, perimeter and grounds

- **7.5.1** Where environmental conditions could reasonably be expected to have an adverse effect on products, goods and/ or cargo quality, the organisation shall establish and maintain procedures to adequately control these environmental conditions. Environmental control system(s) shall be periodically inspected to verify that the system, including necessary equipment, is adequate and functioning properly. These activities shall be documented and reviewed.
- **7.5.2** The perimeter and grounds surrounding the organisation's premises should be kept and maintained in a manner that contamination to the handling process is avoided.

#### 7.6 Maintenance of equipment

- **7.6.1** Equipment shall be well-maintained and kept in good condition to:
- a) facilitate all sanitation procedures including sertu;
- b) function as intended particularly at critical process steps; and
- c) prevent contamination of products, goods and/ or cargo from non-halal material and dangerous or hazardous materials.
- **7.6.2** The management shall establish cleaning and maintenance schedules for equipment (including temperature control equipment) to ensure that operating specifications are met. Maintenance activities shall be recorded.
- **7.6.3** The management shall conduct periodic inspections in accordance with established procedures to ensure adherence to applicable equipment maintenance schedules. The inspections shall be recorded.

## 7.7 Cleaning and sanitation

- **7.7.1** The organisation shall establish and maintain a procedure to outline suitable cleaning methods and materials depending on the nature of the organisation's business. The procedure should describe the cleaning and disinfection programs to be undertaken to ensure that all parts of the premises are appropriately clean and in accordance to the halal requirements. The cleaning program should include the cleaning of the cleaning tools and *sertu* where required.
- **7.7.2** Cleaning activities should be continually and effectively monitored for their suitability and effectiveness. The evidence of monitoring should be recorded.
- **7.7.3** Cleaning chemicals should be handled and used carefully and in accordance with manufacturer's instruction and stored separately from products, goods and/ or cargo, in clearly identified containers to avoid the risk of contamination
- **7.7.4** All transport vehicles shall be adequately maintained and cleaned after delivery.

## 7.8 Sertu

- **7.8.1** The organisation shall ensure that *sertu* is performed when and where contamination by *najs al-mughallazah* occurs.
- **7.8.2** The *sertu* process shall be supervised and verified by halal competent authority or trained muslim personnel appointed by internal halal committee.
- **7.8.3** The *sertu* process done shall be recorded.
- **7.8.4** Annex D explains the method for *Sertu* according to Shafi'i School of Thought.

## 7.9 Drainage and waste disposal systems

**7.9.1** Floors and drainage system shall be suitably constructed to allow proper flow of water and waste so that the risk of contaminating the products, goods and/ or cargo being handled is avoided. Drains should be equipped with strainer to ensure solid waste is removed and

appropriately treated in accordance to environmental requirement before discharge. Drainage system shall be maintained to ensure free flow of water.

- **7.9.2** External drainage systems shall be constructed to prevent access of pests. Fixtures, piping and ducts shall not cause condensation or leakage which could contaminate the products, goods and/ or cargo.
- **7.9.3** Adequate waste disposal systems should be established and a proper collection system of waste out of the premises should be designed to prevent accumulation of waste.
- **7.9.4** Liquid waste, if any should be handled in a manner that it will not pose threat to the environment.

#### 7.10 Training of personnel

- **7.10.1** The organisation shall develop training program including halal related training to ensure personnel involved in the operation are trained and/ or instructed to a level appropriate to the operations to be performed.
- **7.10.2** The training program shall identify and fulfil the need for training taking into consideration the level of education, skill, competency and experience of the personnel and the task to be performed.
- **7.10.3** The need for training shall be reviewed at appropriate intervals.
- **7.10.4** The organisation shall perform assessments of the effectiveness of training programs.
- **7.10.5** Managers and supervisors should have the knowledge on halal principles for effective operations of the system.

## 7.11 Contamination control

### 7.11.1 Physical, chemical and biological control

The organisation shall establish a system to prevent contamination of products, goods and/ or cargo by physical, chemical and biological contaminants which could render the products, goods and/ or cargo to become non halal.

## 7.11.2 Pest control

The organisation shall employ all measures to avoid creating an environment conducive to pests. The organisation shall immediately deal with pest harbourage without adversely affecting the products, goods and/ or cargo being handled.

## 8 Maintenance of the halal supply chain

#### 8.1 Internal halal audit

- **8.1.1** The organisation shall establish and maintain documented procedures for conducting audits at planned intervals to determine whether the Halal Management System:
- a) conforms to the requirements of this standard and to the Halal Management System requirements established by the organisation; and

- b) is effectively implemented, maintained and updated
- **8.1.2** Audit findings including corrective actions taken shall be recorded and maintained.

## 8.2 Management review

- **8.2.1** Top management shall review the continuing suitability, adequacy and effectiveness of the Halal Management System at defined intervals. The review shall include identifying and assessing the changing needs of the business in relation to the Halal Management System, and the opportunities for improvement. The review shall take into consideration the stakeholders and *Shariah* requirements, and the organisation's halal policy and objectives.
- **8.2.2** Records from the management review shall be maintained.

## 8.3 Handling of complaints and feedback

The organisation shall establish a procedure to define requirements for handling customer complaints and feedback. The procedure shall include requirements for:

- a) reviewing complaints and feedback to determine the causes;
- b) evaluating the need for actions to be taken;
- c) determining and implementing the actions needed;
- d) recording the results of actions taken; and
- e) reviewing the effectiveness of actions taken.

#### 8.4 Responsiveness to change

- **8.4.1** The organisation shall ensure that its Halal Management System is maintained and updated in response to anticipated and actual changes in the organisation operations, human resources, customer/ sector usage and groups, regulatory and/ or *Shariah* requirements and any other internal and/ or external changes which might have an impact on the halal operations.
- **8.4.2** These changes shall be documented and executed by internal halal committee. All changes shall be communicated to the relevant parties.

# Annex A (informative)

## Typical example of a Halal Control Point analysis worksheet

Table A.1. Typical example of a Halal Control Point analysis worksheet

1	2	3	4			5	6
Process steps	List potential contaminant /precursor	Rationale for inclusion or exclusion as a potential contaminant/precursor	Evaluation of the likelihood and severity/ impact of potential contaminant/ precursor			Control measures	Is this process step a Halal Control Point? (Yes/No)
			Likelihood	Severity/ Impact	Risk ranking		

# Annex B (informative)

# Reference tables for determination of likelihood, severity and risk ranking

Table B.1. Halal Control Point likelihood ranking

Likelihood	Description						
	The possibility of halal status affected expected to occur in most circumstances.						
Likely	Common or repeated occurrence, has happened before several times.						
	The possibility of halal status affected might occur sometimes.						
Moderate	Known to occur, happened before.						
Unlikely	The possibility of halal status affected could occur in exceptional circumstances.						
	Practically impossible.						

Table B.2. Halal Control Point severity/ impact ranking

Halal Severity/ Impact	Description
Critical	The potential contaminant (non-halal materials or detrimental ( <i>mudhorat</i> ) substances) affects the totality of halal status of the products, goods and/ or cargo and the <i>halal</i> status of the products, goods and/ or cargo could not be salvaged.  Release of the products, goods and/ or cargo will result in loss of trust from customers, public and authorities.  May cause great impact for future business transactions.
Moderate	The potential contaminant (non-halal materials or detrimental ( <i>mudhorat</i> ) substances) affects the halal status of the products, goods and/ or cargo but the halal status of the products, goods and/ or cargo still could be salvaged.  May result in delay of delivery or shipment and potential loss of future contracts, possible loss of public trust.
Insignificant	No impact on the halal status of the products, goods and/ or cargo.

Table B.3. Halal Control Point risk matrix

Likelihood	Severity/ impact								
	Insignificant		Moderate		Critical				
Likely	Moderate	4	Significant	7	High	9			
Moderate	Moderate Low		Moderate	5	Significant	8			
Unlikely	<b>Unlikely</b> Low		Low	3	Moderate	6			

Table B.4. Halal decision rules for risk ranking

Ranking levels	Likelihood	Impact	Code	Risk decision with regards to halal control measures			
9	Likely	Critical	High	The organisation needs to review the incidence is detailed manner to find the root cause of the proble All precautionary measures shall be taken to reso the problem identified. Monitoring and verifical activities towards control measures shall conducted in accordance to the scheduled plans, staff shall be briefed to keep informed on the matter.			
8	Moderate	Critical		The organisation shall take all precautionary measures to resolve the problem identified. Monitoring and verification activities towards control measures shall be conducted in accordance to the scheduled plans.			
7	Likely	Moderate	Significant				
6	Unlikely	Critical					
5	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	te The organisation shall monitor and verify control measures in accordance to the scheduled plans.			
4	Likely	Insignificant					
3	Unlikely	Moderate					
2	Moderate	Insignificant	Low	The organisation maintains the implementation of control measures in accordance to scheduled plans.			
1	Unlikely	Insignificant					

## NOTES:

- 1. Organisation means the top management, halal leader and all staff.
- 2. The process step(s) with ranking of "high" and "significant" should be considered as Halal Control Point.

## **Annex C**

(informative)

## Typical example of a Halal Risk Management Plan Summary

		Monitoring			Corrective	Verification (What, How				
No.	Process step	What	How	Frequency	Who	action	Frequency, Who)	Records		
Prepared t	Prepared by:				Approved by:					
Name and Position:				·						
Date:				Name and Position						
					Date:					
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Table C.1. Typical example of a Halal Risk Management Plan Summary

## Annex D

(normative)

## Method of sertu according to Shariah law for najs al-mughallazah

## D1 General requirements

The *najs*, whether visible ('ainiah) or invisible (disappeared or dried up etc.) is named *hukmiah*. To cleanse *najs*:

- a) it is required to wash seven times, one of which shall be mixed with soil;
- b) the first wash shall be to clear the existence of *najs*, even if a few washes are needed. The water from first cleaning shall not remain behind and the next wash shall be counted as the second wash;
- c) the amount of soil used is just enough to make a suspension; and
- d) the usage of product containing soil is permitted.

## D2 Conditions of the soil

The conditions of the soil are:

- a) free from najs; and
- b) not *musta'mal* soil [which had been used for dry ablution (*tayammum*)] except after subject to heavy rain.

## D3 Conditions of the water

The conditions of the water shall be:

- a) natural (*mutlaq*);
- b) not musta'mal1; and
- c) free from najs.

Further information on *sertu* can be found in *Garis panduan sertu dari perspektif Islam*, Department of Islamic Development Malaysia.

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