

Sourcing standards matrix

Jul-17

Product	Permitted Origin	Minimum Standard
Venison	UK reared and slaughtered or UK wild /parkland	Farm Assured (not applicable for wild / parkland deer) SAI Global/EFISIS Assured Farm Venison Standard (only applicable if farmed)

Product	Minimum Standard	
Tea / Coffee / Cocoa	Fairtrade	All coffee / tea / cocoa products to have some sort of accreditation, no accreditation at all would raise concerns.

Foods - Additives	None of those listed	<p>Colourings : E102 tartrazine E104 quinoline yellow E107 yellow E110 sunset yellow E120 cochineal E123 amaranth E124 ponceau 4R E129 allura red E131 patent blue V E132 in digo carmine E133 brilliant blue FCF E151 black PN</p> <p>Flavourings / enhancers : E621 monosodium glutamate E635 sodium 5 – ribonucleotide</p> <p>Sweeteners : (not applicable to soft drinks) E950 acesulfame K E951 aspartame E954 sodium saccharine</p> <p>Preservatives : (not applicable to drinks) E211 sodium benzoate</p>
-------------------	----------------------	--

Product	Minimum Standard	
Foods - Artificial Trans Fats (partially hydrogenated fat or oil)	No Trans Fats	Trans fats or trans fatty acids (TFAs) are chemically altered vegetable oils, used to give processed foods a longer shelf life. They are produced artificially by a process called hydrogenation which turns liquid oil into solid fat. They can be found in partially hydrogenated vegetable oils used for frying and baking and found in some processed foods, margarines, cakes and biscuits and ready made cake mixes. A diet high in trans fats can lead to high blood cholesterol levels associated with conditions such as heart disease, heat attacks and strokes.

Product	Minimum Standard	
Genetically Modified (GM) Foods	No GM ingredients	No food products should contain GM ingredients or be from livestock or crops that have been declared as genetically modified.

Product	Minimum Standard	
Honey	STS Honey accreditation	we can set up suppliers who are not accredited but we need them to be aware of and agree that they will work to attain the accreditation as soon as possible if they wish to continue to supply us. And that there will be a cost associated with accreditation

Product	Minimum Standard	
Stationary	FSC & UK Made	Local artists do not need to have their prints / cards printed locally too (as the artist is the focus of the 'local' story) but they must be UK Made and on FSC paper.

Product	Minimum Standard	
Wood	FSC (Forest Stewardship Council)	All NT woodland is FSC registered so anything made from wood from properties is FSC