

## Middle East, North Africa & Turkish food law

28-29 November 2017

### Programme – Day 1

09.00 *Registration & refreshments*

09.30 **Welcome & introduction**

09.45 **Overview of food legislation the Gulf Cooperation Council (GCC) — part 1**

- Food authorities in the GCC
- Mandatory labelling & nutrition labelling requirements in the GCC
- Changes in GCC legislation

10.30 **Overview of food legislation in Codex**

- An explanation of Codex Alimentarius
- An overview of Codex documents and standard development
- An overview of Codex Food additives Standard

11.15 *Refreshments*

11.30 **Overview of food legislation in the Gulf Cooperation Council (GCC) — part 2**

- Food additives & how they work
- Flavourings & carriers
- Halal requirements

12.15 **Quiz — GCC & Codex**

A quiz on the different topics covered so far.

12.45 *Lunch*

13.45 **Overview of food legislation in Turkey**

- Food law in Turkey
- General & nutrition labelling requirements
- Compositional requirements & use of food additives and flavourings
- Forthcoming changes

14.30 *Refreshments*

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### Programme – Day 1, continued

14.45 **Overview of food legislation in Egypt**

- Legislative structure & relevant authorities
- General labelling & nutrition labelling requirements
- Food additives & flavourings legislation

15.30 **Quiz — Turkey & Algeria**

A quiz on the different topics covered.

16.00 **Question & answers & close**

Leatherhead's regulatory experts will address specific questions you may have.

### Programme – Day 2

09.00 *Registration & refreshments*

09.30 **Overview of food legislation in Morocco**

- Food authorities in Morocco
- General food labelling & nutrition labelling requirements in Morocco
- The regulatory status of food additives
- Links to interesting websites for further information

10.15 **Overview of food legislation in Algeria**

- Food law in Algeria
- Food labelling requirements
- The regulatory status of food additives
- Interesting links & websites for further information

10.45 *Refreshments*

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**11.00 Halal requirements**

- Definitions of key terminologies (Halal, Haram & Mashbooh)
- The Codex Alimentarius Halal standard
- Requirements of the Codex for religious slaughter & wider implications
- Halal Food Requirements in Middle East, North Africa & Turkey

**12.00 Questions & answers**

Leatherhead's regulatory experts will address specific questions you may have.

12.15 *Lunch*

**13.15 Overview of food legislation in Israel**

- Food law in Israel
- General & nutrition labelling requirements
- Compositional requirements & use of food additives
- Forthcoming changes

**14.00 Overview of food legislation in Jordan**

- Legislative structure & relevant authorities
- General labelling & nutrition labelling requirements
- Food additives & flavourings legislation

14.30 *Refreshments*

**14.50 Quiz — Morocco, Egypt, Israel, Jordan**

A quiz on the different topics covered.

**15.30 Question & answers & close**

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