

BRC

Global Standard for Food Safety



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BRC – GLOBAL STANDARD FOR FOOD SAFETY

In 1998 the British Retail Consortium (BRC), responding to industry needs, developed and introduced the BRC Food Technical Standard to be used to evaluate manufacturers of retailers own brand food products.

The main requirements of this standard are the adoption of HACCP, a documented quality management system and control of factory environmental standards, process and personnel.

In a short space of time, this Standard has become invaluable to other organizations across the sector. It was and still is regarded as the benchmark for best practice in the food industry.

This and its use outside the UK has seen it evolve into a Global Standard used not just to assess retailer suppliers, but as a framework upon which many companies have based their supplier assessment programs and manufacture of some branded products.

Alliance Offers a Fair Approach

THE INDUSTRY STANDARD FOR
EXCELLENCE



KEY BENEFITS

It is designed to be used as a pillar to help retailers and brand owners with their 'due diligence' defence, should they be subject to a prosecution by the enforcement authorities. Under EU food Law, retailers and brand owners have a legal responsibility for their brands. Your BRC audit can be seamlessly combined with a IFS Audit providing the following benefits:

- Alliance are able to offer cost a effective service through a single audit using a combined checklist
- Allows management to schedule a single audit for multiple standards and reduces audit time compared with standalone audits
- Addresses 'deviations and non-conformities' in a coordinated manner through your BRC/IFS Certification Team
- Makes it possible to issue separate reports and certificates simultaneously against each standard through just one audit.

Accepted by buyers

The majority of UK, and many European and Global retailers, and brand owners will only consider business with suppliers who have gained certification to the appropriate BRC Global Standard.



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Certification

PROCESS

- Contract Signature
- Signed Application
- Document Review
- Audit Stage 1
- Audit Stage 2
- Certification
- Surveillance Audits



ABOUT US-ALLIANCE REGISTRAR

Alliance International Strategic Registrar’s goal is to provide the highest Management Systems assessment, so that our Clients are recognized as the industry standard for excellence. We will distinguish ourselves through dedication toward improving our Client’s Management Systems.

We understand the importance of impartiality and conflict of interest to ensure objectivity of our Certification activities. We will foster developmental relationships with the Clients we serve to achieve Client satisfaction. Our logo shall be perceived as a symbol of Quality and Excellence.

Alliance is an internationally accredited

Management System Registrar offering a comprehensive suite of services to those organizations wishing to achieve registration.

Alliance has been built on decades of collective experience within the manufacturing and non-manufacturing industries. Our senior staff played a major role in developing the content of the Quality System Requirements and piloting the first Quality System Requirement witness audit, setting the standard by which the industry is measured.

OUR POLICY is to provide exceptional levels of customer service combined with common sense interpretations of the Standards you wish to achieve. Based on



our extensive background within the quality industry we have developed a “thorough but fair” assessment approach to the registration process. This approach, welcomed by our clients, has developed a good Improvement Partnership and earned Alliance an enviable reputation within our industry. Business leaders have put the dedication and experience of Alliance personnel to work for them and you can too

We also believe registration should be used as a development tool for your organization. Registration is only the beginning of improving your overall business. We will help by identifying opportunities for you to continue to develop your business processes to ensure not only conformance to the intent of the Standard but improvement in all aspects of the company

The logo of Alliance/ARC is the degree of public confidence and trust, which is established by customer focus, the integrity of its leadership, operating principles as well as impartial and competent assessments.

During a recent survey of ISO registrar performance, Alliance/ ARC was ranked among the top in overall customer service.

