



HAS POLICY ON HALAL CERTIFIED PRODUCTS BEING
EXPORTED TO UAE AND GULF REGION
HAS-076

The Halal Agency Serbia is accredited by Gulf Accreditation Centre (GAC) against GSO 2055-2:2015, UAE 2055-2:2016 and SMIC-2.

For Serbia and surrounding region the Serbian Halal Standard will be applied (HAS-2009), however, for those companies wishing to export products to the Gulf States (Saudi Arabia, Yemen, United Arab Emirates, Kuwait, Oman, Bahrain, Qatar), the Gulf state Organisation (GSO) is the regional organisation and these countries conform to the GSO, UAE and national standards. It is a requirement that for these countries a more detailed halal audit is carried out and a halal Certificate is issued which references the Halal standards, product name, expiry date etc. This additional requirement will require an additional charge to the client. The audits will require additional time and in Annex A of the Halal Standards, there is a man days calculator used to determine the on-site audit man days. This is used as a guide for the auditor and HAS.

In addition, because HAS will be audited annually by the Gulf Accreditation Centre (GAC), witness audits to assess the competency of the HAS auditors will be carried out. GAC auditors will accompany the HAS Auditor and HAS request cooperation from their clients to help in this matter. If the Clients have any concerns regarding audit time, costs or technical questions, confidentiality etc, please contact Dr Zaki Shaltaf, Halal Agency Serbia ph: +381 11 3031285 or email info@halal.rs to discuss further.

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