

# **The Condiment Company recalls Hunter & Gather Avocado Oil Mayonnaise due to a lack of microbiological controls**

The Condiment Company Ltd is recalling Hunter & Gather Avocado Oil Mayonnaise because of concerns over the company's procedures in place to control *Clostridium botulinum*.

## **Product details**

Hunter & Gather Avocado Oil Mayonnaise

Pack size 250g

Batch code 25/09/19

Best before 25 September 2019

No other The Condiment Company products are known to be affected.

## **Risk statement**

Manufacturing controls that could potentially affect the safety of the product listed above could not be demonstrated satisfactorily by the company. The issue relates to controlling factors to prevent the growth and toxin production of *Clostridium botulinum*.

Botulinum toxin may cause a serious form of food poisoning called botulism and can be fatal.

A recall from customers is being carried out as a precautionary measure.

## **Action taken by the company**

The Condiment Company Ltd is recalling the above product. Point of sale notices will be displayed in all retail stores that are selling this product. These notices explain to customers why the product is being recalled and tell them what to do if they have bought the product. Please see the attached notice.

## **Our advice to consumers**

If you have bought any of the above product do not eat it. Instead, return it to the store from where it was bought for a full refund.

## **About product recalls and withdrawals**

If there is a problem with a food product that means it should not be sold, then it might be

'withdrawn' (taken off the shelves) or 'recalled' (when customers are asked to return the product). The FSA issues Product Withdrawal Information Notices and Product Recall Information Notices to let consumers and local authorities know about problems associated with food. In some cases, a 'Food Alert for Action' is issued. This provides local authorities with details of specific action to be taken on behalf of consumers.

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