

## Level 2 – Applied Knowledge

### Product Specific Food Law

Session Date: Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> September 2026

Session Time: 09.30 - 12.30

**Objectives:** This course is designed to introduce food enforcement officers to a range of Product Specific Regulations that apply to many foods commonly sold on supermarket shelves. These Regulations set out specific compositional requirements for certain foods and often include additional labelling rules. In some cases, they also provide distinct enforcement powers and options. To effectively advise local food businesses and enforce food standards legislation, officers need a good understanding of which additional pieces of legislation apply to these specific products. This course will support officers in identifying when product-specific legislation applies and how it should be used in practice during advice, inspections and enforcement activity.

**Trainer:** Joanna Sheath

**Trainer biography:** Joanna Sheath is a Senior Trading Standards Officer with over 30 years' experience working with businesses and consumers advising and enforcing food legislation. She is also qualified in food safety and nutrition. As an experienced trainer she regularly teaches food standards, and food safety to regulatory officers and as a practicing Trading Standards Officer can offer her experience and knowledge on how to deal with everyday issues a food officer would typically encounter. Joanna is also currently teaching on the Food Control course at NESOT and on the CSA Level 6 Trading Standards Apprenticeship.

#### Programme

The session will cover the following areas:

- In-depth look at Regulations including: - meat and meat products, chocolate, mineral water, fish, jams, olive oil, and eggs.
- Practicalities of Enforcement Case Studies.
- Breakout Rooms, Question and Answer sessions, and interactive quiz.

There will be plenty of time for you to ask questions and you are also welcome to submit these in advance by email to [info@faabtraining.co.uk](mailto:info@faabtraining.co.uk)

**CPD Hours: 3 hours**

**Who should attend?** This course is aimed at officers new to food standards work or for those returning to this area of food law.

**Fee & Booking: £90 + VAT per delegate**

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In addition to this you will have access to some of the UK's top experts in their subject areas. The session will be delivered using Microsoft Teams, so you will be able to see and hear the presenter as they share their presentation with you.

With no travelling costs and a real practical focus on application of the law this training offers incredible value for both the individual learner and their employer.

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