## CYPRUS ORGANIZATION FOR THE PROMOTION OF QUALITY CYPRUS ACCREDITATION BODY



## ACCREDITATION CERTIFICATE no. L042-3

The Board of Governors of the Cyprus Organization for the Promotion of Quality acting as the authorized Cyprus Accreditation Body according to the Article 7 of the Law 156(I)/2002

### grants accreditation to the

### **RBML Labs**

in Beirut, Lebanon

which has been assessed according to the Accreditation Criteria for Testing Laboratories as defined in the standard

### **CYS EN ISO/IEC 17025:2017**

as **competent to perform the Methods** defined in the Scope of Accreditation referred to in the **Annex** of this certificate; the said Annex represents inextricable part of the certificate. The **Accreditation Scope** can only be modified after a decision of the Cyprus Accreditation Body.

The current Accreditation Certificate, no. L042-3, is issued on the 8<sup>th</sup> October 2021 and it is valid from the 13<sup>th</sup> September 2020 until the 12<sup>th</sup> September 2024.

Accreditation was granted for the first time on the 13<sup>th</sup> September 2012.

Antonis Ioannou Director

Date: 8<sup>th</sup> October 2021

A laboratory's fulfillment of the requirements of ISO/IEC 17025 means the laboratory meets both the technical competence requirements and management system requirements that are necessary for it to consistently deliver technically valid test results and calibrations. The management system requirements in ISO/IEC 17025 are written in language relevant to laboratory operations and operate generally in accordance with the principles of ISO 9001. (ISO-ILAC-IAF Communiqué 2017) Annex



of the Accreditation Certificate number L042-3

# Scope of Accreditation of Laboratory RBML Labs

Valid from 13<sup>th</sup> September 2020 until 12<sup>th</sup> September 2024
\* Valid from 8<sup>th</sup> October 2021 until 12<sup>th</sup> September 2024

Materials / Products	Type of testing / Countable properties	Methods / Techniques
	Enumeration of Total Coliforms and E. Coli at 37 °C	Chromogenic Rapid E. coli BIO-RAD AOAC Certification No.050601, AFNOR Validated BRD 07/07- 12/04, NMKL Validated NordVal 020
Food	Detection of Salmonella spp	Solus One SALMONELLA* AOAC (OMA) Certification No.2020.03, AFNOR Validated SOL 37/04- 12/18
	Enumeration of coagulase positive Staphylococci	Rapid Staph BIO-RAD AOAC-RI Certification No.080602, NMKL Validated NordVal 049
	Horizontal method for the enumeration of <i>Clostridium perfringens</i> — Colony-count technique	EN ISO 7937:2004 Microbiology of food and animal feeding stuffs – Horizontal method for the enumeration of <i>Clostridium</i> <i>perfringens</i> – Colony – count technique
Fruit and vegetables with high water content	Pesticide <del>s</del> residues determination of the analytes of the categories: organophosphates, organochlorines, triazines, triazoles, amides, benzimidazoles, carbamates, benzoyl urea, neonocotinoids, pyrethoids**	In-house multi-residue methods based on based on the QuEChERS EN 15662 method using the following analytical techniques: LC- MS/MS and GC-MS/MS
Cereals, legumes	Determination of pesticide residues of the categories: Organophosphates, organochlorines, carbamates, triazines,	In-house multi-residue methods

triazoles, benzoylureas, neonicotinoids, amides, benzimidazoles, pyrethroids, various	based on based on the QuEChERS EN 15662 method using the following analytical techniques: LC-MS/MS and GC- MS/MS
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Authorised persons to sign test reports are the following: Microbiology tests: Dr Rami Khodr and May Kourgie Pesticides tests: Dr Rami Khodr, Dr Aisha Al Ashi and Dr Wael Hneine

#### **General Remarks**

This Annex refers only for testing that is carried out at the premises of the Laboratory, at the following address: CHWAIFAT, Beirut, Lebanon

Antonis Ioannou Director

Date: 8<sup>th</sup> October 2021