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Subject: SEC 38 Hospitality Controlled Assessment Marking Schemes

Changes and Clarifications

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Kindly note the following in relation to SEC 38 Hospitality Controlled Assessment Marking Schemes:

Unit 2 - Question 4a - K6 MQF1

"Cereals" are to be categorised as a **non-perishable** commodity. Therefore, the answer presented in the original Marking Scheme (page 6), in which cereals are shown under the perishable column, is to be superseded.

Unit 2 - Question 5a - C3 MQF1

"Fish", "Chicken/Poultry", and "Pasta/Wholegrain/Cereal" are identifiable from the picture. Since other commodities were not clearly identifiable, the remaining 0.5 marks should be awarded for any fourth Mediterranean commodity validly provided as an answer.

Unit 3 - Question 5b - K5

Since the image shown for question 5b(iii) is not very clear as to whether it represents a "table knife", a "joint knife" or a "side knife", all these answers should be accepted. However, "butter knife" or "steak knife" should **not** be accepted as correct.

Please ensure that the above changes and clarifications are brought to the attention of the teachers and internal verifiers concerned with these assessments.