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The Food Safety Laboratories Limited introduces food safety technology applications at China International Food Safety & Quality Conference and Expo

The Food Safety Laboratories Limited (TFSL) is pleased to announce the participation at the 2007 China International Food Safety & Quality Conference and Expo (CIFSQ) held 12th-13th September in Beijing.

TFSL took part in the exhibition showcasing its technology and application suites for detection of food-borne pathogens, food allergens, species identification and GMO presence. Technical experts from TFSL were on hand to discuss with visitors on food safety related issues and the use of advance DNA-based technologies in its food testing services currently available.

Dr Terence L.T. Lau, executive director of TFSL, presented “Managing Food Safety by Technology” highlighting recent advances in molecular technologies such as PCR that allow rapid identification of food pathogens and facilitation in food analysis and food quality control. The session drew an energetic discussion among the enthusiastic audience that included multi-international leading food manufacturers, hotels and restaurants whose primary concern and challenge is seeking operational solutions on on-going and emerging food safety issues.

“The conference provided a great platform to meet with some of food industry’s major players to share our experience on food safety issues and the challenges they continually encounter.” Dr Terence L.T. Lau added.

Two essential messages that were emphasized by all speakers at the convention was the need to establish a global framework of sharing and accessing information in achieving food safety that will assist the food industry and supply chain to serve safe and quality food products. The other message resonated was the importance of science and its fundamental use to achieving food safety protection for consumers and suppliers.



TFSL is expanding its testing capabilities on emerging chemical and microbiological hazards that threatens food safety and continues to deliver innovative diagnostic services and products for raw material growers, food manufacturers, distributors and food service-retailers in Hong Kong and China.

About The Food Safety Laboratories Limited (TFSL)

The Food Safety Laboratories Limited (TFSL) based in Hong Kong, utilizes the most advanced DNA-based technology positioned to be the total food solutions provider. With a team of world-class molecular biologists and internationally renowned scientists – we offer a range of comprehensive testing services including conventional, culturing, protein based ELISA and rapid testing, advance molecular testing, chemical analysis and also specialize in food virus testing such as Norovirus. Our capabilities include but are not restricted to GMO, food allergen, species identification, food safety and certification services for food industry. We are the only commercial GMO test lab in Hong Kong and China accredited with ISO/ IEC 17025 and ISO 9001.