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Alhamdulillah, thanks to the efforts of parents, educators and our Ulama, Muslims have a greater awareness of Halaal/Haraam issues than ever before. While no Muslim deliberately sets out to destroy his Ibaadah and negate his Salvation by consumption of Haraam, there is the reality of doubtful or unlawful ingredients hidden in many products.

What happens at abattoirs slaughtering Halaal is well governed with the required supervision, regular audits, and inspections by State Veterinarians, officials of Muslim importing countries and even the occasional undercover journalist. However, just how little is known about the food that is on our supermarket shelves, in boxes, cans and bottles, which has been processed to make it more convenient and ready to eat. Some three thousand substances and several thousand more compounds and combinations can be used during processing, packaging and storing. With widespread use of additives and “*incomprehensible*” labelling jargon, it is impossible for any one person of the supply chain to give you comfort and Halaal assurance. Our team of experienced analysts and Shar’iah experts take the guesswork out of the equation for your peace of mind. For more than 25 years, SANHA has been your dedicated service provider keeping you informed of Haraam and Halaal products.

As we enter Muharram, the first month of the new Islamic year, we remind ourselves, that key and central to the acceptance of Ibaadah and eternal salvation is abstention from Haraam as expounded in the Quraan and the Sunnah. Abstention from Haraam begins with what you eat. In implementing the Sunnah of Rasulullah *sallallahu alayhi wa sallam*, we should expand our spend on family and dependent members on the blessed day of Aashuraa. Let us ensure that all we purchase and gift is 100% Halaal.

May Allah Ta’ala accept our Ibaadah, grant Barakah in our sustenance and favour us with purity of soul and proximity to His Divine Being.

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