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## Strengthening Food Safety Culture to Benefit Your Business

**Food safety culture** is a set of food safety values, attitudes and practices shared by all employees within a food business, so food is produced in the safest possible manner.



Read how food safety culture can benefit your business and how PrimeSafe can support you [here](#).

*Food safety is everybody's business!*

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## Changes to Allergen Labelling

On 25 February 2021, The Australia New Zealand Food Standards Code was amended to introduce new requirements for labelling of allergens.



Read more about the changes [here](#).

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## Harvesting Kangaroo for Human Consumption

From 28 January 2021, kangaroo can be harvested in Victoria for human consumption, provided it is processed at PrimeSafe licensed game meat processing facility.



Read more about the regulations of harvesting kangaroos [here](#).

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## PrimeSafe Licences and Information are Online

PrimeSafe licences are moving online, with PrimeSafe launching an online Licence Portal. PrimeSafe will initially concentrate on supporting the licensees who need to renew their licences before 30 June 2021, to ensure they can start using the PrimeSafe Licence Portal at this renewal.



PrimeSafe Licence Portal

Read more about the PrimeSafe Licence Portal [here](#).

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## Reminder for Licence Renewals

The following licence categories are required to be renewed before 30 June 2021:

- Meat Transport Vehicle
- Abattoir
- Further Meat Processing Facility
- Poultry Processing Facility
- Prime Tallow Processing Facility
- Inedible Rendering Facility
- Pet Meat Processing Facility
- Pet Food Establishment
- Meat Inspectors

Note: This year Meat Transport Vehicles **must** be inspected at designated locations (not at the PrimeSafe office).

Read more about renewing your licence [here](#).

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## COVID-19 Update

The Victorian Department of Health has asked PrimeSafe to pass on this important information about booking an appointment for the COVID-19 vaccination. Meat, poultry and seafood processing and associated cold chain storage and transport are a priority industry for vaccination. As a priority worker, you can make an appointment right NOW by calling **1800 675 398**. For further information please go to [coronavirus.vic.gov.au/vaccine](https://coronavirus.vic.gov.au/vaccine)

**Time to renew  
your licence.**



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of Health

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## How do I contact PrimeSafe?

For licensing, information support or compliance enquiries, you can contact PrimeSafe by:

- **Phone** (03) 9685 7333
- **Email** [info@primesafe.vic.gov.au](mailto:info@primesafe.vic.gov.au)
- **Online** [About the PrimeSafe Licence Portal](#)

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