

# PRODUCT RECALL INFORMATION NOTICE

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## Fold Hill Foods recall several cat food products because of safety concerns

Fold Hill Foods is taking the precautionary action of recalling several hypoallergenic cat food products because of safety concerns.

#### **Product details:**

Product	Pack size	Best before dates end	Batch codes	Site Code
Applaws Cat Dry Chicken	400g, 2kg and 7.5kg	December 2022 to June 2023	NA	GB218E5009
Applaws Cat Dry Chicken & Salmon	400g, 2kg and 7.5kg	December 2022 to June 2023	NA	GB218E5009
Applaws Kitten Dry Chicken	400g, 2kg and 7.5kg	December 2022 to June 2023	NA	GB218E5009
Applaws Cat Dry Chicken & Lamb	400g, 2kg and 7.5kg	December 2022 to June 2023	NA	GB218E5009
Applaws Cat Dry Chicken & Duck	400g, 2kg and 7.5kg	December 2022 to June 2023	NA	GB218E5009
Applaws Cat Dry Ocean Fish	350g, 1.8kg and 6kg	December 2022 to June 2023	NA	GB218E5009
Applaws Cat Dry Senior Chicken	400g, 2kg and 7.5kg	December 2022 to June 2023	NA	GB218E5009
Product	Pack size	Best before dates	Batch codes	Site Code

AVA Kitten Chicken	300g and	All date	All batch	NA
	2kg	codes	codes	
AVA Adult Chicken	300g, 2kg	All date	All batch	NA
	and 4kg	codes	codes	
AVA Adult Fish	2kg	All date	All batch	NA
		codes	codes	
AVA Adult Mature Chicken 7+	2kg and 4kg	All date	All batch	NA
		codes	codes	
AVA Senior Chicken 12+	2kg	All date	All batch	NA
		codes	codes	
AVA Sensitive Skin & Stomach	1.5kg	All date	All batch	NA
		codes	codes	
AVA Weight Management	1.5kg	All date	All batch	NA
		codes	codes	
AVA Hairball	1.5kg	All date	All batch	NA
		codes	codes	
AVA Oral Care	1.5kg	All date	All batch	NA
		codes	codes	
AVA British Shorthair	1.5kg	All date	All batch	NA
		codes	codes	
AVA Persian	1.5kg	All date	All batch	NA
		codes	codes	
AVA Maine Coon	1.5kg	All date	All batch	NA
		codes	codes	
by Sainsbury's Hypoallergenic	800g	All date	All batch	NA
Recipe complete dry cat food		codes	codes	
with Salmon 1+ Years				
by Sainsbury's Hypoallergenic	800g	All date	All batch	NA
Recipe complete dry cat food		codes	codes	
with Chicken 1+ Years				

#### No other Fold Hill Food products are known to be affected

**Risk:** There is concern on the safety of the products listed above. There has been an increase in cases of pancytopenia in cats and there is a possible link to the cat food products listed above. Pancytopenia is a very rare condition wherein the number of blood cells (red, white and platelets) rapidly decreases, causing serious illness.

#### Our advice to consumers:

If you have bought any of the above products you should stop feeding them to your cat. If you have bought an AVA product contact <a href="www.petsathome.com">www.petsathome.com</a> and fill out the contact form on the help page or livechat. If you have bought an Applaws product contact <a href="www.applaws.com/uk/contact-us">www.applaws.com/uk/contact-us</a>. If you have bought a Sainsbury's product contact <a href="www.sainsburys.co.uk/help">www.sainsburys.co.uk/help</a> or their Customer Careline on 0800 636262. If cat owners are concerned about the health of their pet then they should seek immediate advice from their vet.

#### Action taken by the company:

Fold Hill Foods is recalling the above products. Point of sale notices will be displayed in all retail stores that are selling these products. These notices explain to customers why the

products are being recalled and tell them what to do if they have bought the product. Please see the attached notices.

### ENQUIRIES ABOUT THE CONTENT OF THIS PRODUCT RECALL INFORMATION NOTICE SHOULD BE ADDRESSED TO:

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