

**EDITORIAL COMMENTS FORM**

<b>EDITORIAL COMMENT'S on revised paper (if any)</b>	<b>Authors' response to editor's comments</b>
<p>The need for a baseline of when the contamination is sufficient to produce infections/symptoms is an essential baseline value. This manuscript does not give any indication that the product is responsible for disease outbreaks. What is the level necessary for this to occur? Does the population have a high tolerance for these contaminants?</p> <p>I would request that this type of information is included in the introduction before publication.</p>	<p>There are no standards for this type of little-known product. However, to comply with the wishes of the editors, we have interpreted the data according to the permitted limits for ready-to-eat foods.</p>