

#### SCOPE OF ACCREDITATION TO ISO/IEC 17043:2010

### CHERNEY MICROBIOLOGICAL SERVICES, LTD. A WHOLLY OWNED SUBSIDIARY OF MATRIX SCIENCES INTERNATIONAL, INC.

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#### PROFICIENCY TESTING PROVIDER

Valid To: April 30, 2022 Certificate Number: 2986.02

In recognition of the successful completion of the A2LA evaluation process, this Proficiency Testing Provider has been found to meet the ISO/IEC 17043:2010, "Conformity assessment - General Requirements for Proficiency Testing". Accreditation is granted to this organization to provide proficiency testing samples in the following analyte/matrix combinations:

SUB-DISCIPLINE / SAMPLE TYPE	TYPE OF TEST	PROPERTIES MEASURED <sup>1</sup>	MATRIX	FREQUENCY
Food Chemistry – Semi Hard Cheese	Analytical	Butterfat % Moisture % pH Protein % Salt %	Ground Mild Cheddar or Colby cheese	Quarterly
Food Chemistry – Pasta Filata Cheese	Analytical	Butterfat % Moisture % pH Protein % Salt %	Ground Provolone or Mozzarella cheese	Quarterly
Food Chemistry – Hard Cheese	Analytical	Butterfat % Moisture % pH Protein % Salt %	Ground Parmesan or Romano cheese	Quarterly

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Food Microbiology – Basic Microbiology	Microbiological	Aerobic Plate Count Enterobacteriaceae Count Total Coliform Count Combined Yeast and Mold Count E.coli Count S.aureus Count	Rehydrated mashed potato	Quarterly
Food Chemistry and Microbiology - Dry Whey	Analytical & Microbiological	Ash % Fat % Moisture % pH Protein % Scorched Particles² Titratable Acidity Aerobic Plate Count Enterobacteriaceae Count Total Coliform Count Combined Yeast and Mold Count	Rehydrated mashed potato and whey powder	Quarterly

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Assigned values and associated uncertainties are determined by consensus values from participants. <sup>2</sup> Results are not evaluated. Participant values are listed for interlaboratory comparison.





## **Accredited Proficiency Testing Provider**

A2LA has accredited

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This accreditation covers the specific proficiency testing schemes listed on the agreed upon Scope of Accreditation.

This provider is accredited in accordance with the recognized International Standard ISO/IEC 17043: 2010

Conformity assessment - General requirements for proficiency testing. This accreditation demonstrates technical competence for a defined scope and the operation of a quality management system.



Presented this 26th day of July 2018.

Vice President, Accreditation Services
For the Accreditation Council
Certificate Number 2986.02

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For the proficiency testing schemes to which this accreditation applies, please refer to the provider's Scope of Accreditation.