#### MARKET APPLICATION FORM

Please note that a complete application is not a guarantee of a place and that priority is given to artisans (if cold food) and start-up companies

# TRADER DETAILS

Market applied for: DOYS Market
Name:
Email address:
Postal address:
Phone number:
Your social media platforms:
Company name:
Company address:
Name of the local authority your food business is registered with:
Items that you will be selling at the market:
Documentation check list:
1. Public Liability Insurance
2. Proof of Food Business Registration with your local authority
3. The latest inspection rating of the premises where you prepare/store your food

- 4. Food Hygiene Certificate
- 5. If using electric equipment, it must be EC marked and PAT tested (please note that currently we do not provide electricity)
- 6. If using gas equipment, we require your in-date gas safety certificate
- 7. Risk Assessment

# New Food Legislation of 13/12/14- please state clearly which of the 14 major allergens your food contains.

We require that you keep at your stall/gazebo an Allergen Alert sign whether or not your food contains any allergen

Please let us know if you require any information in acquiring the above documentation

Can you provide your own unbranded gazebo of max. 3m x 3m in dimensions?

Please state if you are an independent business and earn more than half of your income from trading (or are working towards this)

How would you describe your business- please choose 'big', 'small' or 'micro'

We would be grateful if you could provide a passport-size photo of yourself

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# **Sustainable Market**

We are in the process of reducing and eliminating the single-use plastic at this market. Below are some guidelines for you to follow.

## Sustainable Packaging: Guidance for Market Traders

### **Defining Terms**

- **Recyclable** materials can be reprocessed into new products, when they are separated and processed accordingly.
- *Compostable* packaging is developed to break down within 6-12 weeks in specific industrial facilities with very high temperatures (there are only 3 plants in the UK which commercially compost materials). Good quality compostable packaging is tested, certified and complies with BS EN 13432.
- *Biodegradable* materials will break down naturally but in an unspecified timeframe (years). 'Biodegradable' products are not certified or regulated e.g. cutlery that is 70% organic material and 30% plastic can be sold as 'biodegradable'.

## **Waste Management**

Consumer waste at DOYS Market is incinerated to generate energy. No waste is sent to landfill. Recycling is challenging because of high levels of contamination and lack of public willingness to separate items, but we will explore different bins and signage to assist this.

#### **Materials to Avoid**

- Foamed polystyrene: cannot be recycled, polluting to incinerate
- **PET** (plastic derived from crude oil): will be recycled if rinsed from food contamination and disposed of in recycling bin. In Market environment, will be incinerated and emits pollutants
- **RPET** (1%-100% recycled PET): will be recycled if rinsed from food contamination and disposed of in recycling bin. In Market environment, will be incinerated and emits pollutants
- "Biodegradable" materials: unregulated term which could still contain high levels of PET

## **Alternatives to Plastic**

- *Bagasse* (sugar cane): could be composted if separated and sent to composting facility. In Market environment, will be incinerated for energy but does not emit pollutants
- *NatureFlex* (derived from renewable wood pulp): could be composted if separated and sent to composting facility. In Market environment, will be incinerated for energy but does not emit pollutants
- *PLA bioplastic* (renewable organic matter such as cornstarch or vegetable fat): could be composted if separated and sent to composting facility. In Market environment, will be incinerated for energy but does not emit pollutants
- *Wood* (beech or bamboo): must be FSC certified and untreated. Could be recycled or composted if separated, but in Market environment will be incinerated for energy. Does not emit pollutants when incinerated

Please sign to complete your application form	
Signed:	
Date:	