To our customers

Bean Stalk Snow Co., Ltd.

Regarding Halal Certification for Snow Brand Bean Stalk Sukoyaka M1 (Infant Formula) and Tsuyoiko (Follow-Up Formula)

- 1. The infant formula "Bean Stalk Sukoyaka M1" and the follow-up formula "Bean Stalk Tsuyoiko" have not received Halal certification.
- 2. These products do not contain any ingredients derived from pork, chicken, or beef, nor do they contain alcohol. Moreover, there is no possibility of such substances being introduced during our manufacturing process. (Please note that the taurine (an amino acid) contained in Sukoyaka is derived from bovine bile.)
- 3. However, some of the raw materials used in our products undergo several processing stages before reaching the final manufacturing phase. These materials are sourced from multiple suppliers, so there is a possibility of indirect use or contact with substances derived from pork, chicken, or beef, as well as alcohol during the processing stages. Specifically, this may include enzymes used by raw material manufacturers during production, alcohol used for ingredient extraction, or alcohol used for sanitization. While such substances are not present in the final product, we cannot completely rule out the possibility that raw materials may come into temporary contact with substances derived from pork, chicken, beef, or alcohol at some stage in the supply chain.