Associations Endorsing the Foodservice GS1 US Standards Initiative

**International Foodservice Manufacturers Association (IFMA)**
IFMA is a leading trade association comprising more than 400 of the world’s most prestigious food, equipment and supply manufacturers in the $558 billion foodservice industry, as well as related marketing service organizations, foodservice trade publications, distributors and brokers. IFMA’s mission is to shape the future of foodservice by creating an environment for positive change and actionable solutions benefiting manufacturers and their foodservice channel partners.

[www.ifmaworld.com](http://www.ifmaworld.com)

**International Foodservice Distributors Association (IFDA)**
When U.S. consumers sit down to eat in one of the nation’s nearly one million foodservice locations, the food on the plate—and possibly the plate and tableware—has been brought there by a foodservice distributor. IFDA is the leading trade association representing foodservice distributors throughout the United States and internationally. IFDA’s members include broadline, systems, and specialty foodservice distributors that supply food and related products to restaurants and other food away from home foodservice operations. IFDA members operate more than 700 distribution facilities representing more than $110 billion in annual sales. For more information, visit [www.ifdaonline.org](http://www.ifdaonline.org).

**About National Restaurant Association**
Founded in 1919, the National Restaurant Association is the leading business association for the restaurant industry, which is comprised of 945,000 restaurant and foodservice outlets and a work force of 13 million employees. Together with the National Restaurant Association Educational Foundation, the Association works to lead America’s restaurant industry into a new era of prosperity, prominence, and participation, enhancing the quality of life for all we serve.

[www.restaurant.org](http://www.restaurant.org)