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Kashrus Guidance on Beer for UK Kehillos

We welcome the recent initiative by leading U.S. Kashrus organisations to prohibit uncertified beer in certified establishments and events. This important measure raises awareness of Kashrus issues that may be associated even with beverages that may appear to present no concerns and highlights the fact that product information can become outdated in rapidly changing commercial settings. The initiative will also encourage the market to increase the availability of Kosher-certified products.

In the UK and European context, where the risk at major breweries is lower than in the USA, we wish to clarify our position for our Kehillos:

✅ Permitted ✅:

- Unflavoured beer brewed by large national breweries may be used.

⚠️ NOT RECOMMENDED / SHOULD BE AVOIDED ⚠️:

- *Flavoured beer* – these often contain complex ingredients and additives that require reliable Kosher supervision.
- *Stout* – these products may contain lactose and are considered dairy (cholov akum).
- *Beer from micro or craft breweries* – due to the possibility that non-kosher ingredients are used on equipment in these facilities, it should only be accepted if produced under reliable Hashgochoh.

If you are unsure of the status of a specific beer, please contact us at info@kfkosher.org

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