# PRIMAL SPECIFICATION

**DESCRIPTION** Centre Cut Beef Bones

**ORIGIN** Sourced from British cattle only

#### **BUTCHERY**

- 1. The main hindquarter bone (Femur) is removed from the hindquarter during butchery (Picture 1)
- 2. Pass both ends of the bone through a bandsaw at the point where the centre cut ends (Picture 2)
- 3. Ensure that any excess bone dust has been removed from both ends (Picture 3)







Picture 1 Picture 2 Picture 3

**WEIGHT RANGE** Total Case Weight 25KG

## LABELLING & TRACEABILITY: Each box must be labelled with the following information

Product Name	Batch Code	
Supplier Name	Country of Origin - UK	
Supplier's Health Mark	Slaughtered In – UK	
Kill Date	Cut in – UK	
Pack Date	Best Before Date = (Pack Date + 730 Days)	
Freeze Date	Storage Conditions	

## **METAL DETECTION**

All cases to be checked with a metal detector capable of detecting 6.00mm ferrous, 6.00mm non-ferrous and 8.00mm stainless steel spheres at the centre of each case of meat.

## **TEMPERATURE**

Product to be blast frozen on same day as de-boned from carcase for minimum of 36 hours or until product achieves a temperature of -18°C. Product must be stored frozen at -18°C

#### **MICROBIOLOGICAL STANDARDS**

	Target Range	Rejectable Level
Total Viable Count	<500,000 cfu/g	>5,000,000 cfu/g
Coliforms	<500 cfu/g	>5,000 cfu/g
E. coli	<50 cfu/g	>500 cfu/g
S.aureus	<50 cfu/g	>1,000 cfu/g
E. coli 0157	Negative in 25g	Positive in 25g
Salmonella	Negative in 25g	Positive in 25g