

The following products are affected by this Alert:

<b>Brand</b>	<b>Product</b>	<b>Size</b>	<b>UPC</b>	<b>Code</b>
<b>The Gourmet</b>	Meat Shoppe Big & Juicy Burger	1.13 kg	0 58200 10650 3	BEST BEFORE 2013 AU 14 EST 752
<b>The Gourmet</b>	Meat Shoppe Prime Rib Burger	907 g	0 58200 10733 3	BEST BEFORE 2013 AU 14 EST 752
<b>The Butcher's Cut</b>	Pure Beef Patties 10 Patties	1.13 kg	0 58200 21604 2	BEST BEFORE 2013 AU 14 EST 752
<b>The Butcher's Cut</b>	Pure Beef Patties 20 Patties	2.27 kg	0 58200 21592 2	BEST BEFORE 2013 AU 14 EST 752
<b>The Butcher's Cut</b>	Pure Beef Patties 40 Patties	4.45 kg	0 58200 21594 6	BEST BEFORE 2013 AU 14 EST 752

These products have been distributed in Ontario, Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Alberta, British Columbia and Northwest Territories. Canada Safeway Limited, Calgary, Alberta, is voluntarily recalling the affected products from the marketplace. The CFIA is monitoring the effectiveness of the recall.

This recall is the result of *E. coli* O157:H7 product testing by the CFIA related to an ongoing outbreak investigation. The CFIA is currently conducting a food safety investigation at the producing facility to determine if any additional products may be affected.

Food contaminated with *E. coli* O157:H7 may not look or smell spoiled. Consumption of food contaminated with these bacteria may cause serious and potentially life-threatening illnesses. Symptoms include severe abdominal pain and bloody diarrhoea. Some people may have seizures or strokes and some may need blood transfusions and kidney dialysis. Others may live with permanent kidney damage. In severe cases of illness, people may die.

For more information, consumers and industry can call one of the following numbers:

Canada Safeway Limited at (403) 730-3511;

CFIA at 1-800-442-2342 / TTY 1-800-465-7735 (8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. Eastern time, Monday to Friday).

For information on [E. coli O157:H7](http://www.inspection.gc.ca/english/fssa/concen/cause/ecolie.shtml), visit the Food Facts web page at: <http://www.inspection.gc.ca/english/fssa/concen/cause/ecolie.shtml>

For information on all food recalls, [visit the CFIA 's Food Recall Report](http://active.inspection.gc.ca/eng/corp/reclarapp_dbe.asp) at: [http://active.inspection.gc.ca/eng/corp/reclarapp\\_dbe.asp](http://active.inspection.gc.ca/eng/corp/reclarapp_dbe.asp).

To find out more about receiving recalls by e-mail, and other [food safety facts](http://www.foodsafety.gc.ca), visit: [www.foodsafety.gc.ca](http://www.foodsafety.gc.ca). [Food and consumer product recalls](http://www.healthycanadians.gc.ca) are also available at <http://www.healthycanadians.gc.ca>.