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## **Montreal Kosher Updates and OU News**

### **November 9, 2023 – MK Canadian Yoshon Updates**

One each for establishments and products. The Direct Download Links are below:

Products Update:

<https://yoshon.com/wp-content/uploads/2023/11/MKYoshonProductList-11-9-23.pdf>

Establishments Update:

<https://yoshon.com/wp-content/uploads/2023/11/MKYoshonEstablishmentUpdate11-9-2023.pdf>

(Source: Montreal Kosher)



### **November 9, 2023 – Clarification on Discrepancies**

The known discrepancies between the Guide and our information are due to two entirely different methods of reporting. Our information comes directly from the certifying agencies and the companies that oversee the mills and productions. Project Chodosh derives their information for the Guide from general estimates on crop data. We are no longer basing our information on this. We hope this clarifies the reasons behind the differences.

(Source: TYNI)



### **November 8, 2023 – OU Kosher Adds Two New Options to Consumer Product Search Website**

The following article is from the OU:

“Dairy Equipment and Yoshon Categories Offered in Response to Community Requests

Of the hundreds of weekly queries OU (Orthodox Union) Kosher fields from consumers via its Kosher Hotline and Webbe Rebbe forum, the most popular centers on Oreo cookies.

‘The most frequently asked shaila in America is whether Oreos are dairy, pareve, or simply made with dairy equipment,’ says OU Kosher Chief Executive Officer Rabbi Menachem Genack. ‘While some Oreos are dairy, others are in fact pareve. But they are all marked OU-D in order to enable the manufacturers to change the formula, should they wish, without having to incur the tremendous costs of altering product labels.’

The Oreo question is particularly meaningful to people who observe Cholov Yisroel, live in smaller Jewish communities devoid of pareve food options, have milk allergies, or simply wish to indulge in these treats following a meat meal....”

To read the full article, use this link:

<https://oukosher.org/blog/feature/ou-kosher-adds-two-new-options-to-consumer-product-search-website/>

(Source: OU)

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The TYNI Staff

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