

# Participant Consent Form

Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Participant No.: \_\_\_\_\_

## INFORMED CONSENT FORM

Title of the Project: UK Food supply chain and drought risk (Historic Droughts and MaRIUS)

Name of the Researcher: Dolores Rey

1. I confirm that I have been informed about the aim and objectives of this research project agreed to give my inputs.
2. I understand that all personal information that I provide will be treated with the strictest confidence and my name will not be used in any report, publication or presentation and I have been provided with a participant number to ensure that all raw data remains anonymous.
3. I understand that although the information I provide will be used by Cranfield University for research purposes, it will not be possible to identify any specific individual from the data reported as a result of this research.
4. I understand that the recording of the interview will be only used for research purposes. The transcripts of the interview may be archived in the Cranfield Collection of E-Research. All personal data and sensitive/confidential information will be removed beforehand.
5. I understand that the data collected will only be used for research purposes of the said project. The results will be written up as project report and/or published in scientific journals. I further understand that my raw data will be accessible only to the researcher and the supervising staff at Cranfield University.
6. I understand that I am free to withdraw from this project at any stage during the session simply by informing a member of the research team, for whom contact details have been provided. I also understand that I can also withdraw my data for a period of up to 7 days from today, as after this time it will not be possible to identify my individual data from the aggregated results.

Participant's signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Participant's name: \_\_\_\_\_

Researcher's signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_