

Dear Chief Executive,

Re: Back Britain's farmers with a 'Buy British' button

We the undersigned, call on supermarkets across the United Kingdom to highlight the very best of British produce by incorporating a 'Buy British' section on online stores.

Our ask is simple, to create a tab that collates produce from farmers across Great Britain and Northern Ireland. By a click of the mouse, many supermarkets can achieve this.

We know supermarkets are keen to support British farmers. This small change on your online stores would make a big difference in demonstrating this commitment.

Many shops in the UK already sell and label British produce, from fruit and vegetables to grains, dairy items, potatoes, fish and meat. All we're asking is that on your online stores, these items are collated so that customers who want to eat British produce and support our nation's farmers can do so quickly and easily.

We hear time and time again from farmers themselves that the best way to support them is to buy British produce. By signposting shoppers, you give consumers who want to support our nation's farmers even greater choice.

British farmers work hard all year round to ensure our nation's food security, are crucial in supporting strong local economies and have been instrumental in preserving and protecting our environment. Eating food produced in the UK also drastically cuts down on the carbon produced when importing goods from elsewhere.

We appreciate that seasons dictate what produce is available across your stores and don't want to tell people what to put on their shopping list. But by implementing this small change, you would give customers greater autonomy over their food choices and make eating seasonally even easier for those who wish to do so.

A 'Buy British' button on your online store would give customers greater power in their choices, while recognising British farmers and putting supermarkets as the critical link between the two.

Yours sincerely,

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