



Travel restrictions impact airline caterers

As with many other aspects of the aviation industry, airline caterers have been hugely impacted by the travel restrictions imposed as a result of COVID-19.

Case Study - Airline Caterers

Problem:

Current restrictions on international travel meant that an airline caterer had out-of-date stock in their warehouse which required disposing of in a secure, zero-landfill way.

Solution:

As a specialist food waste recycling company VeriGreen were able to offer a financially and environmentally efficient solution to the problem.

- The packaged food waste was collected from the caterer's warehouse.

- It was taken to our Kent based AD plant where the stock was de-packaged and processed.
- The waste was processed to create green energy to power local homes and businesses.
- The nutrient rich bio-fertiliser produced as part of the AD process will be used by local farmers to enhance growth of crops on their land.
- We confirmed by certificate that the material had been securely destroyed.
- As the food was re-purposed the customer saved 30% compared to the cost of sending waste to landfill.*



"I enjoy developing long-term relationships with my customers and creating innovative and sustainable solutions to their problems. I am excited about the environmental sustainability of recycling and growing the business with my team."

Martin Heathcote, Managing Director

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* cost reduction varies on a case by case basis