

Food Empire Named “Leadership For Good” Champion for second straight year at Brands For Good Awards 2026

Recognition affirms the Group’s commitment to purpose-led leadership across its international operations



Mr Tan Wang Cheow (centre), Executive Chairman of Food Empire Holdings Limited, accepting the Leadership for Good Champion Award on behalf of the Group.

SINGAPORE – 23 July 2026 – In recognition of its contribution to society and its efforts to elevate communities, Food Empire Holdings Limited (“**Food Empire**”, together with its subsidiaries, the “**Group**”) has been named “Champion” in the Leadership For Good category at the Brands For Good Awards 2026, organised by Brands For Good. This is the second time the Group has been named “Champion”, having first received the recognition in 2025.

The Brands For Good Awards 2026 was graced by Mr Desmond Tan Kok Ming, Senior Minister of State in the Prime Minister's Office and Deputy Secretary-General of the National Trades Union Congress (NTUC), as Guest of Honour. Now in its ninth year, the awards celebrate businesses across Asia that integrate purpose with profit. This year’s edition drew approximately 110 nominated brands from more than 25 countries, reflecting a growing regional movement of purpose-led businesses shaping impact beyond profit.

The Leadership For Good category recognises purpose-driven brands, companies and individuals that have demonstrated industry and ethical leadership in achieving impact goals and driving social change. Food Empire's recognition follows a rigorous, independent evaluation process, with its submission noted for demonstrating notable strengths across leadership, organisational excellence, brand impact, and social and environmental contribution.

Food Empire's Executive Chairman, Mr Tan Wang Cheow, said: *"This recognition reflects the values that have guided Food Empire since our founding – that doing right by our people, our communities and the markets we operate in is inseparable from doing well as a business. We are honoured to be recognised alongside other purpose-led brands from across the region, and we remain committed to embedding this leadership philosophy across our operations in over 60 countries."*

Food Empire's social contributions have also been noticed by other organisations. Most recently, the Group was included as one of the "Companies of Good" at the Company of Good Conferment 2025 in July 2025 organised by the National Volunteer & Philanthropy Centre.

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About Food Empire Holdings Limited (Bloomberg Code: FEH:SP)

SGX Mainboard-listed Food Empire Holdings ("**Food Empire**" or together with its subsidiaries, the "**Group**") is a multinational food and beverage manufacturing and distribution group headquartered in Singapore. The Group's primary business is instant coffee beverages, which is retailed under its flagship and award-winning MacCoffee and CaféPHŌ brands.

Anchored by strong market-leading brands and an extensive distribution network, Food Empire's reach extends to more than 60 countries across Russia, Southeast Asia, Central Asia, South Asia, Europe, Middle East and North America. The Group's growing branded consumer business is supported by a vertically integrated business model that comprises 10 manufacturing facilities in 6 countries and 23 offices worldwide.

Besides instant coffee, Food Empire offers a range of other beverages such as tea and hot chocolate under its family of proprietary brands including Petrovskaya Sloboda, Klassno and Hillway. The Group is also involved in the snack manufacturing and distribution business under its Kracks and Chizzpa brands.

For business excellence, Food Empire has been named thrice by Forbes Asia as one of the "Best Under a Billion" companies. The Group was listed in Fortune magazine's Fortune Southeast Asia 500 list in 2025 and 2026, joining the ranks of the region's largest 500 companies by revenue. In the Edge Singapore Billion Dollar Club Awards 2025, Food Empire achieved a prestigious haul of five awards,



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including the top honour of “Company of the Year” in the special Centurion category. In 2020/2021, Food Empire was named Winner of The Enterprise Award at the Singapore Business Awards.

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