

## **Head of Science & Innovation – Beverages**

Full time opportunity

Freedom Foods Group Limited is an ASX listed innovative FMCG company that has a mission to create quality, on-trend, great-tasting, responsibly Australian produced food and beverages. Food and beverages that people enjoy and feel good about.

We aim to continually innovate and re-imagine what is possible, to change the way the world eats for the better.

### **About the role**

Reporting to the Managing Director & CEO, your role will focus on identifying and driving the innovation strategy within our beverage portfolio. You will be responsible for taking innovation with the UHT facilities to a new level, identifying and formulating new strategies for product development and improvement.

Key responsibilities of the role will be:

- Working with senior management to identify and develop new ideas of innovation, and assisting with their implementation across the Company;
- Identifying innovation opportunities to fulfil the needs of the consumer;
- Formulate effective new ideas and strategies for product development, branding and business opportunities;
- Ensuring all areas of innovation are in line with the Company's strategy and brand message;
- Support product launch for UHT launches, in particular launches of pouring and whipping cream;
- Overseeing development of ambient yoghurt;
- Development of recipes and processing efficiencies to improve profitability;
- The optimisation and recommendation of suppliers and cost of production;
- Proactively explore innovation and development opportunities; and
- Providing insights and delivering results that contribute to the success and growth of the Company.

To be successful in this role you will be a high performer with a strong desire to drive outcomes and achieve success for the Company. You will have completed at minimum a Bachelor's Degree in Food Science and Technology coupled with at least 5 years' experience in a Head of Innovation role; within an FMCG environment.

Salary package will be discussed with the successful candidate. As a guide, the package is from \$200,000.

### **Application**

This is an excellent opportunity to join a growing, innovative and leading Health & Wellbeing food and beverage company.

If this role interests you, we would love to hear from you! Click the apply button and upload an up to date resume.