

Friday, September 08, 2017

Declaration of Compliance

To whom it may concern,

We, Zibo Containers (Pty) Ltd. declare that the raw materials used in the manufacturing of our products, will only be procured from suppliers assuring compliance to food safety standards, i.e. RSA Act 54/2007 and the EU 1935/2004 and 282/2008 regulations, by means of certificates of conformance of such raw materials supplied to us.

The Zibo Containers production facility has been successfully audited to the following standard,

- BRC/IOP Issue 5, effective 1st January 2016.

We apply the principles of HACCP in our operations, as evident in results from the application and maintenance of the Good Manufacturing Practices as well as the compliance to the Hygienic Design Guidelines (HDG) in the manufacturing process. This also assures that all food safety risks are assessed and addressed and that the required control measures are introduced to mitigate possible risks.

All PET polymer products conform to:

- EU Regulation 10/2011 as per our certificate of compliance issued by Smithers – Pira (2 May 2012) as per EU 1935/2004 specific migration requirements.
- Plastics Directives 2002/72/EC
- Commission Regulations 2023/2006 on good manufacturing practices for materials intended for direct food contact
- And may include food approved, post-consumer recycled PET, up to a maximum of 50% of total material blend, fully compliant with all the above

All HIPS & PP polymer products comply with:

- EU Regulation 10/2011 as per our certificate of compliance issued by Roediger Agency as per EU 1935/2004 specific migration requirements
- Plastics Directives 2002/72/EC
- Commission Regulations 2023/2006 on good manufacturing practices for materials intended to be used for direct food contact
- Approved raw material suppliers, products conforming to (EC)10/2011

Limitation: This declaration shall be deemed null and void, should our product be modified in any way or used in an environment that does not comply with good manufacturing practices for .food or food contact application by the end user.

Further to the above, we declare that none of our products contain any restricted substance as below scheduled:

- FCM, PVC, DIBP, PFOAS nor PFOS, BFDGE, NOGE, 4-Methylbenzophenone, Acrylamides, Triclosan, BADGE, BPA nor Semi-carbazides, Phenols, Phthalates, the orthophthalate, is not the same as Polyethylene Teraphthalate (PET)
- Heavy metals, i.e. lead, silver, nickel nor oxodegradable additives

In support of the above declaration Zibo Containers will not uplift or recall any product that has not been deemed out of compliance with our quality standards and policy.

Yours sincerely



Zibo Containers
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