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FOOD CONTACT CERTIFICATION

To: Whom it may concern,

We, Polinas Plastik Sanayii ve Ticareti A.S., hereby declare that the Tear Tape of the type(s):

POLISTRIP SKR & SGL

comply(ies) with the following food contact regulations:

- A. Commission Regulation 10/2011, that will be in force 1st May 2011,(See disclaimer below.)**
- B. Commission Directive 2002/72/EC and its successive amendments up to and including 2009/975/EC**
- C. Regulation 1935/2004**
- D. Regulation 2023/2006 EC**
- E. FDA Section 21 CFR Ch. 175.300 and 176.170**

Films were tested according to latest directives in the following simulant to obtain global migration values.

Olive Oil	10 days @ 40 °C
Distilled water	10 days @ 40 °C
3% acetic acid solution	10 days @ 40 °C
10% Ethyl alcohol solution	10 days @ 40 °C
Heptane	30 minutes @ 70 °F
Distilled water	24 hours @ 120 °F
10% Ethyl alcohol solution	24 hours @ 120 °F

All polymers and additives entering into the composition of above mentioned films appear in the positive list of products accepted for the fabrication of packaging materials intended for food contact, as published by the Food and Drug Administration (USA) FDA 21 CFR 177.1520(c)1.1a (Polyolefins)

The composition of our Tear tapes comply with the positive list of EC Plastics directive 2002/72/EC and its successive amendments up to and including 2009/975/EC

We declare that the raw materials used in the production of said Tear Tape(s), namely: PP /PE homopolymers, PP copolymers, PP terpolymers, and masterbatches, coating materials, adhesives do not contain heavy metals such as, and not limited to: cadmium, hexavalent chromium, lead, antimony, nickel, arsenic and mercury, as declared by the suppliers of the above mentioned raw materials.

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We also declare that neither the said heavy metals or their compounds are intentionally added during the production of the said Tear Tape(s), nor they are used, directly or indirectly, in the production process itself.

We declare that none of the ingredients used during the production of said films contain dual-use substance (Directive 2004/19/EC).

Any incidental amount of heavy metals contained does not exceed 100 ppm (by weight). For these reasons, we hereby declare that the said Tear Tapes(s) comply(ies) with the following regulations:

- a. CONEG**
- b. CEN Standard EN 71/3 and its successive amendments.**
- c. 1994/62/CE**

Moreover, we declare that the raw materials used in the production of said Tear Tapes(s) do not contain the following substances, as also declared by the relevant raw materials suppliers:

Natural Rubber Latex, Bisphenol A, BHT, BHA, Polychlorinated biphenyls, Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate, di(2-ethylhexyl) phthalate, 2-Ethylhexyl Acrylate, Polychlorinated naphthalates, n-butyl benzyl phthalate, Chlorinated Paraffins, Polybrominated biphenyls, Polybrominated diphenylethers, Organic Tin Compounds (tributyl or triphenyl tin), Asbestos, Azo Compounds, Formaldehyde, Mirex (perchloredecone), Alkyl Phenols – Octyl & Nonyl, Alkyl Phenol Ethoxylates, Octyl & Nonyl phthalates, Buthyl Benzyl Phthalate, Dibutyl Phthalate, Diethyl Hexyl Phthalate, CFC, HCFC, Pentachlorophenol, Triclosan, PVC, PVDC, Acrylamide, Dioxin etc, BADGE, BFGDE, NOGE, Melamine, Ammeline, TXIB , PCDD (polychloride dibenzo-p-dioxin), PCDF(polychloride dibenzo-p- furan), PCB (Polychloride biphenyl), HAP (Polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbon), SCCP (Chlorinated paraffin short chain), HCH (Hexachlorocyclohexane), Hexabromocyclododecane (HBCD), PCP (Pentachlorophenol), Semicarbazide, Adipates, ESBO (Epoxidised Soybean Oil), Cyanuric acid, Dimethylfumarate.

We also declare that neither the said substances are intentionally added during the production of the said Tear Tapes(s), nor are they used, directly or indirectly, in the production process itself.

We certify that during the production of these products, we do not use or intentionally incorporate into them, any of the chemicals as restricted by Chemical Lists of Proposition 65 of the State of California and subsequent amendments.

ROHS Regulation (2002/95/EC) stands for "Restriction of the use of certain hazardous substances in electrical and electronic equipment. Use of following substances are banned;

1. Lead
2. Mercury
3. Cadmium
4. Hexavalent chromium
5. PBB

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6. PBDE

Although Polinas is not serving for electronic and electrical industry, we hereby declare that our films do not contain the said heavy metals. We hereby declare that the raw materials that we are using do not contain said heavy metals and we do not intentionally add/use above mentioned heavy metals during our production process itself.

According to the information received from our suppliers the additives and PP homopolymers + terpolymers used for the production of said films do not contain any genetically modified organisms (GMO)

The following are not applicable to our products 1895/2005 EC (related with dioxine and dioxine related PCB's in the food chain)

Our film does not contain any allergic substances and we hereby confirm that our film complies with 2003/89 EC.

Polinas films are produced only from virgin resin and do not contain post-consumer recycled components, and no obligation exists under the EC 282/2008.

DISCLAIMER

- *As it is written in 10/2011, in force on 1 May 2011, it contains a grace period (till 31 December 2012) that allows the implementation of the correct analysis procedures. In most of the cases, as indicated in the notes of the 10/2011, the 2002/72 SML limits have still legal validity.*
- *Until 31 December 2012, the 10/2011 accepts the results of the old methods and implementation of the new ones will take place between 1 January 2013 and December 2015).*
- *The 10/2011 will be completed during the grace period, with a more detailed description of test conditions and methods; the specific type of simulant to be used for testing a specific packaged foodstuff will have also to be indicated. Due to this reason, it is impossible for the time being to set up a comprehensive set of SML analysis.*
- *The standard food packaging materials commercially supplied by POLINAS comply with all the EU food contact conformity legislation in force at the date of this disclaimer.*

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