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Dear customer,

In reply to your inquiry on food fraud prevention, food safety, ISO 22000, HACCP or SQF Code compliance, we can inform you as follows:

It is the interpretation of SABIC that food fraud prevention programs or food safety standards are relevant for the manufacturing and supply of food and articles used in food packaging and filling operations. SABIC is not a food producing, -processing, -supply, -service or -retail company and therefore not within the scope of any of these standards or programs, such as for example the Global Food Safety Initiative (GFSI), HACCP (Hazard Analysis and Critical Control Points) programs or the Safe Quality Food (SQF) Code.

SABIC is not a producer of food packaging, but a producer of plastic intermediate materials that, next to many other applications, could be used to produce food packaging. Therefore, SABIC has not implemented any food safety management systems such as FSSC / ISO 22000, BRC(GS) Global Standard for Food Safety, IFS Food standards or SQFI's Safe Quality Food (SQF) program. Our materials are formulated and manufactured in accordance with relevant requirements of various global food contact recommendations or regulations.

If needed we provide our customers with all relevant information they need to judge whether our raw materials enable them to make articles that are in compliance with the relevant regulations, standards or end market requirements. Especially in critical areas like food contact, pharmaceutical, toy or drinking water applications SABIC has declarations available for its materials specifying compliance conditions for use or handling. It is our policy to extend these declarations in such a way, that they give our customers more information about the recommended applications and possible restrictions of our materials. As these regulations or standards develop, our declarations are adapted accordingly.

We can also inform you that the production of our food contact materials complies with the requirements of EU Commission Regulation (EC) 2023/2006 (on Good Manufacturing Practice for materials and articles intended to come into contact with food). On the other hand we can assure you that SABIC as a responsible producer conducts its activities in such a manner (e.g. by good housekeeping) that they a.o. comply with applicable laws and our SABIC Corporate Requirements.

Please note carefully that Regulations develop continuously and that SABIC declarations may be adapted accordingly. This declaration replaces all previous versions relating to this subject and product, and will be valid for a period of 3 (three) years, after which it will automatically expire.

If you have any further questions, or require any additional information on the above, please use the "Contact Us" form on the SABIC website. After selecting the option "Products" and your product, choose "Regulatory" as option under "What is the nature of your inquiry". The form is available via https://www.sabic.com/en/contact.

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