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## **Food Safety Statement**

All our carton qualities comply with the latest BfR recommendation XXXVI "paper, cartons and carton board for food packaging" of the "Bundesinstitut für Risikobewertung", introduced in the 62nd notification, "Bundesgesundheitsblatt" 14 (1971) 83. The carton board qualities may stand in direct contact with dry and greasy foodstuffs and is intended to be used at temperatures up to  $90^{\circ}$  C.<sup>1</sup>

The qualities also comply with the latest demands of the Code of Federal Regulations, Food and Drugs (FDA), 21 CFR Ch. I, §176.170 (components of paper and paperboard in contact with aqueous and fatty foods) and §176.180 (components of paper and paperboard in contact with dry food).<sup>1</sup>

Our cartonboard qualities comply with the latest amendments of the Dutch Commodities Act Regulation on packaging and consumer articles, the "Warenwetregeling verpakkingen en gebruiksartikelen" (part A - generic rules and part B chapter II.1 – Paper and board for general use (to be used at temperatures up to 80°C)), effective as of April 1st 2014. Introduced in the "Staatscourant" nr. 8531 of March 27th, 2014 and established by the Minister of Health, Welfare and Sport, laying down the Dutch regulation on packagings and consumer articles coming into contact with foodstuffs.1

The provisions of regulation (EC) No. 1935/2004 of the European Parliament and the Council of 27 October 2004, as well as of regulation (EC) No. 2023/2006 of the European Parliament and the Council of 22 December 2006 concerning materials and articles, which are intended to be brought into contact with foods, are therewith fulfilled.

The processes and procedures in our mill are well established, controlled and measured by excellent quality management systems such as ISO 9001 (since 1995) and hygiene management system ISO 22000 (incl. HACCP). The risk management as well as the root-cause analysis are an essential part of our management systems and ensure a safe production of board for food applications.

<sup>1</sup> No comments are given on the technical suitability of the requisite concerned, this statement declares food safety and chemical suitability of the packaging.

Kind regards,

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