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CERTIFICATE

On request of : ASHLAND CHEMICAL HISPANIA, S.L SPAIN

Product Grade : EXXONMOBIL HMA016 (EX SAUDI ARABIA)

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* The composition of the base polymeric component(s) in the above polymer grade(s) complies with the positive lists for allowed monomers in Annex II of EC Directive 2002/72/EC - as amended up to EC Directive 2007/19/EC - (relating to plastics materials and articles intended to come in contact with foodstuffs).

- None of the monomers used is/are subject to a Specific Migration Limit (SML).

* The additives that may be present in the above polymer grade(s) comply with the incomplete list of additives in Annex III of EC Directive 2002/72/EC - as amended up to EC Directive 2007/19/EC - (relating to plastics materials and articles intended to come in contact with foodstuffs).

- None of the additives used is/are subject to a Specific Migration Limit (SML).

- The above polymer grade(s) does/do contain a/some additive(s) that is/are subject to a restriction in food as referred to in Article 1 point 7 (a) 1.(b) of EC Directive 2004/19/EC.

* The above polymer grade(s) complies/y with the relevant requirements of Regulation (EC) No 1935/2004 in as far as:

- the grade(s) is /are produced using Good Manufacturing Practice as required in article 3.1 of Regulation (EC) No 1935/2004 and meet the guidelines for Good Manufacturing Practice as specified in Regulation (EC)

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No 2023/2006 (on good manufacturing practice for materials and articles intended to come in contact with food).
- the production of the above grade(s) ensures traceability as required in article 17.1 of Regulation (EC) No 1935/2004.

See Note(s) : NRN520 NM0500 NG0500 NF400 NX0708

Note : NRN520

Specific restrictions:

- * Specific Migration Limit(s) ("SML's"): None
- * Other specific restrictions:
 - The above polymer grade(s) does/do contain a/some additive(s) that is/are subject to a restriction in food as referred to in Article 1 point 7 (a) 1.(b) of EC Directive 2004/19/EC.

Note : NM0500

(For information purposes only)

- Overall Migration Limit ("OML")

Finished plastics food-contact materials or articles, made from or containing this product as a component, need to comply with Overall Migration Limit ("OML") requirements - as specified in EC Directive 2002/72/EC - when tested on the food-contact surface with the appropriate food simulants and time/temperature test conditions. This is part of the responsibility of the user of this polymer product.

Indeed, - and in addition to the above compositional compliance status certification - appropriate overall migration ("OM") tests on the final material or article determine the regulatory suitability for contact with different food-types (aqueous, fat/oil, alcoholic, ...) and various end-use conditions (material or article thickness, pure or in blends, volume, contact time of packaging, temperature of use, etc...), which are beyond control of EXXONMOBIL CHEMICAL.

Note : NG0500

The manufacturer of food-contact materials and articles - made from or containing this polymer grade - must ascertain that these finished materials or articles meet the general regulatory requirement that they do not bring about an unacceptable change in the composition of the foodstuffs or a deterioration in the organoleptic characteristics thereof.

In addition, the finished food-contact material or article must be technically suitable for the intended use.

Note : NF400

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VALIDITY DATE:

This document is valid until the next change of relevant legislation with a maximum of one year as of the date of issue of the certificate.

Note : NX0708

Attachment-for information purpose only

This note contains information relative to the presence of additives subject to a restriction according to Directive 2002/72/EC - as amended -, as described in the Certificate to which it is attached.

Additive*	: Calcium Stearate
EC Ref. No*	: Salt of 89040
Maximum concentration*	: 900 ppm
Restriction*	: Dual use additive

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