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Subject: Certificate of conformity for AP 953

Hereby we confirm that the adhesive **AP 953** is certified through laboratory of ISEGA GmbH, Aschaffenburg (certified through DACH: DIN EN ISO / IEC 17025; DIN EN 45011) under the number 40931 U 15.

The adhesive is in compliance with the rules of the

Regulation (EC) N.1935/2004 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 27 October 2004 on materials and articles intended to come into contact with food and repealing Directives 80/590/EEC and 89/109/EEC, Official Journal of the European Union L 338/4 of 13.11.2004, modified by app. no. 5.17 of the regulation (EC) No 596/2009 of 18 June 2009, Official Journal of the European Union L 188 of 18 July 2009, article 3,

as well as of the

(Foodstuffs, Consumer Goods and Animal Feed Code (Foodstuffs, Consumer Goods and Animal Feed Code – LFGB) in the version of the notification of 3 June 2013 (BGBl. p. 1426), last amendment by article 2 of the law of 5 December 2014 (BGBl. I p. 1975), §§ 30 and 31),

as far as the adhesive is concerned.

Migration requirements of the

Commission Regulation (EU) No 10/2011 of 14 January 2011 on plastic materials and articles intended to come into contact with food, Official Journal of the European Union L 12/1 of 15 January 2011, last amendment by Commission Regulation (EU) No 2015/174 of 5 February 2015, Official Journal of the European Union L 30/2 of 6 February 2015,

are met by the samples coated with the adhesive grade for the purpose described.

Furthermore, the adhesive is in compliance with the

(German Recommendation XIV for the health-related evaluation of materials and objects for the contact with foodstuffs in the frame of the Foodstuffs and Animal Feed Code, 77th memorandum, Bundesgesundheitsblatt 15, 188 (1972), including the 217th memorandum, Bundesgesundheitsblatt 57, 1350-1351 (2014), state of 1 October 2014),

regarding the constituents subject to its field of application.



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Thus the demands of the

(EN ISO 3826-1 “Plastics Collapsible Containers for Human Blood and Blood Components – Part 1: Conventional containers”, state of 2013),

are met as far as the migration of substances from the adhesive which may have a negative impact on the blood is concerned.

Thus the adhesive **AP 953** according to the sample material submitted may be safely used for the reverse coating of labels for the labelling of foodstuffs. The adhesive layers of these may stand in direct contact with dry, moist and such kind of fatty foodstuffs which have a correction factor of at least 2 according to Annex III, Table 2 of the Regulation (EU) No. 10/2011.

In addition, the adhesive may be used for laminating various materials. In this case, the seams may safely come into direct contact with foodstuffs. It has to be assured that the migration limit values of the laminates are kept.

The certificate of conformity has a validity of 2 years and consist of 2 pages.

Best regards,

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