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pourSontara AG
Picassoplatz 8
4052 Basel
SwitzerlandProdukt
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Sontara® White and Turquoise

The products manufactured by the company mentioned above are nonwoven grades, which are employed in the manufacture of wipes used in the sector of the food preparation and processing industry.

They were examined by us according to the

"Methoden zur Untersuchung von Papieren, Kartons und Pappen für Lebensmittelverpackungen", Stand 2008, entsprechend der Vorschrift Nr. 80.56 in der Amtlichen Sammlung von Untersuchungsverfahren nach § 64 des Lebensmittel- und Futtermittelgesetzbuchs - LFGB,

("Methods for testing papers and boards for food packaging", state of 2008, corresponding to the method no. 80.56 within the Official Collection of Test Methods according to § 64 of the Foodstuffs and Animal Feed Code - LFGB),

for the used raw materials, fabrication additives and special paper finishing agents as well as for the release of substances which might endanger health.

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The products are in compliance with the rules of the

Regulation (EC) No 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

Lebensmittel-, Bedarfsgegenstände- und Futtermittelgesetzbuch (Lebensmittel- und Futtermittelgesetzbuch - LFGB) in der Fassung der Bekanntmachung vom 3. Juni 2013 (BGBl. I S. 1426), zuletzt geändert durch Artikel 1 des Gesetzes vom 30. Juni 2017 (BGBl. I S. 2147), §§ 30 und 31,

(Foodstuffs, Consumer Goods and Animal Feed Code (Foodstuffs and Animal Feed Code - LFGB) in the version of the notification of 3 June 2013 (BGBl. p. 1426), last amendment by article 1 of the act of 30 June 2017 (BGBl. I p. 2147), §§ 30 and 31),

and are approved according to the

BfR-Empfehlung XXXVI. Papiere, Kartons und Pappen für den Lebensmittelkontakt, neu-gefasst durch 62. Mitteilung, Bundesgesundheitsblatt 14 (1971) 83, zuletzt geändert durch 221. Mitteilung, Bundesgesundheitsblatt 61 (2018) 236, Stand vom 01.09.2017,

(BfR Recommendation XXXVI. Paper and board for food contact, recasted by 62nd Announcement, Bundesgesundheitsblatt 14 (1971) 83, last amended by 221st Announcement, Bundesgesundheitsblatt 61 (2018) 236, as of 1 September 2017),

as well as to the

Hinweisen zur Beurteilung von Hygienepapieren, Bundesgesundheitsblatt 39, 123 (1996), Stand vom März 2009,

(Guidelines for evaluating sanitary papers, Bundesgesundheitsblatt 39, 123 (1996), state of March 2009).

The employed plastic fibres meet the demands 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) 2018/831 of 5 June 2018, Official Journal of the European Union L 140/35 of 6 June 2018,

regarding the migration behaviour.

Thus the nonwoven grades **Sontara® White and Turquoise** according to the sample material submitted may be used safely for the manufacture of wipes used in the food preparation and processing sector. They may come into direct contact with foodstuffs as well as with the human skin and the mucous membranes for a short period of time.

This certificate of compliance has a validity of 2 years and consists of 4 pages.

Certification decision



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chemist



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