

## Ashworth Bros., Inc.

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## Declaration of Compliance for materials and articles intended to come into contact with food<sup>1</sup>

The manufacturer or his authorized representative:

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Declares that the product described below:

Advantage conveyor belts consisting of POM material which is colored (blue)

Complies with the relevant requirements as laid down in:

- Framework Regulation (EC) 1935/2004 (dated 27-10-2004).
- Commission Regulation No. (EU) 10/2011 amended by (EU) 1282/2011, (EU) 1183/2012 and (EU) 202/2014 on plastic materials and articles intended to come into contact with food

Has been manufactured in accordance with the relevant requirements of Commission Regulation (EC) No. 2023/2006 on good manufacturing practice for materials and articles intended to come into contact with food.

Adequate information related to the substances used or products of degradation thereof for which restrictions and/or specification are set out in Annex I and II to regulation EU 10/2011 (or other applicable regulations) to allow the downstream business operators to ensure compliance with those restrictions.

This material does not contain intentionally incorporated dual use additives which are subject to disclosure of adequate information as described in Annex VI of Regulation (EU) No 10/2011.

Migration tests of the above-mentioned product are performed according to the basic rules as set out in Regulation (EU) No 10/2011 and have shown that under these conditions of use migration limits where not exceeded:

- type of food intended to come in contact with material/article: All kinds of foodstuffs
- Shelf-life and material/article temperature: repeated use contact conditions for frozen conditions up to high temperature applications (max. 70 °C, short time)
- Possible treatment of material/article: Mild dish soap and water is the preferred method of wash down the belt before production
- Surface/volume ratio: 6 dm<sup>2</sup> contact area / 1 kg of food

Traceability of the product is ensured according to Regulation (EC) No. 1935/2004.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> 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 – Article 16.



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This Declaration of Compliance is valid for the product delivered by us as specified above.

The information included in this document is valid from stated version date until this document is superseded.

Because of possible changes in the underlying legislation and regulations, as well as possible changes in our products, we cannot guarantee that the status of this document will remain unchanged. We, therefore recommend our customers to verify the regulatory status periodically. It will be renewed in all cases where the previous conformity is no longer ensured.

The Commission Regulation (EU) 10/2011 provides a guideline for the selection of test conditions to be used for various food products. According to that and under considerations of the food contact stated, the product complies with the stipulations of this Regulation regarding the packaging of food products to be packed. The user shall verify himself that the product is suitable for the intended food to be packed beyond the stipulations of the Regulation.

Done at.

Place / Date: Winchester / 2<sup>nd</sup> July 2014

Signature:

Jonathan R Lasecki