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**UNBEDENKLICHKEITSERKLÄRUNG
CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE
CERTIFICAT DE CONFORMITE**eingetragen
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für
for
pourDrewsen Spezialpapiere GmbH & Co. KG
Georg-Drewsen-Weg 2
29331 Lachendorf
GermanyProdukt
Product
Produit

PROSTRAW Classic

The product manufactured by the company mentioned above is used for the manufacture of straws.

It was 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),

as well as to the specific requirements of the

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Guidelines of the Council of Europe on test conditions and methods of analysis for paper and board materials and articles intended to come into contact with foodstuffs, Technical Document no. 2, Version 3 of 14 November 2007,

and according to the demands of the

Code of Federal Regulations, Food and Drugs (FDA), 21 CFR Ch. I (1 April 2018 edition), § 176.170,

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

The paper grade is 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 24. April 2019 (BGBl. I S. 498), §§ 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 24 April 2019 (BGBl. I p. 498), §§ 30 and 31),

and is 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).

Additionally, the paper grade meets the requirements of the

Fiche MCDA n°4 (V02 – 01/01/2019) Aptitude au contact alimentaire des matériaux organiques à base de fibres végétales destinés à entrer en contact avec des denrées alimentaires,

(MCDA Sheet 4 (V02 - 01/01/2019) Food contact ability of organic materials based on plant fibres intended to come into contact with foodstuffs),

as well as the rules of the

Décret n° 2007-766 du 10 mai 2007 portant application du code de la consommation en ce qui concerne les matériaux et les objets destinés à entrer en contact avec les denrées, alimentaires, dernière modification par le décret n° 2011-385 du 14 avril 2011,

(Decree no. 2007-766 of 10 May 2007 regarding the application of the consumer law, which concerns materials and articles intended for food contact, last amendment by decree no. 2011-385 of 14 April 2011).

The demands of the

Resolution of the Council of Europe AP (2002) 1 on paper and board materials and articles intended to come into contact with foodstuffs of 18 September 2002,

are met by the paper grade. Instead of the not yet evaluated Technical Document 1 on constituents, the list of fabrication additives of the German Recommendation XXXVI was consulted.

Furthermore the paper grade is in compliance with the demands of the

Code of Federal Regulations, Food and Drugs (FDA), 21 CFR Ch. I (1 April 2018 edition), §§ 176.170 and 176.180.

Thus the paper grade **PROSTRAW Classic** according to the sample material submitted may be used safely for the manufacture of straws. The straws manufactured with it may be used safely as intended, as far as the mentioned paper grade is concerned.

This certificate of compliance has a validity of 2 years and consists of 4 pages. It was subsequently modified on 22 November 2019 and subsequently amended on 16 March 2021.

Certification decision



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(Höfert)

Officially certified
and authorized food
chemist

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Authorized expert for the analyses of packaging materials, attested by the Aschaffenburg Chamber of Industry and Commerce.

Expert autorisé pour l'analyse des matériaux d'emballage, assermenté par la Chambre d'Industrie et de Commerce d'Aschaffenburg.

State registered expert for the analysis of contrasting samples of packaging materials of paper, board, plastics, glass, tin plate and other metallic packaging materials as to their suitability for use with foodstuffs.

Expert public pour l'étude du contrôle des contre-échantillons d'emballages de papier, cartons, plastiques, verre, fer-blanc et d'autres emballages métalliques concernant leur conformité alimentaire.



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Die Rücklagen des untersuchten Materials werden bei der Gutachterstelle verwahrt.

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A file sample of the tested material is kept at the expert's office.

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