



## DECLARATION OF COMPLIANCE WITH THE REGULATIONS CONCERNING MATERIALS AND OBJECTS IN CONTACT WITH FOOD PRODUCTS

**I, the undersigned Mrs.** Natércia Garrido

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**Acting in his position of:** Quality manager

Declares that the product referenced by the customer as **Praktisk Unbleached Long/Short Paper Tea Filters**, characterized as hereafter:

- Cellulose Family, with PLA (poly lactic acid) fibres to allow welding of a compostable, renewable and sustainable paper, 100% Biodegradable and compostable to EN13432 for end of life recovery through aerobic composting. PLA is considered 'Plastic Free'

Conforms to the requirements:

- Commission Regulation (EC) N.º 1935/2004, 27 October, 2004;
- Commission Directive 2007/42/EC of 29 June, relating to materials and articles made of regenerated cellulose film intended to come into contact with foodstuffs;
- Commission Regulation (EC) No 2023/2006 of 22 December on good manufacturing practice for materials and articles intended to come into contact with food
- Food and Drug Administration (USA) Regulations, FDA, CFR Title 21, Section §176.170
- BfR empfehlung XXXVI Paper and Board for Food Contact and XXXVI/1 Cooking Papers, Hot Filter Papers and Filter Layers

The product referenced above, under normal and foreseeable use conditions, is not causing any unacceptable alteration in the composition or an alteration in the organoleptic characteristics of the food product.

Unbleached Tea Filters, free of fluorinated, without Bisphenol A (BPA), without dual use and SVHC substances and free of animal origin substances.

Finally we confirm for the filters that:

- Concentration of heavy metals <100mg/kg
- Do not contain organo-tin compounds as part of the formulation i.e. not intentionally added substances (NIAS).
- Chloropropanol is not intentionally added (NIAS).

In any case:

The conformity is understood to be subject to conformity with the conditions for storage, handling and use, taking into account the specific characteristics of the material or object, conditions as laid down by Professional practice or codes.

In the event of a change in the packaged product, its composition or its intended use, as well as in the event of a change in the product using conditions, the entity for whom this declaration is intended, must ensure the compatibility of the contents for which she accepts responsibility.

This declaration of compliance has been drawn up on basis of declaration of raw material supplier.



**This declaration is valid for a period of three years. It should be renewed in all cases where the previous conformity is no longer ensured and if changes in the regulations takes place.**

This Declaration is established in application of Article 16 from the Regulation (EC) n. ° 1935/2004 from 27 de October.

**It is intended for:** Silvex International Deliveries

  
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