**Declaration of Compliance:**

(Concerning Food Approval, Migration, and Traceability)

EU Commission **Regulation** (EC) **No 10/2011** on plastic materials and articles intended to come into contact with food, and its amendments up to and including (**EC) no 2020/1245 of 2 September 2020***.*

and

**Regulation (EC) No 1935/2004** on materials and articles intended to come into contact with food.

and

**Regulation (EC) No 2023/2006** on good manufacturing practice for materials and articles intended to come into contact with food.

and

**Regulation (EC) No 282/2008** on recycled plastic materials and articles intended to come into contact with foods and amending Regulation (EC) No 2023/2006

Packaging: Green colored EPS returnable plastic trays.

Material: virgin HDPE, recycled plastic granulate and color master batch.

This material contains additives authorized by Regulation EC no 10/2011 regulated with a Specific Migration Limit and may contain substances also authorized as food additives ("Dual use additives"): E170, E171, E172, E173, E570 and E551.

All recycled plastic granulate originates from EPS trays and is produced in an authorized recycling process according to Regulation (EC) no 282/2008, listed under EC Register number RECYC0142.

Storage: From refrigerated and frozen conditions (minimum -15°C/4°F) up to room temperature. Technical storage time 3 months. Not suitable for additional production processes as pasteurization or sterilization or with artificial heating > 30°C. Suitable for outdoor applications.

Compliance has been verified by overall and specific migration testing applying a surface to volume ratio of 6 dm2 per kg of food. The test conditions are selected worst case with the aqueous simulants acetic acid, ethanol and iso-octane. The tests are performed in triplicate by Intertek Laboratories, Netherlands. Test results are within the defined overall and specific migration limits.

We therefor certify that all our packaging and packaging components to be used **for unpeeled and uncut fruit & vegetables and packed food products** comply with the requirements of the above legislation.

Our packaging is manufactured in compliance with good manufacturing practice so that, under their normal or foreseeable conditions of use, they do not migrate their constituents to foodstuffs in quantities which could:

* endanger human health,
* bring about an unacceptable change in the composition of the foodstuffs or a deterioration in the organoleptic characteristics thereof.

This declaration does not exempt you from the obligation and responsibility to check if our packaging is suitable for your product.

**We will maintain adequate documentation of this certification for inspection by the authorities**.

Certified by:

**Euro Pool System Europe BV.**

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