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Dear customer,

We refer to your request for information on our products, we would like to inform you that for the article(s) listed below:

reference	Description	Further description
P250B-50	Corning® Gosselin™ Octagonal PET Bottle, 250 mL, Graduated, 31 mm Tamper-evident Cap, Sterile, Assembled, 24/Pack, 144/case	Bottle made in virgin PET resin
P500B-50	Corning® Gosselin™ Octagonal PET Bottle, 500 mL, Graduated, 31 mm Tamper-evident Cap, Sterile, Assembled, 12/Pack, 120/case	cap made in virgin HDPE resin

- **Food contact**
  The raw material for our products is food contact grade (comply with 1935/2004/EC, and 10/2011/EC). Our suppliers guaranty the quality of their raw materials through a certificate of compliance.
  However, our finished products have not been validated for food contact applications. They are designed for laboratory applications only.

- **EU REACH**
  Based on our on-going data collection efforts and/or information received from our suppliers, we have not identified any chemicals in the articles and packaging with the products referenced above, on the Annex XIV Authorization List, Annex XVII Restricted Substances List, or in an individual concentration above 0.1% weight by weight (w/w), which have been listed as Substances of Very High Concern (SVHC) and included in the "Candidate List" published by the European Chemical Agency (ECHA) lately according to Art. 59 (1,10) of the Regulation (EC) N° 1907/2006 (REACH). Based on product composition knowledge, these substances are not expected to be present.

- **Heavy metals**
  The raw material contains less than 100 ppm of residual trace heavy metals covered under the EU Directive 94/62/EC (sum of Cd, Cr, Hg and Pb).

- **PFAS (PFOA/ PFOS/TFAS) compliance**
  The substances of asbestos, and/or Per- and polyfluoroalkyl or Trifluoroacetic substances are not intentionally used in the manufacture of the raw materials or final product.
  However, since we do not perform specific tests to verify the potential presence of the substances in the finished products, we cannot guarantee that there is no trace amount of some of the substances, as impurity or otherwise, in the finished products.

- **Bisphenol A**
  The substances Bisphenol A are not intentionally used in the manufacture of the raw materials or final product.

- **Phthalates**
  The substances Phthalates are not intentionally used in the manufacture of the final product. The raw material does not contain Phthalates above 0.1 % (w/w).

- **Latex**
  We confirm that the products referenced above are latex free

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- **BSE/TSE**:
  The products referenced above comply with the requirements of Note for Guidance on Minimizing the Risk of Transmitting Animal Spongiform Encephalopathy Agents via Human and Veterinary Medicinal Products (EMEA/410/01 Rev 3).
  This statement is accurate because:
  a) The components of these products are not manufactured from and do not come into contact with material of animal origin, and/or
  b) Any animal-derived material used in the manufacture of these products has been processed per the specific conditions of section 6.4 of EMEA/410/01.

- **California Proposition 65**:
  The California Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act of 1986 (Proposition 65) establishes a list of chemicals, which the state of California's risk assessment process has determined to present a risk of cancer, birth defects or other reproductive harm. The Proposition 65 chemical list can be found at: https://oehha.ca.gov/proposition-65/proposition-65-list CLS has reviewed the list. The products referenced above do not contain the listed substances on the Proposition 65 list above its applicable safe harbor limit.

- **EU RoHS**
  The products referenced above are not electrical or electronic equipment and therefore no official disclosure statement is required nor applicable for EU Directive 2011/65/EU (RoHS 2) as amended RoHS3 EU Directive EC No. 2015/863

- **Recyclability**
  The recyclability of the products mainly depends on the local regulations of end users and the final use way of the products. For example, recycling may become impossible in the event that they contained/ in contact with dangerous products.
  Please verify the applicable regulations and seek advice from your waste treatment contractor.

- **Reusability**
  Not Autoclavable:
  The questioned SKUs are not suitable for autoclaving. Autoclaving involves exposing products to high temperatures and pressure, typically using steam, for sterilization purposes. The material used in this product is not designed to withstand such extreme conditions. Subjecting the bottles to autoclaving may result in deformation, compromised structural integrity, or potential malfunction.

  Single Use Logo on Case Label:
  Additionally, please note that the case labels on these products display a single-use logo, indicating that the PET bottles are intended for single use only. Reuse of bottles may compromise its functionality, hygiene, or safety, and we strongly advise adhering to the single-use guideline to ensure optimal performance and compliance with best practices.

Should you require any further information, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Yours sincerely,

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