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Our Ref. 4927/6080
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Date: 21/06/2002

SigmaKalon
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The Netherlands

For the attention of Mr Th. Reints Bok

We hereby certify that we have examined the undermentioned

sample(s) of Steel plates coated with Sigmacover 350

submitted by yourselves on 13/6/2002 and find the following results:-
collected by ourselves

Test Procedure - Eight steel plates coated with Sigmacover 350 supplied, coated and fully cured by yourselves were placed in intimate contact with dry flour. After exposure to the panels for a period of 150 hours on a continuous basis, the flour was removed for examination.

The samples of flour were identified by code numbers and presented to each member of an assessment panel (six in number) individually, to identify any odour or taint present. For control purposes unexposed samples were randomly incorporated.

Results - No evidence of any taint or odour was observed from any of the flour samples in contact with the coating system examined.

With regard to the above test results and having studied the information supplied on the paint components and the formulation of the coating; we consider that provided the coating has been applied, dried and cured in complete compliance with the manufacturers recommendations, and the coatings are free from retained solvent, then the above product is considered suitable for the carriage of dry solid foods.

Signed 

T. Parry CSci; CChem FRSC; MI Corr.
Technical Director

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