Evonik Resource Efficiency GmbH

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**Surfynol® 355**

Food Contact Statement

**EU: Regulation 10/2011**

Surfynol® 355 as an additive is in compliance with EU–Regulation 10/2011 on plastic materials and articles intended to come into contact with food and its amendments.

**BfR Recommendation XXXVI**

The components of Surfynol® 355 are in compliance with BfR–Recommendation XXXVI. SML – max. 0.001 %, based on the dry fibres weight.

**Switzerland: SR 817.023.21**

Surfynol® 355 is in compliance with the “Ordinance of the FDHA on Materials and Articles (SR 817.023.21)” – status 1 May 2017. All components (additives and / or monomers) are listed in Annex 10 in the list Part (A) substances.

**China: GB 9685**

The components of Surfynol® 355 are in compliance with GB 9685–2016.

**USA: FDA**

Surfynol® 355 may be used in compliance with the following sections and may be subject to any applicable limitations:

- FDA 21 CFR 173.340
- FDA 21 CFR 175.105
- FDA 21 CFR 176.170
- FDA 21 CFR 176.180
- FDA 21 CFR 176.200

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FDA 21 CFR 176.210

The restrictions for 21CFR173.340 are (a) as a surfactant and defoaming agent, at levels not to exceed 0.05 percent weight, in scald baths for poultry defeathering, followed by potable water rinse. The temperature of the scald baths shall be not less than 125°F. (b) As a foam control and rinse adjuvant in hog dehairing machines at a use level of not more than 5 grams per hog.

The restriction for 21CFR176.170 is not to exceed 200 ppm in finished coated paperboard.
Finished food contact materials or articles containing this product as a component, need to comply inter alia with migration and/or extraction limits or any other restrictions – as specified in the applicable regulations. Verification of compliance with above mentioned limits/restrictions should be carried out in accordance with the respective rules. We would like to point out that it is in the sole responsibility of the manufacturer of the final material or article to assure the compliance under actual and foreseeable conditions of use, and to check it on a regular basis. The manufacturer of food contact materials or articles, containing this product as a component, must in particular ascertain that these finished materials or articles meet the general regulatory requirement that they do not endanger human health, or bring about an unacceptable change in the composition of the food or deterioration in the organoleptic characteristics thereof.

The information given above is based on and represents our current compositional knowledge (based on the knowledge of the production process, supplier information for raw materials and analytical data where applicable). In case of provided values these are considered to be typical concentrations and are not part of product specification. Furthermore, the given information is intended for persons having the required skill and know-how and it does not relieve you from verifying the suitability of the information given for a specific purpose prior to use by testing, which should be carried out only by qualified experts. Use or application of such information is at your sole responsibility and risk, without any liability on the part of Evonik Resource Efficiency GmbH.

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