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Subject: PFAS in Food Packaging

To Whom It May Concern:

Several US states have passed requirements for per and polyfluoroalkyl substances (PFAS). PFAS have been used for numerous purposes including heat resistance, water repellency, and oil / stain resistance in the food packaging industry for many years. However, recent studies have shown PFAS to have a number of concerning characteristics such as a strong resistance to breaking down over time, bioaccumulation in organisms, potential carcinogenicity, and endocrine disruption.

National Beef Packing Co has confirmed with all our packaging suppliers that they are in compliance with all applicable laws, including the recent U.S. state regulations.

Sincerely,

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