



October 18, 2017

Re: **Suitability of Genesis Alkali Sodium Bicarbonate for Food Contact**

Dear Valued Customer:

This is to address your request for information regarding Genesis sodium bicarbonate (all grades). Genesis Alkali sodium bicarbonate is produced in a cGMP/FSMA compliant facility. Per 21 CFR Part 176.170 (Components of paper and paperboard in contact with aqueous and fatty foods), sodium bicarbonate can be used as a “component of paper and paperboard in contact with aqueous and fatty foods”. Per 21 CFR Part 176.180, sodium bicarbonate can be used as a “component of paper and paperboard in contact with dry food”.

Please contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads 'Michael Kemmerer'.

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