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Re: Genesis Alkali Sodium Bicarbonate Storage and Distribution

Stability/Shelf Life: When sodium bicarbonate is maintained at ambient temperature and in protected, dry storage conditions (< 50% relative humidity), in the original container, the product is chemically stable for a period of at least three years. However, physical properties may degrade significantly, especially when stored in an area of high humidity and/or high heat. To keep product free-flowing, Genesis recommends that sodium bicarbonate be used within six months of the date on the bags. Oldest stock should be used first.

Storage Requirements: To maintain the original physical properties of sodium bicarbonate, Genesis recommends that the product be stored in a dry, protected, ambient temperature area with pallets stacked two high or less. Sodium bicarbonate is an alkaline material that will react with acids, evolving carbon dioxide. Strong odor emitting materials should not be stored in the vicinity of sodium bicarbonate to avoid the possible absorption of odors.

Distribution Requirements: The product should be transported in a dry condition at an ambient temperature.

Please contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Michael Kemmerer'.

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