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DECLARATION OF COMPLIANCE NO 9/2024

for materials and articles intended to come into contact with food 

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Product Category	Soup containers, Hot Cup Extras, Cutlery
Material	CPLA (crystallized polylactic acid)

These CPLA products have been manufactured only with monomers, and do not contain Polyamide, Nylon or Melamine.

COMPLIANCE WITH FOOD CONTACT LEGISLATIONS

We hereby declare that the product complies where applicable and under foreseeable conditions of use with the EU legislation:

- ✓ **Commission Regulation (EC) 1935/2004** of the European Parliament and of the Council of 27 October 2004 on materials and articles intended to come into contact with food.
- ✓ **Commission Regulation (EC) 2023/2006** of Commission of 22nd December 2006 amended on good manufacturing practices for materials and articles intended to come into contact with food.
- ✓ **Commission Regulation (EU) No 10/2011** of 14 January 2011 on plastic materials and articles intended to come into contact with food.

the Italian legislation:

- ✓ **21/3/1973 Ministerial Decree** and following updating and changes.
- ✓ **777/82 DPR** and following updating and changes.

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OVERALL MIGRATION

According to the regulation EU Regulation 10/2011, the overall migration does not exceed 10mg/dm³ or 60mg/kg.

Overall migration	
Food simulant	Migration conditions
3% Acetic acid	2 hr(s) 70°C
10% Ethanol	2 hr(s) 70°C
20% Ethanol	2 hr(s) 70°C

Analytical tolerance of aqueous simulants is 2 mg/dm³ or 12 mg/kg

The ration of food contact surface area to volume used is 6dm³/kg

SPECIFIC MIGRATION

These CPLA products have been manufactured only with monomers or additives that are authorised under Regulation (EC) No. 10/2011. A risk assessment according to Article 19 of Regulation (EC) No. 10/2011 was performed on these products.

Specific migration of heavy metal	
Food simulant	Migration conditions
3% Acetic acid	2 hr(s) 70°C

Analytical tolerance of aqueous simulants is 2 mg/dm³ or 12 mg/kg

Test Item	Max. Permissible Limit	Unit	Test result
Area/ volume	-	dm ² /kg	6
Arsenic (As)	ND	mg/kg	ND
Cadium(Cd)	ND	mg/kg	ND
Chromium(Cr)	ND	mg/kg	ND
Mercury(Hg)	ND	mg/kg	ND
Lead(Pb)	ND	mg/kg	ND
Aluminium(Al)	1	mg/kg	ND
Barium(Ba)	1	mg/kg	ND
Cobalt(Co)	0.05	mg/kg	ND
Copper(Cu)	5	mg/kg	ND
Iron(Fe)	48	mg/kg	ND
Lithium(Li)	0.6	mg/kg	ND
Manganese(Mn)	0.6	mg/kg	ND
Zinc(Zn)	5	mg/kg	ND
Nickel(Ni)	0.02	mg/kg	ND

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Antimony(Sb)	0.04	mg/kg	ND
Europium(Eu)	-	mg/kg	ND
Gadolinium(Gd)	-	mg/kg	ND
Lanthanum(La)	-	mg/kg	ND
Terbium(Tb)	-	mg/kg	ND
Europium(Eu)+ Gadolinium(Gd)+Lanthanum(La)+Terbium(Tb)	0.05	mg/kg	ND

DUAL USE ADDITIVES AND NIAS

No substances of dual use are present in the product.
Our products do not contain any Non-intentionally Added Substances.

All products are made from polymerised lactic acid (PLA).
Lactic acid – CAS number 50-21-5, E number E 270 – is also authorised as a food additive by Regulation (EC) No. 1333/2008 or as a flavouring by Regulation (EC) No. 1334/2008.

COMPLIANCE OF SUBSTANCES SUBJECT TO PURITY CRITERIA

There are no substances subject to purity criteria.
There are no substances subject to restrictions.

CONDITIONS OF USE

Products made from CPLA are suitable for direct contact with cold, dry, water, acid, alcoholic <20%, dairy and fatty foods. It is recommended to use those products with hot liquids/ foods up to 85°C.

The customer should perform their own evaluations to verify the suitability of the product for their own proposed application.

We encourage to request product samples and perform own evaluations to verify the suitability of product for own proposed application, as each kitchen is different, so samples allow to test Vegware with a menu offering and see they work in ovens, microwaves, refrigerators, and freezers.

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This declaration has a validity starting from the date mentioned here below and will be substituted only if there will be important changes in the product composition able to change some requirements essential for the conformity and only if the legislative references mentioned in this declaration will be changed and updated so that a new control for the conformity will be changed.

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Issues by: Klaudia Kwiatkowska, Product and Compliance Manager



Information given in this declaration is based on data received from our raw material suppliers as well as analysis performed on representative samples.

Appendix

Product Code	Description	Category	Subcategory
VLID115S	115-Series flat CPLA hot lid	SOUP CONTAINERS	Hot lids
VLID62S	62-Series CPLA hot cup lid	HOT CUP EXTRAS	White CPLA hot cup lids
VLID72-A1	72-Series CPLA hot cup lid	HOT CUP EXTRAS	White CPLA hot cup lids
VLID79S	79-Series CPLA hot cup lid	HOT CUP EXTRAS	White CPLA hot cup lids
VLID79SB	79-Series CPLA hot cup lid, black	HOT CUP EXTRAS	Black CPLA hot cup lids
VLID89S	89-Series CPLA hot cup lid	HOT CUP EXTRAS	White CPLA hot cup lids
VLID89SB	89-Series CPLA hot cup lid, black	HOT CUP EXTRAS	Black CPLA hot cup lids
VLID90S	90-Series flat CPLA hot lid	SOUP CONTAINERS	Hot lids
VSP4.5-CP	4.5in compostable CPLA teaspoon	CUTLERY	Teaspoons
VW-FK6.5	6.5in compostable CPLA fork	CUTLERY	CPLA cutlery
VW-FK6.5B	6.5in compostable CPLA fork, black	CUTLERY	CPLA cutlery
VW-KFSWN	Compostable CPLA cutlery kit	CUTLERY	CPLA cutlery
VW-KN6.2G	6.2in compostable CPLA knife, green	CUTLERY	CPLA cutlery
VW-KN6.5	6.5in compostable CPLA knife	CUTLERY	CPLA cutlery
VW-SK3	3in compostable CPLA spork	CUTLERY	CPLA cutlery
VW-SP6.5	6.5in compostable CPLA spoon	CUTLERY	CPLA cutlery
VW-SP6.5B	6.5in compostable CPLA spoon, black	CUTLERY	CPLA cutlery

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