

Pace International


LETTER OF GUARANTEE

Supplier: Pace International, LLC
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Products (Citrus coatings):

Lustre Dry	Natural Shine 9018 EU	Nature-Guard
Natural Shine 2015	Natural Shine 9023	PaceRite 3042
Natural Shine 2060	Natural Shine 960	PacRite 505-15
Natural Shine 320-OR	Natural Shine 965 EU	PacRite 505-35
Natural Shine 505-OR	Natural Shine 980	

Statement of Safety and Efficacy:



These products are safe and efficacious when used on citrus in accordance with label directions and good manufacturing practices. Products do not contain microcrystalline wax, SOPP, fungicides or quaternary ammonium compounds. These products do not contain ingredients known to be derived from gluten (wheat), casein, soy, or any other known food allergens. To the best of the company's knowledge, these products are not made with Genetically Modified Organisms (GMOs), nor do they contain any ingredients produced with GMOs. Manufacturers of the raw materials used in production of these products state that no per- and polyfluoroalkyl substances (PFAS) were intentionally added. Pace has not intentionally added any PFAS to these products.

Statement of Compliance:

These products comply with all applicable rules set forth by the U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA) in 21 CFR (Code of Federal Regulations) for fruit and vegetable coatings, including but not limited to 21 CFR §172.210, §183.1320, §184.1555, and/or §184.1978. Ingredients are either FDA-approved food additive or have been found Generally Recognized As Safe (GRAS) which is FDA's designation that the substance added to food is considered safe by experts.

Compliance with USDA National Organic Standards:

Natural Shine 320-OR, Natural Shine 505-OR, and Nature-Guard comply with standards developed and enforced under the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) National Organic Program (NOP) under 7 CFR § 205. All three products have been determined suitable for use on organic crops and are registered input materials for processing and handling: fruit wax under the Washington State Department of Agriculture (WSDA) Organic Program (Registration number: 276 valid through December 31, 2024). Natural Shine 505-OR and Nature-Guard are OMRI Listed and may be used in food processing and handling according to USDA-NOP regulations (pia-11695 and pia-18465 valid through September 1, 2024).

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Qualifications:

Pace International, LLC meets the requirements of SQF Code, A HACCP-Based Supplier Assurance Code for Food Industry, SQF Levels: Food Quality Code and Food Safety Code in Manufacturing. Pace International’s chemical testing laboratory is accredited in accordance with the recognized International Standard ISO/IEC 17025:2017 General Requirements for the Competence of Testing and Calibration Laboratories. To the extent applicable, Pace International, LLC meets the requirements of 21 CFR §110 and 21 CFR §120.

Limits of Use and Special Directions:

Usage should be limited to the amount necessary to achieve the desired result. Refer to directions on the product label for more information. Degreening and storage waxes PacRite 505-15 and PacRite 505-35 are not intended for consumption and must be removed from citrus prior to commercial distribution. Lustre Dry, Natural Shine 960, Natural Shine 990, Natural Shine 2015, Natural Shine 2060, Natural Shine 9023, and Natural Shine 3042 contain morpholine.

Sincerely,



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