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Information on PPWR Compliance of Packaging and Our Role in the Supply Chain

Dear Sir or Madam,

Regulation (EU) 2025/40 on packaging and packaging waste (PPWR) establishes requirements for packaging and obligations for the economic operators involved in the supply chain.

Where we develop, let produce, or place packaging or packaged products on the market under our own name or trademark, we assume the role of the **manufacturer** within the meaning of the PPWR. In this role, we fulfil the mandatory obligations of manufacturers under Regulation (EU) 2025/40 in respect of the packaging for which we are responsible within the supply chain.

We source our packaging and packaging materials – such as cartons, films, adhesive tapes and other packaging components – in whole or in part from qualified suppliers. Our conformity assessment is therefore based in particular on the information and technical documentation provided by these suppliers, including specifications, material data, test and supporting documentation and, where applicable, supplier declarations.

When preparing our technical documentation and EU Declarations of Conformity, we act to the best of our knowledge and on the basis of the relevant and verifiable information available to us at the relevant time. The conformity assessment of the packaging for which we are responsible takes into account the respective supply chain and the information provided by our upstream suppliers.

Changes to packaging materials, packaging components, technical specifications or regulatory requirements may require a review and, where appropriate, an update of the associated documentation.

This letter is provided for general information purposes regarding our role in the supply chain and our approach in relation to the PPWR. It **does not** constitute, nor does it replace, an EU Declaration of Conformity pursuant to Article 39 of Regulation (EU) 2025/40. The relevant EU Declaration of Conformity can be made available upon request for the specifically identified packaging.

Yours faithfully,

Stuttgart, 17/08/2026

Bernhard Schützinger, CEO