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| Product: | Plasticware/Containers (Food Contact Use) | | | |
| Scope: | All types of plasticware covering but not limited | Protocol No. | TYCP-02010-US | |
| | to plates, bowls, tumblers, goblets, meal bags, favour boxes and bags, canisters, pitchers, sale and pepper shakers or containers in contact with food. | Version | 1.0 | |
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Instructions to Vendors:

Dear Valued Vendor:

Product safety is a top priority at Taymark. We, with the assistance of Intertek, a CPSC-accredited third-party testing partner or lab, have identified the various rules and regulations as well as the necessary test requirements that we need to meet in our partnership to sell products in the United States. This has been assembled into our required Test Protocol. Each product that is supplied to us must comply with this Test Protocol and any required associated test protocol(s) identified within it.

You are required by the US Law to verify the products you provide to Taymark (or any other customer marketing to children in the USA) meet the required safety standards. Likewise, Taymark is required by US Law to assure that we have documentation to confirm that you have verified that your products meet the applicable safety standards. Once you have verified that the product(s) you have supplied to us conforms to the corresponding Test Protocol(s), and the testing was conducted within the past twelve (12) months, we ask that the appropriate representative from your company provide Taymark with the proper General Certificate of Conformity ("GCC") and the corresponding documentation that you used to support the GCC, including, where applicable and required, the CPSC-accredited third-party test data. For an example of an acceptable GCC, please go to http://www.cpsc.gov/about/cpsia/fag/elecertfag.pdf.

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- †: Any element on the attached form with the following symbol ("†") is a Mandatory Requirement to which the product(s) or components of product(s) you supply to Taymark must conform. You must perform the associated test(s) and provide Taymark with the test data to support the fact that the test(s) was (were) conducted and that the product(s) or components of product(s) meets the described requirements. You are responsible for conducting the mandatory testing, and you are responsible for any expenses incurred as a result of conducting the test(s) (including, without limitation, the costs and expenses associated with providing any samples, testing, reporting, and preparing the General Certificate of Conformity).
- *: The symbol ("*") on the attached form indicates that additional charges may apply. Taymark's preferred Accredited Third-Party Testing Facility is Intertek. If you choose to use Intertek to conduct the mandatory testing, please reference Taymark and Taylor Corporation when submitting your requests for testing to Intertek as you may be able to take advantage of Taymark and Taylor Corporation's volume discount. You may contact Intertek for a price quote and any additional information they might need in order to conduct the required testing.

Additional Accredited Third-Party Testing facilities can be found at http://www.cpsc.gov/cgi-bin/labsearch/.

Note:

Where there is no applicable US standard, Intertek has chosen the most relevant International Standard to assess the product safety and performance. For undated references, the latest edition of the referenced document (including any amendments) applies.

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| Supplemental Protocol(s) | | | |
| *†CA Prop 65 (mandatory in state California) | Intertek Protocol | Consent Judgment of related court cases based on California Proposition 65. See http://oehha.ca.gov/prop65.html | |
| *† Children's Products (non- toy) | TYCP-00004-US | Shall review against the Children's Products Supplemental and shall comply the applicable requirements. See Children's Products (Non-toy) Protocol posted at http://www.taymarkinc.com | |
| *† CPSIA Supplemental | TYCP-00001-US | Shall review against the CPSIA Supplemental and shall comply with all applicable requirements. See CPSIA Supplemental Protocol posted at http://www.taymarkinc.com | |
| Note: Additional cost, sample s | size & TAT may be required if to | esting to one or more supplemental protocols is necessary. | |
| | renced supplemental protocol(s | | |
| Chemical Analysis | , | | |
| *Lead Content of Paints or Similar Surface Coating | 16 CFR 1303 (scope widened) | Shall not contain Lead or Lead compounds in which the Lead content is in excess of 0.009% by weight of the total content (90ppm). | |
| †* FDA Solvent Extractive on Plastic Materials and Polymeric Coatings which may have contact with food | FDA 21 CFR 170 – 189 | Products intended for use in contact with food shall conform to the applicable requirements of the Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (FDCA), specifically 21 CFR 170 through 189. Test report or suitable certificate with declaration letter confirming the plastic material that is used for food-contact meeting the FDA requirements shall be provided. In lieu of testing, the above documents can be submitted if dated within 1 year. | |

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| * Food Grade Stainless Steel (If applicable) | With Reference to NSF/ANSI 51 / ITS-M0122 | AISI 200, 300 and 400 series stainless steel are all acceptable for food use, so are other stainless steel grades with a minimum of 16 % chromium content. In the case of cutlery / blades and similar applications requiring a sharp edge, the chromium content can be lower than 16 % if they are tempered or hardened by an appropriate post-heat treatment process. (In lieu of testing, a passing test report may be submitted for review if dated within one year) | |
| *†Toxic Elements in Packaging Components | TPCH | Shall comply with TPCH in those states with legislation. Total concentration of Pb, Cd, Hg and hexavalent Cr ≤ 100 ppm. | |
| * Bisphenol A content (if applicable) | Various state laws (e.g. CT, MN, Chicago City (IL), NY, MA, ME, MD, VT, WI) High Performance Liquid Chromatography | The following products shall not contain any detectable levels of Bisphenol-A (BPA): Infant formula/ baby food plastic container, jar or can All reusable or disposable food or beverage containers including lids and cups Baby bottle liners Toys (for aged 12 and younger, Maine) Child Care Articles (for aged 3 and younger, Maine) Pacifiers (or other sucking and teething products) Straws Actual testing will be conducted on All Plastics materials only. Vendors shall be responsible for the compliance of all other materials. This is a client requirement to cover various states laws and proposed legislations, before the date of enact. | |
| Physical Characteristic | | | ı |
| Overall Dimensions | ITS-M0059 | Report overall dimensions; shall meet label claims (if applicable). | |
| Overall Weight | ITS-M0059 | Report overall weight; shall meet label claims (if applicable). | |

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| Dimensions of Each | ITS-M0059 | Report dimensions; shall meet label claims (if applicable). | |
| Compartment (if applicable) | | | |
| Capacity (if applicable) | ITS-M0059 | Report overall capacity; shall meet label claims (if applicable). | |
| Color / Transparency (if | Visual Check | Shall be the same as claimed or report actual. | |
| applicable) | | | |
| Parts Inventory | ITS-M0059 | Shall meet label claims. | |
| *Plastic Material | FTIR | Shall meet label claims (if applicable). | |
| Identification | | | |
| Construction & Workmanshi | p | | |
| Sharp Points/Edges | 16 CFR 1500.48/1500.49 | Shall have no sharp points/edges, other than those required for | |
| | (scope widened) | function. | |
| Defects | Visual Check | Shall have no discernible surface degradation, including | |
| | | crazing, shivering, denting, bubbles, cracks, stains, | |
| | | deformations, chips, fractures, heavy lines, waves, shear | |
| | | marks, scratches, scuff marks, indentations, or blisters. | |
| Workmanship | Visual Check | Shall have no components missing, malformed, and/or | |
| | | fractured. | |
| Color Uniformity | Visual Check | Shall have no major defect. | |
| Warpage | Visual Check | Shall not rock appreciably on a flat surface and not show | |
| | | warpage. Maximum offset: 1/32 in (0.8 mm). | |
| Lid Fitting (if applicable) | Actual Use | Shall provide good fit of the container. | |
| Performance Test | | | |
| Functionality | ITS-M0061 | Shall function as intended as received. | |
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| Stain Resistance | ITS-M0014 | Various food materials (shall resist permanent staining). | |
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| Impact Resistance | ASTM F963-08 | Shall have no sharp point after 3 drops from 3 ft on concrete. | |
| | Section 8.7.1(Modified) | | |
| | | Test should be conducted in emtpy state. | |

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| *Dishwasher Safe (Exclude those specifically claimed to be NON DISHWASHER SAFE) | ITS-M0001 | Dishwasher / detergent 5 cycles - no color change or adverse effects. | |
| Handwash Safe (if not claimed as dishwasher safe) | ITS-M0003 | Shall exhibit no exterior surface degradation after hand washed 5 times using a 3M Scotch-Bright scrub sponge & liquid hand dishwashing detergent, followed by a rinse of tap water. | |
| *Microwave Safe (Exclude those claimed to be NOT MICROWAVE SAFE) | ITS-M0002 | 5 minutes @ 100% power - no adverse effects. Note: Plastic containers such as canisters, salt or pepper shakers are those deemed not to be put into microwave oven. | |
| Freezer Safe (If applicable) | Actual Use | No adverse effects when 80 % filled with water and left frozen for 24 h at -18 oC. Note: Exclude those primary function not to be put into freezer, but not limited to pitchers, salt and pepper shakers, canisters | |
| Leakage (if claimed to be leak free) | Visual Check | No leaking after the container is half-filled with water and turned upside down for 30 min. | |
| Matching components (For example, lid or locking device) | Actual Use | Shall withstand 100 times of opening / closing. | |
| Handle Strength (If applicable) | ISO 8442-8 6.1.2 Annex D (Scope Widened) | There shall be no crack or damage after 10 kgf is applied. | |
| Effect of Extreme Temperature and Humidity | ITS-M0007 | 16 h @ 0 °F & 8 h @ 120 °F / 95 % RH with no failure or visual change. | |
| *Corrosion Resistance (Applicable for metal components) | ASTM B117 (Modified) | Shall withstand 24 h in 1% salt spray (fog) with no major corrosion or visual change. | |

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| *Transit Testing (by request | ISTA Procedure as | Packaged product shall be tested to applicable ISTA procedure | |
| only) | Appropriate to Package | and method, based on package configuration. Inspect package | |
| | | and product for damage upon completion of test. Report results. | |
| Labeling Requirement | | | |
| One Time Use Products | F.P. & L. Act | Manufacturer, packer, or distributor's name & address (city, | |
| †Fair Packaging and | (16 CFR 500) | state & zip). | |
| Labeling Act OR All Other | OR | Product Identification. | |
| Products | NIST Handbook 130 | Net quantity of contents shall be expressed in terms of weight | |
| | Uniform Laws and | or mass, measure, numerical count, or combination so as to | |
| †Uniform Packaging and | Regulations | give accurate information to facilitate consumer comparison | |
| Labeling Regulations | | (U.S. and metric units). | |
| †Country of Origin Marking | 19 CFR 134.11 | Shall indicate country of origin legibly, permanently, and in | |
| | | comparable size and close proximity to any mention of country | |
| | | other than country in which the article was manufactured or | |
| | | produced. Shall be visible at point of purchase. | |
| Parts Labeling | Visual Check | Shall match the actual content if present. | |
| Verify Label Claims | ITS-M0060 | Shall comply with all claims. | |
| Use Labeling | ITS-M0060 | Use/care instructions that are clear and understandable shall be | |
| | | provided in language appropriate to destination countries. | |
| Instructions | ITS-M0060 | Shall include assembly, use, maintenance, and safety | |
| | | information as required with no errors or spelling mistakes | |
| Bisphenol-A Content of Food | | | |
| or Beverage Container for | BPA-Free Kids Act of 2009 | Food or beverage container containing no Bisphenol-A shall | |
| Children Age 3 Years or | (Proposed) | bear a statement "BPA-Free Product" on the container or its | |
| Younger | | packaging. Refer to Chemical Analysis section for details. | |

Remark: Additional tests may be incurred subject to the final samples reviewed by Intertek.

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