



NSF International / Nonfood Compounds Registration Program

February 12, 2004

Sandra Kupperblatt
DOW CHEMICAL COMPANY, THE
1803 BUILDING
MIDLAND, MI 48674

RE: PROPIONIC ACID
Category Code: 5C
NSF Registration No. 015494

Dear Sandra Kupperblatt:

NSF has processed the application for Registration of **PROPIONIC ACID** to the *NSF Registration Guidelines for Proprietary Substances and Nonfood Compounds (2004)*, which are available at www.nsf.org/usda. The NSF Nonfood Compounds Registration Program is a continuation of the USDA product approval and listing program, which is based on meeting regulatory requirements for appropriate use, ingredient review and labeling verification.

This product is acceptable for use as a preservative in rendering operations (5C) in and around food processing areas. The rendered material must be used to prepare animal feed only. Use must also be consistent with the manufacturer's use instructions and warnings.

NSF Registration of this product is current when the NSF Registration Number, Category Code, and Registration Mark appear on the NSF-approved product label, *and* the registered product name is included in the current NSF White Book Listing of Nonfood Compounds at the NSF website (<http://www.nsf.org/usda>). The NSF Registration Mark can be downloaded from the NSF website, at http://www.nsf.org/mark/download_marks.html.

NSF Listing of all registered Nonfood compounds by NSF International is not an endorsement of those compounds, or of any performance or efficacy claims made by the manufacturer.

Registration status may be verified at any time via the NSF website, at <http://www.nsf.org/usda>. Changes in formulation or label, without the prior written consent of NSF, will void registration, and will supersede the on-line listing.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Carmen Grindatti', with a stylized flourish at the end.

Carmen Grindatti
NSF Nonfood Compounds Registration and Listing Program

Company No. N02932