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Mr. R. L. Ramachandra Garlock Inc. 1666 Division Street Palmyra, NY 14522-9350

Dear Mr. Ramachandra:

Thank you for your June 30 letter about a gasket material.

Your Fawn Gylon Style 3500 is chemically acceptable for use in slaughtering, processing, transporting, or storage areas in direct contact with meat or poultry food product prepared under Federal inspection.

This acceptance is valid so long as the composition and use of the substance remain as described to us. This letter does not constitute acceptance for materials made wholly or partly from substances accepted herein. No endorsement of the substance or of any concomitant claims is intended. It is the responsibility of the user and/or supplier to determine any regulatory limitations which may apply to their use of this substance.

Sincerely,

John M. Damaré, Chief

Compounds and Packaging Branch

Product Assessment Division