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Dear Mr. Dubé:

RE: **Enviro-100**

This is in response to your letter of August 20, 2012 to the Canadian Food Inspection Agency (CFIA), wherein you are seeking our comments on the acceptability of the subject product to be used as a rinse additive in dishwashers and hand dishwashing operations in food processing establishments. The CFIA forwarded your submission to our Bureau on February 13, 2013 to request the assessment of the safety of this product based on its chemical formulation and its proposed application.

Based on the information submitted, we can advise that we see no reason to object to the composition and use of this product as proposed in food plants provided that:

- a) there will be no contamination of food as a result of its use;
- b) it is used in the minimum amount required to achieve the technical effect; and
- c) cookware or utensils and other surfaces subject to direct contact with food are thoroughly rinsed with potable water prior to re-use.

Concerning the label of the product, we recommend under 'Directions for use', the statement "It is not necessary to rinse dishes with water after the use of this product at those concentrations" to be deleted from the label. Also, we recommend a cautionary use statement as in a) above to be added on the label.

We trust that the foregoing will be of use to you.

Yours truly,

Amina Badar
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cc. Canadian Food Inspection Agency

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