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Food Safety
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Regulatory Programs
Building 306, BARC-East
Beltsville, MD 20705

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Mr. R. F. Thompson
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Dear Mr. Thompson:

This is in reply to your request for compound authorization received on December 30, 1992 for your product Awesome (REVISED).

This product is acceptable as a degreaser or carbon remover for food cooking or smoking equipment, utensils, or other associated surfaces in official establishments operating under the Federal meat, poultry, rabbit, shell egg grading, and egg products inspection programs.

Before using this compound, food products and packaging materials must be removed from the area or carefully protected. After using this compound, all surfaces must be thoroughly rinsed with potable water. This compound must be used in a manner so that all odors associated with the compound are dissipated before food products or packaging materials are re-exposed in the area.

Acceptance of compounds by this Department is in no way to be construed as an endorsement of the compounds or of any claims made for them.

If any change is made in the labeling information or formulation, the authorization for use in official plants becomes void immediately.

Sincerely,

John M. Damaré, Chief
Compounds and Packaging Branch
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