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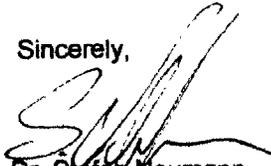
To whom it may concern!

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Reference: GMP compliance

This is to confirm that Wacker Chemical Corporation's production plant for cyclodextrins located in Eddyville, Iowa is manufacturing the products CAVAMAX® W6 Food, CAVAMAX® W7 Food and CAVAMAX® W8 Food under the Good Manufacturing Practice for the Manufacturing, Packing, or Holding Human Food (CFR 21, Part 110).

Sincerely,

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