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Our files : ADDFS09100201: Peach, Plum, Nect. Lustr
ADDFS09100202: Veg.Lustr 227F
ADDFS09100203: Carnaubā Premium Apple Coating
ADDFS09100204: Apple Lustr 225
ADDFS09100205: Apple Lustr 275
ADDFS09100206: Decco Lustr FD Appl
ADDFS09100207: Premium App.Lustr FD

Mr. Mohsen A. Sales
Technical Service Manager
Decco US Post-harvest Inc.
1713 S. California Ave
Monrovia, CA 91016
U.S.A

Re.: Use of Decco US Post-harvest preparations as fruit and vegetable coatings

Dear Mr. Sales:

In response to your request of October 2nd, 2009 we do not object to the use of the following preparations:

- 1) Peach, Plum and Nectarine Lustr 282 on stone fruits and cantaloupes;
- 2) Vegetable Lustr 227F on tomatoes, cucumbers, peppers, zucchini and similar skinned vegetables
- 3) Carnaubā Premium Coating on apples
- 4) Apple Lustr 225 on apples
- 5) Apple Lustr 275 (formula submitted on 30 October 2009) on apples
- 6) Decco Lustr FD (formula submitted on 30 October 2009) on apples
- 7) Premium Apple Lustr FD on apples

All components of the preparations should meet requirements outlined in the latest edition of the Food Chemicals Codex (US Pharmacopeia, 2009) for food-grade quality chemicals.

The level of use of these preparations should be consistent with good manufacturing practice, as indicated on their respective labels.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'A. Shapiro', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Dr. Anna Shapiro

Food Additives and Contaminants Section

cc.: Kelly Hislop, Ph.D.

A/Chief

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