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Porcine Free Statement Pertaining to Halal Compliance

Hygiena® Test Devices which include UltraSnap®, AquaSnap®, SuperSnap®, PRO-Clean®, SpotCheck MicroSnap®, InSite™, AllerSnap®, AlerTox®, GlutenTox®, Q-Swab™, Sponge'n Bag™ and Stick Sponge™ collection devices with Neutralizing Buffer are not derived from a porcine source, nor do they contain any component derived from a porcine source. AlerTox® Strip Extraction Buffer is a phosphate buffered saline product that contains no animal products (see attached SDS).

Swab wetting agents which come in contact with the surface when the test sample is collected is either dry or contains a simple inorganic buffer and does not contain any components of animal origin. Specifically, the swab wetting agents in Hygiena Tests named above does not contain any component derived from a porcine source.

For all-in-one sample devices, the reagent in the bulb of the device is not exposed to the handler or the environment or food contact surface during sample collection and use such that there is no cross-contamination risk. We have confirmed by high sensitivity PCR that the reagent components contain synthetic or bovine protein only and are not made from porcine products.

We value your loyalty and strive to provide you with the best quality, products, support, and customer service. If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact your sales representative. You can also contact Hygiena by phone at 1-888-HYGIENA or by email at customerservice@hygiena.com.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Shannon Koerber".

Shannon Koerber
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