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### CERTIFICATE OF CONFORMITY

This Certificate assesses the conformity of the fragrance mixture with IFRA Standards and provides restrictions for use as necessary. It is based only on those materials subject to IFRA Standards for the toxicity endpoints described in each Standard. It also provides information on any restrictions due to the EU Cosmetic Regulation. This Certificate does therefore not replace a comprehensive safety assessment of the fragrance mixture.

#### **CERTIFYING PARTY:**

Imperial Supply Ltd

Common Lane Kenilworth CV8 2EL

United Kingdom

### **CERTIFICATE DELIVERED TO:**

Imperial Supply Ltd

#### SCOPE OF THE CERTIFICATE:

LINKS AFRICA FRAGRANCE

### **COMPULSORY INFORMATION:**

Implementation of the 49th Amendment is as follows: 10th May, 2021: Entry into force for new formulations

10th May, 2022: Compliance of existing formulations created before 10th May 2021

We certify that the above mixture is in compliance with the Standards of the INTERNATIONAL FRAGRANCE ASSOCIATION (IFRA), up to and including the 50th Amendment to the IFRA Code of Practice (published June 2021) and the European Cosmetic Regulation (EC) 1223/2009 & its modifications, provided it is used in the following categories at a maximum concentration level of:

| IFRA Categories [see Annex 1 below for details] | Maximum Level of use (%) |  |
|---|--------------------------|--|
| IFRA Category 1                                 | Not approved             |  |
| IFRA Category 2                                 | 3.28%                    |  |
| IFRA Category 3                                 | 1.46%                    |  |
| IFRA Category 4                                 | 61.42%                   |  |
| IFRA Category 5A                                | 15.71%                   |  |
| IFRA Category 5B                                | 2.00%                    |  |
| IFRA Category 5C                                | 2.71%                    |  |
| IFRA Category 5D                                | 0.67%                    |  |
| IFRA Category 6                                 | Not approved             |  |
| IFRA Category 7A                                | 2.39%                    |  |
| IFRA Category 7B                                | 2.39%                    |  |
| IFRA Category 8                                 | 0.67%                    |  |
| IFRA Category 9                                 | 8.57%                    |  |
| IFRA Category 10A                               | 8.57%                    |  |
| IFRA Category 10B                               | 23.57%                   |  |
| IFRA Category 11A                               | 0.67%                    |  |
| IFRA Category 11B                               | 0.67%                    |  |
| IFRA Category 12                                | Not limited              |  |

For other kinds of application or use at higher concentration levels, a new evaluation can be needed; please contact Imperial Supply Ltd





## **EU COSMETIC INFORMATION:**

We certify that the above mixture is in compliance with the EU Cosmetic Regulation 1223/2009 and its amendments, provided it is used in the following applications at a maximum concentration level of:

| Cosmetic Application             | Maximum Level of use (%) |  |
|----------------------------------|--------------------------|--|
| Fine Fragrance                   | 16.69%                   |  |
| Eau de Toilette                  | 16.69%                   |  |
| Fragrancing cream                | 16.69%                   |  |
| Rinse off cosmetic products      | 16.69%                   |  |
| Other leave-on cosmetic products | 16.69%                   |  |
| Oral products                    | Not approved             |  |

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## **ANNEX 1**

Below is an extract of information provided by IFRA in relation to types of application present in each IFRA Category. Additional information about IFRA Categories can be found in the Guidance to IFRA Standards, issued by IFRA.

| IFRA Category     | Product Type   |  |
|-------------------|--|--|
| IFRA Category 1   | Products applied to the lips: Lip products e.g. lipstick, lip balm; Childrens toys   |  |
| IFRA Category 2   | Products applied to the axillae: Deodorant and antiperspirant products of all types; Body sprays/mists   |  |
| IFRA Category 3   | Products applied to the face/body using fingertips: Eye products e.g. eye make-up, eye moisturizer; Facial make-up; Make-up remover; Nose pore strips; Wipes for face, neck, hands, body; Facial masks; Body and face paint  |  |
| IFRA Category 4   | Products related to fine fragrance: Hydroalcoholic and non-hydroalcoholic fine fragrance of all types e.g. Eau de Toilette, Parfum, Cologne, solid perfume, fragrancing cream, aftershaves of all types; Ingredients of perfume and fragrance mixtures for cosmetic kits; Scent pads; Scent strips   |  |
| IFRA Category 5A  | Body lotion products applied to the body using the hands (palms), primarily leave on: Foot care products e.g. creams, powders; Insect repellent for application to the skin; All powders and talc (excluding baby powders and talc)  |  |
| IFRA Category 5B  | Face moisturizer products applied to the face using the hands (palms), primarily leave on: Facial toner; Facial moisturizers and creams  |  |
| IFRA Category 5C  | Hand cream products applied to the hands using the hands (palms), primarily leave on: Hand cream; Nai care products including cuticle creams; Hand sanitizers  |  |
| IFRA Category 5D  | Baby creams, baby oils and baby talc: Baby cream/lotion, baby oil, baby powders and talc   |  |
| IFRA Category 6   | Products with oral and lip exposure: Toothpaste; Mouthwash, including breath sprays; Toothpowder, strips, mouthwash tablets  |  |
| IFRA Category 7A  | Rinse-off products applied to the hair with some hand contact: Hair permanent or other hair chemical treatments (rinse-off) e.g. relaxers, including rinse-off hair dyes   |  |
| IFRA Category 7B  | Leave-on products applied to the hair with some hand contact: Hair sprays of all types e.g. pumps, aerosol sprays; Hair styling aids non sprays e.g. mousse, leave- on conditioners; Hair permanent or other hair chemical treatments (leave-on) e.g. relaxers, including leave-on hair dyes; Shampoo - Dry (waterless shampoo); Hair deodorizer   |  |
| IFRA Category 8   | Products with significant anogenital exposure: Intimate wipes; Tampons; Baby wipes; Toilet paper (wet)   |  |
| IFRA Category 9   | Products with body and hand exposure, primarily rinse off: Bar soap; Liquid soap; Shampoo of all type; Conditioner (rinse-off); Body washes and shower gels of all types; Baby wash, bath, shampoo; Bath gels, foams, mousses, salts, oils and other products added to bathwater; Cleanser for face (rinse-off); Shaving creams of all types e.g. stick, gels, foams; All depilatories (including facial) and waxes for mechanical hair removal; Foot care products (feet are placed in a bath for soaking); Shampoos for pets   |  |
| IFRA Category 10A | Household care excluding aerosol / spray products: Hand wash laundry detergent; Laundry pre-treatmen of all types e.g. paste, sprays, sticks; Machine laundry detergents with skin contact e.g. liquids, powders; Fabric softeners of all types including fabric softener sheets; Ironing water; Hand dishwashing detergent; Hard surface cleaners of all types e.g. bathroom, kitchen cleansers, furniture polish; Toilet seat wipes; Household cleaning products, other types including fabric cleaners, carpet cleaners, furniture polishes sprays and wipes, stain removers, treatment products for textiles e.g. starch sprays; Floor wax; Dry cleaning kits; Fragranced oil for lamp ring, reed diffusers, pot-pourri, liquid refills for air fresheners (non-cartridge systems), etc.   |  |
| IFRA Category 10B | Household aerosol/spray products: Animal sprays applied to animals; Air freshener sprays, manual, including aerosol and pump; Aerosol/spray insecticides   |  |
| IFRA Category 11A | Products with intended skin contact but minimal transfer of fragrance to skin from inert substrate without UV exposure: Feminine hygiene conventional pads, liners, interlabial pads; Diapers (baby and adult); Adult incontinence pant, pad; Toilet paper (dry)   |  |
| IFRA Category 11B | Products with intended skin contact but minimal transfer of fragrance to skin from inert substrate with potential UV exposure: Tights with moisturizers; Scented socks, gloves; Facial tissues (dry tissues); Napkins; Paper towels; Wheat bags; Facial masks (paper/protective) e.g. surgical masks not used as medical device; Fertilizers, solid (pellet or powder)   |  |
| IFRA Category 12  | Products not intended for direct skin contact, minimal or insignificant transfer to skin: Candles of all types Laundry detergents for machine wash with minimal skin contact (e.g. Liquid tabs, pods); Automated air fresheners and fragrancing of all types e.g. concentrated aerosol with metered doses, plug-ins, electrical incense, liquid refills (cartridge); Air delivery systems; Cat litter; Cell phone cases; Deodorizers/maskers not intended for skin contact e.g. fabric drying machine deodorizers, carpet powders; Fuels; Insecticides e.g. mosquito coil, paper, electrical, for clothing, excluding aerosols/sprays; Joss sticks or incense sticks; Dishwash detergent and deodorizers - for machine wash; Olfactive board games; Paints; Plastic articles (excluding toys); Scratch and sniff; Scent pack; Scent delivery system (using dry air technology); Shoe polishes; Rim blocks (Toilet) |  |



## IFRA CONFORMITY CERTIFICATE

Customer: Imperial Supply Ltd

Product: LINKS AFRICA FRAGRANCE

We certify that the above item is in compliance with the Standards of the INTERNATIONAL FRAGRANCE ASSOCIATION (IFRA - 48th Amendment / published June 2015), provided it is used in the following classes at a maximum concentration level of:

| IFRA classes [see annex for detail] | Maximum level of use (%) |  |
|-------------------------------------|--------------------------|--|
| IFRA Class 1 Limit                  | Not approved             |  |
| IFRA Class 2 Limit                  | 5.41%                    |  |
| IFRA Class 3.A Limit                | 16.69%                   |  |
| IFRA Class 3.B Limit                | 16.69%                   |  |
| IFRA Class 3.C Limit                | 16.69%                   |  |
| IFRA Class 3.D Limit                | 16.69%                   |  |
| IFRA Class 4.A Limit                | 16.69%                   |  |
| IFRA Class 4.B Limit                | 16.69%                   |  |
| IFRA Class 4.C Limit                | 16.69%                   |  |
| IFRA Class 4.D Limit                | 16.69%                   |  |
| IFRA Class 5 Limit                  | 16.69%                   |  |
| IFRA Class 6 Limit                  | Not approved             |  |
| IFRA Class 7.A Limit                | 11.42%                   |  |
| IFRA Class 7.B Limit                | 11.42%                   |  |
| IFRA Class 8.A Limit                | 7.14%                    |  |
| IFRA Class 8.B Limit                | 7.14%                    |  |
| IFRA Class 9.A Limit                | 16.69%                   |  |
| IFRA Class 9.B Limit                | 16.69%                   |  |
| IFRA Class 9.C Limit                | 16.69%                   |  |
| IFRA Class 10.A Limit               | 8.92%                    |  |
| IFRA Class 10.B Limit               | 8.92%                    |  |
| IFRA Class 11 Limit                 | 100%                     |  |





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For other kinds of application or use at higher concentration levels, a new evaluation may be needed; please contact Imperial Supply Ltd .

The IFRA Standards regarding use restrictions are based on safety assessments by the Panel of Experts of the RESEARCH INSTITUTE FOR FRAGRANCE MATERIALS (RIFM) and are enforced by the IFRA Scientific Committee.

Evaluation of individual Fragrance ingredients is made according to the safety standards contained in the relevant section of the IFRA Code of Practice.

It is the ultimate responsibility of our customer to ensure the safety of the final product (containing this fragrance) by further testing if need be.

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## **ANNEX: Definition of IFRA Classes**

| Finished product types  | IFRA class            |
|---|-----------------------|
| Lip Products of all types (solid and liquid lipsticks, balms, clear or colored, etc.); Children's Toys  | IFRA Class 1 Limit    |
| Deodorant and Antiperspirant Products of all types including any product with intended or reasonably foreseeable use on the axillae or labelled as such (spray, stick, roll-on, under-arm, deo-cologne and body spray, etc.); Nose pore strips; Fragranced Bracelets  | IFRA Class 2 Limit    |
| Hydroalcoholic Products Applied To Recently Shaved Skin (includes After Shave) (Edt range)  | IFRA Class 3.A Limit  |
| Hydroalcoholic Products Applied To Recently Shaved Skin (includes After Shave) (Fine fragrance range)   | IFRA Class 3.B Limit  |
| Eye Products of all types (eye shadow, mascara, eyeliner, eye make-up, etc.) including eye care; Men's Facial Creams and Balms; Baby Creams, Lotions, Oils; Body Paint for Children   | IFRA Class 3.C Limit  |
| Tampons   | IFRA Class 3.D Limit  |
| Hydroalcoholic Products applied to unshaved skin (includes aqueous based, alcoholic based and hydroalcoholic) like Cologne, eau de cologne, Eau de Parfum or Parfum (Edt range); Ingredients of Perfume Kits; Scent Pads, Foil packs; Scent Strips for hydroalcoholic products  | IFRA Class 4.A Limit  |
| Hydroalcoholic Products applied to unshaved skin (includes aqueous based, alcoholic based and hydroalcoholic) like Cologne, eau de cologne, Eau de Parfum or Parfum (Fine fragrance range)  | IFRA Class 4.B Limit  |
| Hair Styling Aids Sprays of all types (pumps, aerosol sprays, etc.); Body Creams, Oils, Lotions of all types (except baby creams, lotions and oils); Body sprays (including Body Mist) with no intended or reasonably foreseeable use on the axillae; Fragrance Compounds for Cosmetic Kits; Foot Care Products; Hair deodorant; Body Paint (except those for children)   | IFRA Class 4.C Limit  |
| Fragrancing Cream; Solid perfumes   | IFRA Class 4.D Limit  |
| Women's Facial Creams/Facial Make-up; Hand Cream; Hand sanitizers; Facial Masks; Baby Powder and Talc; Hair Permanent and other hair chemical treatments (e.g. relaxers) but not hair dyes; Wipes or Refreshing Tissues for Face, Neck, Hands, Body; Dry Shampoo or Waterless Shampoo   | IFRA Class 5 Limit    |
| Mouthwash, including Breath Sprays; Toothpaste  | IFRA Class 6 Limit    |
| Intimate Wipes; Baby Wipes  | IFRA Class 7.A Limit  |
| Insect Repellent (intended to be applied to the skin)   | IFRA Class 7.B Limit  |
| Make-up Removers of all types (not including face cleansers); Hair Styling Aids Non-Spray of all types (mousse, gels, leave-in conditioners, etc.); Nail Care; Powders and talcs, all types (except baby powders and talcs)   | IFRA Class 8.A Limit  |
| Hair Dyes   | IFRA Class 8.B Limit  |
| Conditioner (Rinse-Off); Liquid Soap; Shampoos of all types (including baby shampoos); Face Cleansers of all types (washes, gels, scrubs, etc.); Shaving Creams of all types (stick, gels, foams, etc.); All Depilatories (including waxes for mechanical hair removal); Body Washes of all types (including baby washes) and Shower Gels of all types; Bar Soap (Toilet Soap); Bath Gels, Foams, Mousses, Salts, Oils and Other Products added to bathwater  | IFRA Class 9.A Limit  |
| Feminine hygiene - pads, liners; Toilet paper; Wheat bags   | IFRA Class 9.B Limit  |
| Facial tissues; Napkins; Paper towels; Other Aerosols (including air freshener sprays and air freshener pump sprays, but not including deodorants/antiperspirants, hair styling aids sprays); Fragranced Face Masks (not intended to be used as medical device)   | IFRA Class 9.C Limit  |
| Handwash Laundry Detergents of all types including concentrates; Fabric Softeners of all types including fabric softener sheets; Household Cleaning Products, Other Types (fabric cleaners, soft surface cleaners, carpet cleaners, etc.); Machine Wash Laundry Detergents (liquids, powders, tablets, etc.) including laundry bleach and concentrates; Hand Dishwashing Detergent including concentrates; Hard Surface Cleaners of all types (bathroom and kitchen cleansers, furniture polish, etc.); Shampoos for pets; Dry cleaning kits; Scented gloves, socks, tights with moisturizers   | IFRA Class 10.A Limit |
| Diapers; Toilet seat wipes  | IFRA Class 10.B Limit |
| All non-skin contact or incidental skin contact including: Candles; Air Fresheners and Fragrancing of all types (concentrated aerosol with metered doses (range 0.05-0.5mL/spray), plug-ins, solid substrate, membrane delivery, electrical); Air Delivery Systems; Cell phone cases; Pot pourri, powders, fragrancing sachets, liquid refills for air fresheners (non-cartridge systems), Reed diffusers; Liquid refills for air fresheners (cartridge systems); Shoe Polishes; Deodorizers/Maskers not intended for skin contact (e.g. fabric drying machine deodorizers, carpet powders); Insecticides (mosquito coil, paper, electrical, for clothing etc.) excluding aerosols; Scent delivery system using a dry air technology that releases a fragrance without sprays, aerosols or heated oils (technology of nebulization); Air freshening crystals; Toilet Blocks; Joss Sticks or Incense Sticks; Machine Dishwash Detergent and Deodorizers; Machine-only Laundry Detergent (e.g. liquitabs); Plastic articles (excluding toys); Fuels; Fragranced lamp ring; Scent pack; Scratch and Sniff (sampling technology); Paints; Cat litter; Animal sprays (all types); Treatment products for textiles (e.g. starch sprays, fabric treated with fragrances after wash, deodorizers for textiles or fabrics); Floor wax; Odored Distilled Water (that can be added to steam irons) | IFRA Class 11 Limit   |