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## Buy American Provisions

Dear Valued Customer:

In response to your recent request, we are pleased to provide the following regarding A. Zerega's Sons, Inc., a subsidiary of Philadelphia Macaroni Co., efforts related to Section 104(d) of the William F. Goodling Child Nutrition Reauthorization Act of 1998, also known as the "Buy American Provisions."

The Buy American Provisions require schools and institutions participating in the National School Lunch Program (NSLP) and/or the School Breakfast Program (SBP) in the contiguous United States to purchase, to the maximum extent practicable, domestic commodities or products for use in meals served under the NSLP or SBP. The legislation defines "domestic commodity or product" as an agricultural commodity that is produced in the United States and a food product that is processed in the United States substantially using agricultural commodities that are produced in the United States. The report accompanying the legislation stipulated that "substantially" means that over 51 percent of the final processed product consists of agricultural commodities that were grown domestically.

A. Zerega's Sons, Inc. certifies that, as of the date of this certificate, the products listed on Attachment A meet the requirements of Section 104(d) of the William F. Goodling Child Nutrition Reauthorization Act of 1998.

We trust this will satisfy your needs. If there are additional products you are interested in, that are not reviewed in the attached list, please feel free to contact me directly.

Sincerely,

Jennifer Joseph  
Director of QA Regulatory and Compliance

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**Attachment A**

**Products Meeting the Requirements of Section 104(d) of the William F. Goodling Child Nutrition Reauthorization Act of 1998**

Item Code	Pasta Description
1304700000	Wide Noodle w/ Whole Grain
1527000000	Lasagne w/ Whole Grain
1802300000	10” Spaghetti w/ Whole Grain
1803000000	10” Spaghetti w/ Whole Grain
1812700000	Rotini w/ Whole Grain
1813400000	Rotini w/ Whole Grain
1815400000	Penne Rigate w/ Whole Grain
1815500000	Penne Rigate w/ Whole Grain
1906000000	Whole Wheat Penne Rigate
1906100000	10” Whole Wheat Spaghetti
1907500000	Elbows w/ Whole Grain
1907000000	Elbows w/ Whole Grain Elbow

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