



October 23, 2019

Subject: PFAS in Brock products

To whom it may concern:

Brock products (Powerbase and SP underlayment pads, and BrockFILL infill) do not contain perfluoroalkylated substances (PFAS). PFAS have historically been used in firefighting foams for petroleum fires, protective coatings, and treatments for textile products to impart stain and water resistance.

PFAS are not added to the raw materials used to make Brock products, nor are they added or used during the manufacturing processes for any of Brock's products. Brock's infill product, BrockFILL, is made from virgin southern yellow pine wood from U.S. forests. No PFAS are added to the wood used for BrockFILL at any point during the manufacturing process. Brock's pad products are made from expanded polypropylene (EPP). The attached certificate from our material supplier certifies that the EPP used for Brock products does not contain PFAS, including PFOA and PFOS, above the relevant reportable threshold limits. Additionally, the base resins used to produce the EPP used for Brock products are permitted by the FDA for use in food contact applications for food types identified in Categories I through IX of Table 1, under conditions of use B through H of Table 2 in 21 CFR 176.170(c), as outlined in the other attached certification from Brock's material supplier.

We hope this letter meets your needs. Please contact Brock if you have additional questions.

Regards,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Tom Murphy".

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