

## AFCO Statement on “Stay at Home” Orders in Louisiana and Illinois

In consideration of the recent “stay at home” orders issued by the governors of Louisiana and Illinois, two of the three states in which AFCO operates manufacturing facilities as well as our corporate office, I would like to confirm for you that AFCO meets the criteria established within each governors’ order qualifying as an “essential business”. As a result of these qualifications, AFCO’s Olmsted, IL plant and AFCO’s Alexandria, LA corporate office and plant remain fully operational. At this time, no such order has been issued that would affect our Olive Branch, MS plant.

Please know that as we continue forward, the health and safety of all AFCO employee-owners is paramount. Within our manufacturing operations and office areas, we are working to diligently follow the guidelines of the World Health Organization and the Center for Disease Control to prevent the spread of the COVID-19 virus. We are emphasizing proper hand hygiene, repeatedly cleaning common work spaces and surfaces, utilizing personal protective equipment and maintaining social distancing as we continue to work to maintain supply chains of the various products we provide.

If you should have any questions, please don’t hesitate to contact your AFCO Sales or Customer Service Representatives or me. Thank you and stay healthy.

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