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Ref.: Letter of Assurance

Dear Ms. Wildman:

Thank you for your interest in PRO-MIX® professional growing media products. PRO-MIX® products are formulated with a base of Canadian Sphagnum peat moss, which is partially decomposed plant matter derived from the accumulation of aquatic moss plants within a peat bog.

Sphagnum peat moss is vacuum extracted from virgin bogs located in Canada with large vacuum harvesters. It is transported to our processing facilities on site where it is mechanically screened to remove tree roots and used to make PRO-MIX®. Sphagnum peat moss is not treated with any chemicals or pesticides, nor is it sterilized/pasteurized. In fact, all peat producers in Canada do not sterilize or pasteurize peat as it destroys natural living organisms found in Sphagnum peat moss. The peat bogs where we harvest peat moss are not former agriculture lands. Sphagnum peat moss grows in a bog that is typically low in nutrients with an acidic pH between 3.8 - 4.6. Because of the low mineral content and acidic pH of peat bogs, peat moss typically does not contain or support weeds. Our peat bogs and production locations are inspected periodically each by Canadian Food Inspection Agency (CFIA) and are found to comply with phytosanitary export requirements and below detection limits of any plant or food pathogens.

PRO-MIX® growing media are formulated with different components based on plant growth requirements. All components used in the PRO-MIX® products (supplements and/or fertilizers) are registered and/or exempted with the CFIA. Among these components, perlite is used in some formulations of our products. This mineral ore is processed at very high temperatures until it pops, forming the lightweight, porous structures seen in the growing media. Moreover, calcitic and/or dolomitic limestones used in our products are mined rock that is pulverized, graded and delivered to our facilities. Some PRO-MIX® products may also contain processed pine bark and or coconut coir, depending on the formulation. If processed pine bark is used in the formulation, the pine bark is partially composted, aged, and cured for approximately 18 months. Coconut coir is supplied from our facility in Sri-Lanka where it is processed, washed, and dried prior to ship to our Canadian facilities and complies with Canadian import regulations.

PRO-MIX® may contain beneficials supplements, such as AGTIV® STIMULATE™ (*Bacillus pumilus* PTB180) and/or AGTIV® REACH™ (*Rhizophagus irregularis*). These active ingredients are registered with the CFIA and are cultured in our laboratories located in the Province of Quebec, Canada in a facility under sterile laboratory conditions to ensure they are free from pathogens.

All PRO-MIX® products are manufactured inside an enclosed facility for quality purposes. As part of our Quality Assurance, products are tested at our production facilities for EC, pH, wetting ability and moisture content. Samples are then sent to our laboratory in Quebec for testing EC, pH, wetting ability, moisture content and SME analysis of nutrient content as part of our Quality Assurance. PRO-MIX® products are sold to many countries around the world and meet importation requirements, including regulations for exclusion of weeds and plant pathogens.

Premier Tech Growers and Consumers is compliant with "Responsibly Managed Peat Lands" and certified by SCS Global Services/Veriflora (www.scsglobalservices.com). Also, some PRO-MIX® products, PREMIER peat moss and PRO-MOSS peat moss are approved for organic use.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at 800.424.2554 ext 1. Thank you for selecting PRO-MIX® products for your growing needs.

Sincerely,



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