





## Declaration of Compliance

<b>Business Operator</b>	Vikan A/S Rævevej 1 DK-7800 Skive (+45) 96 14 26 00
<b>Product name</b>	Flexible extension handle for 53515, Ø0.2", 32"
<b>Item Number</b>	5346 
<b>Stainless steel</b>	The stainless steel staple is made from stainless steel Grade 1.4301 (AISI 304) The stainless steel nipple is made from stainless steel Grade 1.4305 (AISI 303)
<b>EU Compliance</b>	
Regulation (EC) No 1935/2004	In accordance with EU Commission Regulation no. 1935/2004 article 3, 11(5), 15 and 17 the product is intended for food contact. The product is marked with the "glass & fork" symbol on the packaging or on the product itself through moulding.  The stainless steel comply with European Standard EN 10088 and the specific release limits (SRLs) set out in the Council of Europe guide: "Metals and alloys used in food contact materials and articles". 
Regulation (EC) No 2023/2006	The product is produced according to EU Commission Regulation no. 2023/2006 of 22. December 2006 on good manufacturing practices for materials and articles intended to come into contact with food (GMP).
<b>US FDA Compliance</b>	All raw materials in this product are in compliance with FDA (Food and Drug Administration in the USA) 21 CFR parts 170 to 199.  The stainless steel in this product is in compliance with FDA (Food and Drug Administration in the USA) Food Code 2017 and is listed in NSF/ANSI 51-2014 on Food Equipment Materials
<b>UK Compliance</b>	The product complies with The Materials and Articles in Contact with Food (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019 No. 704.
<b>Danish Compliance</b>	The product complies with the Danish consolidation Act no. 681 of 25/05/2020.
<b>Japanese Compliance</b>	All substances (polymers, monomers and additives) used in Vikan products comply with Article 18(3) of the Japanese Food Sanitation Act and are listed in Tables 1 and 2 of Appendix 1 of the Positive List.

**Food contact types**

The product is suitable for contact with the following types of food under the intended and foreseeable conditions of use:

- ☒ Aqueous
- ☒ Acidic
- ☒ Alcoholic
- ☒ Fatty
- ☒ Dry

**Food contact usage time and temperature**

Any food contact conditions up to 100 °C

**Non-food contact usage temperature**

Minimum temperature: 5 °C  
Maximum temperature: 100 °C

**General**

Equipment should be cleaned, disinfected and sterilised, as appropriate to its intended use, before use.

It is also important to clean, disinfect and sterilise equipment as appropriate after use, using the appropriate decontamination chemicals, concentrations, times and temperatures.

Appropriate equipment decontamination will minimise the risk of microbial growth and cross contamination and will maximise the efficiency and durability of the equipment.

Recommended sterilisation temperature (Autoclave): 121 °C

We will make the relevant background documentation available to the competent authorities, at their request.

Vikan A/S is registered with the Danish Veterinary and Food Administration (DVFA), and our mandatory Own Control System is subject to inspection by the DVFA.

**Date**

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