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**FOOD SAFETY PLAN: PROP 65 STATEMENT** 

In 1986, California voters passed the Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act of 1986. Better known as Prop 65, the initiative addresses our growing concerns about exposure to toxic chemicals.

The list is extensive - more than 900 chemicals - including lead, cadmium, and aflatoxins which may be naturally occurring in the environment. Prop 65 requires businesses to provide "clear and reasonable warnings" for "exposure" to chemicals that are known to cause cancer and reproductive harm at locations within California and for good sold in California since 2018. Businesses are required to provide a clear and reasonable warning before knowingly and intentionally exposing a Californian to a Prop 65 listed chemical if the exposure to the average consumer of the product exceeds very low thresholds levels for such portion of the chemical that cannot be shown to be naturally occurring.

Having less than 10 employees, Edison Mercantile, LLC (dba Edison Grainery) is exempt from the Prop 65 requirements. However, we are confident that our products will meet agreed product specifications and that our products will comply with and will not be adulterated or misbranded under the US Food, Drug and Cosmetic Act, as amended. Because the usage rates and consumer consumption levels of finished products that may be manufacture will vary and are not know to us, we do not, and cannot, guarantee that the products that are manufactured using our products will not require a Prop 65 warning.

Edison Mercantile will strive for excellence in providing our customers with a high-quality product processed under Good Manufacturing Practices.

If you have specific questions on the administration or implementation of Proposition 65, you can contact OEHHA's Proposition 65 program at <a href="mailto:P65.Questions@oehha.ca.gov">P65.Questions@oehha.ca.gov</a>,

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