

## PITA IMPROVER 3301505 ALLERGEN STATEMENT

Food Allergens  (See Attachment II Definitions - for	Present (Direct Addition)	Cross Contact (Indirect Addition)	Comments
further information on specific materials)			
Celery-root, stalk, leaves (not seeds)			None Present
Crustacea ( e.g., shrimp, lobster)			None Present
Egg and egg products			None Present
Fish			None Present
Milk & milk products			None Present
Mollusks (e.g., oyster, clam)			None Present
Mustard of its derivatives			None Present
Peanuts			None Present
Seeds, cottonseed			None Present
Seeds, poppy			None Present
Seeds, sesame			None Present
Seeds, sunflower			None Present
Soya and soya products		✓	
Tree Nuts, Almonds		✓	
Tree Nuts, Brazil		✓	
Tree Nuts, Cashew			None Present

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Tree Nuts, Chestnuts			None Present
Tree Nuts, Hazelnuts/ Filbert			None Present
Tree Nuts, Hickory			None Present
Tree Nuts, Macadamia			None Present
Tree Nuts, Pecan			None Present
Tree Nuts, Pine			None Present
Tree Nuts, Pistachios			None Present
Tree Nuts, Walnuts			None Present
Wheat and wheat products	✓		
Gluten, non-wheat – from Rye, Barley, Triticale, Spelt, Kamut, and Mir. Also include Oats.		✓	

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## **FOOD SENSITIVITY INFORMATION**

Material	Present	Not Present
Sulfites –ppm		
If present, indicate source and maximum level in finished material:		<b>✓</b>
Beef		<b>✓</b>
Pork		✓
Chicken		✓
Corn/Maize		<b>√</b>
Cocoa		✓
Yeast		✓
Legumes/Pulses (non-soy, non-peanut)		✓
Sodium Glutamate		<b>√</b>
Benzoic Acid E210 and Benzoates E219		✓
Azo dyes		✓
Tartrazine E102		✓
Cinnamon		<b>√</b>
Vanillin		<b>√</b>
Coriander		✓
Umbelliferae		<b>√</b>
Carrot		<b>√</b>
Lupine		<b>√</b>

Canada – Enhanced Allergen Labelling Regulations <a href="http://www.hc-sc.gc.ca/ahc-asc/media/nr-cp/">http://www.hc-sc.gc.ca/ahc-asc/media/nr-cp/</a> 2011/2011 23bk-eng.php

USA – Food Allergen and Consumer Protection Act of 2004:

 $\frac{\text{http://www.fda.gov/Food/LabelingNutrition/FoodAllergensLabeling/GuidanceComplianceRegulatoryInformation/ucm10618}{\text{7.htm}}$ 

EU - Directive 1169/2011on food information for consumers; EC Article 9 requires processing aids still present in the finished product causing allergies (Annex II) or intolerances to be labeled. <a href="http://ec.europa.eu/food/food/labellingnutrition/foodlabelling/proposed legislation en.htm">http://ec.europa.eu/food/food/labellingnutrition/foodlabelling/proposed legislation en.htm</a>

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