

To Our Florida Customers:

This letter is to certify that Heritage Bag Company 1.3 mil through 3.0 mil printed biohazard and infectious waste bags meet or exceed the U.S. Department of Transportation (U.S. DOT) regulations for plastic bags used for regulated medical waste containment. The U.S. DOT regulations are defined in Title 49 CFR 173.197 and require the bags to meet the following:

Meet a Tear Resistance of 480 grams in both the parallel and perpendicular planes by the ASTM D1922 test procedure. Meet an Impact Resistance of 165 grams by the ASTM D1709 test procedure. Bags may not exceed a volume of 175 liters (46 gallons). When used as an inner packaging for carts, the bag may not weigh more than 10 kilograms (22 pounds) when filled.

Additionally, Heritage Bag Company red color, printed linear low density polyethylene (LLDPE) biohazard and infectious waste bags of 1.3 mil and greater thickness meet or exceed the State of Florida requirements for biomedical waste bags defined in Chapter 64E-16 of the Florida Administrative Code. Heritage Bag is listed on the State of Florida "Red Bag List for Biomedical Waste" which lists biomedical waste disposal bags compliant with Chapter 64E-16 of the Florida of the Florida Administrative Code.

Please do not hesitate to contact your Heritage Bag Company representative for more information regarding our products.

Sincerely,

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