

CERTIFICATE

THIS IS TO CERTIFY that the following product has been found to comply with the specifications established in the American Society for Testing and Materials standard ASTM D-6400-99, "Standard Specifications for Compostable Plastics", in accordance with the terms and conditions of the "Biodegradable Products Institute and The United States Composting Council - Certification Program for Products Made of Compostable Plastics - Program Rules":

Products:

- **Eco Works™ biodegradable and compostable films and bags, manufactured to a maximum thickness of 6.0 mils (per Cortec formulas Bio-1950, Bio-1900, Bio-1800, Bio-1750, Bio-1600)**
- **Eco Film™ films and bags manufactured to a maximum thickness of 6.0 mils (per Cortec formula Bio-1000)**

as further described in the application and related information submitted to the Biodegradable Products Institute by Cortec, Inc. (the "Licensee") of St. Paul, MN.

This Certificate authorizes the Licensee, for three (3) years beginning on the date below, to use the Certification Program Logo depicted below in relation to such Product, subject to all conditions and terms of the Program Rules and the Logo Use Agreement between Biodegradable Products Institute and the Licensee.



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Biodegradable Products Institute

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