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Dear Mr. Miller

We are providing the following information requested

1. Explanation of Non-Sterile Labeling

Many facilities request that non-sterile seeds accompany our cases.
The extra seeds are primarily used for additional assay testing.
The seed manufacturer provides these in *their* labeled pig.
We place the pig in a bag and seal the bag. Our Non Sterile label is applied to the bag

2. Contamination Wipes in cpm and dpm

Biocompatibles has always used **200 dpm** as an Action Limit, when reading wipe Surveys with a Caprac R Unit and continues to do so in our seed receipt and shipment departments.

In December 2011 we implemented wipe measurements with a Caprac T for the Radioactive Lab. The Caprac T Action Limit is 75 net cpm which equates to 200 dpm. The Caprac T does not easily convert to dpm and rather than train our operators in the various steps to determine this value, elected to use a cpm Action Limit. We utilized a broad spectrum conversion factor which rounded off, equates to 75 cpm

Yours truly,


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