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# Checklist:

### Get started with testing food contact materials at FCMtesting

#### Who are we?

With FCMTesting ApS we are more than a test laboratory – we combine technical testing with strategic advice. We don't just test – we understand the material and your reality. Our aim is to make the legislation manageable and the documentation credible, so that you can market your products with full confidence that everything is in order.

We know that no two products and customers are the same – and that is why we always start with a non-binding dialogue where we clarify your needs and options together. You don't have to have everything ready from the start. We'll help you figure out what's needed and how to move forward.

#### Here is some typical information that we can use as a starting point:

- Material description (Plastic, metal, glass, ceramics, wood/bamboo, paper/cardboard, coating, printing inks, silicone, etc.)
- Any surface treatments or coatings
- Conditions of use (Which foods does the material come into contact with e.g. fatty, acidic, dry)
- Temperature conditions (Cooling, room temperature, heating)
- Contact duration (Short-term, repeated, long-term)
- Documentation from supplier (Previous test results) declarations of conformity (DoC), technical data sheets)
- Sample material (We clarify together how much and how you don't need to have it ready from the start)

Regardless of how far you are in the process, we can help you further. If you already have some information, it is helpful - but it is not a requirement. We always start with a non-binding chat and adapt our service and advice to your particular situation.

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#### 2. This is how the process takes place at FCMTesting

We have made the process simple and clear - with you at the center all the way:

- **Introductory dialogue** We clarify test needs, legal requirements and relevant standards and at the same time assess whether time and costs can be saved by choosing targeted tests rather than standard packages.
- **Offer & plan** You receive a tailored offer and a plan for the test course, adapted to your product, situation and your documentation strategy.
- **Sample reception** We receive and register your samples and ensure that they are correctly labeled and suitable for testing.
- Test course We carry out the agreed and relevant analyses, e.g.: Global migration –
  Specific migration (e.g. heavy metals, primary aromatic amines, formaldehyde) NIAS screening Sensory tests
- **Results report** You get a detailed report with results and assessment against applicable requirements formulated so that it can be used directly in your documentation.
- **Advice & next steps** We help to understand the results and plan any adaptations both technically and strategically.
- **Documentation package** We can prepare or update your Declaration of Conformity (DoC), so that you are confident in control and in control of the entire documentation base.

① The time course depends on the complexity of the test and the type of material. We always give a realistic estimate in the offer phase - and keep you continuously updated.

### 3. Why choose FCMtesting as your permanent partner

When you cooperate with us, you get more than test results – you get an accredited, strategic partner who ensures that your documentation lasts all the way:

- We connect the entire supply chain from raw material producer to end user
- We combine technical testing with strategic advice
- We understand both the material and the customer's challenges and guide you without unnecessary tests
- We help you prevent problems before they reach the market e.g. NIAS risks, documentation gaps or test strategies that don't hold up
- We ensure that your documentation is complete, ready for the authorities and adapted to your markets

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### Ready to take the next step?

Let's have the first talk - without obligation and with a focus on your needs. At FCMTesting, you don't just get test results, but a partner who ensures that your documentation is correct, up-to-date and reliable - every time.

Contact us - we are ready to help

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