

QUALIFIED PRODUCT LIST
OF
PRODUCTS QUALIFIED UNDER DOC SPECIFICATION
FOR
SWEETENERS & VARIOUS SEASONINGS
QPL-2013-001

This list has been prepared for use by and for the Missouri Department of Corrections in the acquisition of **house brand** products covered by the subject specification and such listing of a product is not intended to and does not connote endorsement of the product by the Missouri Department of Corrections. All products listed herein have been qualified under the requirements for the product listed on the included specification sheet. This list is subject to change without notice; revisions of this list will be issued as necessary.

Suppliers/manufacturers may submit samples it wishes to be included for future bidding opportunities. A letter verifying the samples sent meet all the requirements listed on the included specification sheet, in addition to a request the samples sent be tested for qualification, must also be submitted. **The required number of samples needed for a product to be considered on this QPL is listed with each product.** All samples shall be at no cost to the Missouri Department of Corrections. Submit samples to:

MISSOURI DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS, DIVISION OF HUMAN SERVICES,
FMU/PURCHASING, 2729 PLAZA DRIVE, JEFFERSON CITY, MO 65109.

SWEETENERS
(Transferred from QPL-2011-006)

Sugar Substitute

Brand: Sweet Mate - Qualified May 2011
Requalified: May 2014

Brand: Sweet Sprinkles - Qualified July 2014

VARIOUS SEASONINGS

Imitation Bacon Bits

Brand: Better Value - Qualified March 2013

Brand: Spice Supreme - Qualified March 2013

Brand: Spice Time - Qualified March 2013

Chopped or Minced Onion

Brand: Better Value - Qualified March 2013

Brand: Spice Classics - Qualified March 2013

Brand: Spice Supreme - Qualified March 2013

Brand: Spice Time - Qualified March 2013

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VARIOUS SEASONINGS (*continued*)

Garlic Powder

Brand: Better Value - Qualified March 2013

Brand: SpiceCo - Qualified March 2013

Garlic Powder (*continued*)

Brand: Spice Supreme - Qualified March 2013

Brand: Spice Time - Qualified March 2013

Salt & Pepper Combo

Brand: Emporia - Qualified March 2013

Brand: Morton - Qualified March 2013

Seasoned Salt

Brand: Better Value - Qualified March 2013

Brand: Spice Classics - Qualified March 2013

Brand: Spice Supreme - Qualified March 2013

Brand: Spice Time - Qualified March 2013

Soy Sauce

Brand: Panola - Qualified March 2013

Brand: Tokyo Diner - Qualified March 2013

Taco Flavored Seasoning

No house brands qualified

MANDATORY SPECIFICATIONS

1. All items must be shelf stable and must not require refrigeration before or after opening.
2. Select pouch or bag items are specified as “clear” and/or “resealable” for security and sanitation reasons.
3. **Labeling** – because all items are for resale, each item must be individually bar-coded.

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- a. ***Labeling*** - the label must bear the name of the item, nutrition facts, ingredients, net weight, the date of expiration/freshness date, and if applicable, instructions for preparation.
 - b. ***Labeling for Salt & Pepper Combo, Garlic Powder, & Chopped or Minced Onion Only*** the label must bear the name of the item, net weight, the date of expiration/freshness date, and if applicable, instructions for preparation.
 - c. At minimum, the date of expiration/freshness date must express month and year. Other forms of expiration/freshness dating (e.g. Julian) are not acceptable.
 - d. There shall be no alteration of national brand manufacturer's labeling for any item. Manufacturer's bulk packaged items shall not be re-labeled for individual resale. Re-labeled items and items that indicate "not for individual resale" are not acceptable.
 - e. Labels or packaging shall not be pre-priced.
 - f. Labeling, including trademarks, logos, graphics, etc., shall not depict violence, weapons, full or partial nudity, or illegal substances.
3. ***Size*** - Size shall be as specified. Items falling outside the requested size or size range will not be considered.
 4. ***Packaging*** - All items shall be individually commercially packaged for resale. Glass containers are not acceptable and will not be considered for award. There shall be no metal on any container.
 5. ***Item Changes*** - The supplier/manufacturer must **immediately notify** the Department prior to the discontinuation of any item, change in packaging, size, ingredients, nutrition facts, or labeling (i.e. **UPC**) of a qualified item.
 - a. No material changes shall be made on any QPL qualified product without written approval by the Department. The supplier/manufacturer must submit documentation to verify any material change.
 - b. Samples for testing shall be submitted if requested by the Department.

SWEETENERS

Sugar Substitute

50-100 packets per box
(1 sample)

VARIOUS SEASONINGS

Imitation Bacon Bits

Clear plastic shaker or clear panel resealable pouch
2 oz. - 4 oz. (+/- 0.5 oz.)
(1 sample)

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MANDATORY SPECIFICATIONS (*continued*)

VARIOUS SEASONINGS (*continued*)

Chopped or Minced Onion

Clear plastic shaker or clear panel resealable pouch
2 oz. - 4 oz. (+/- 0.5 oz.)
(1 sample)

Garlic Powder

Clear plastic shaker or clear panel resealable pouch
2 oz. - 4 oz. (+/- 0.5 oz.)
(1 sample)

Salt & Pepper Combo

Iodized Salt, Black Pepper
Separate Clear Plastic Shakers
Salt Shaker - 3 oz. - 5 oz. (+/- 0.5 oz.)
Pepper Shaker - 1 oz. - 3 oz. (+/- 0.5 oz.)
Packaged and barcoded as a set
(1 sample)

Seasoned Salt

Clear plastic shaker or clear panel resealable pouch
3 oz. - 8 oz. (+/- 0.5 oz.)
(1 sample)

Soy Sauce

Clear Plastic Bottle
6 oz. to 8 oz. (+/- 0.5 oz.)
(1 sample)

Taco Flavored Seasoning

At minimum, ingredients must contain the following spices:

- Chili Powder or Chili Pepper
- Paprika

Clear plastic shaker or clear panel resealable pouch
4 oz. to 8 oz. (+/- 0.5 oz.)
(1 sample)