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## Statement on impure food

Dear Sirs,

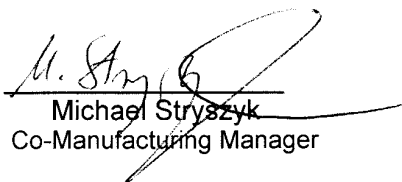
World-wide, PowerBar Europe belongs to the leading suppliers of high-quality sports nutrition. Therefore, we take responsibility concerning quality and security of our products.

Regarding the existing problem of the impurity of complementary food products with Nandrolon or its pre-hormones, we would like to give the following statement:

We herewith confirm that we do not add any steroid hormones or pre-hormones to our products and that no steroid hormones like Nandrolon or pre-hormones like Norandrostendion and Norandrostendiol are produced on the production plants of the manufacturers of PowerBar products and thus, a contamination this way can be excluded.

We hope to have counteracted to a possible uncertainty of the athletes with this statement.

PowerBar Europe GmbH  
Quality Management



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