

APP A
DPSCH 4155.2

*** MONOGRAPH NO.: M8A**

ITEM: Caramels, Vanilla Flavor

NSN: 8925-00-149-0792 **ITEM SPECIFICATION:** CID A-A-20177

APPROXIMATE CALORIC VALUE: 151 Kilocalories (PRIMARY)

CHARACTERISTIC OF ITEM:

- APPEARANCE:** Glossy, light tan to medium brown cubes.
- ODOR:** Slight caramel.
- FLAVOR:** Sweet, slight caramel / vanilla, very slight cooked milk.
- TEXTURE:** Soft, smooth, chewy, slightly grainy.

DEFECTS LIKELY TO OCCUR:

- APPEARANCE:** Color noticeably darkened.
- ODOR:** Rancid, slightly scorched, stale.
- FLAVOR:** Rancid, slightly scorched, stale.
- TEXTURE:** Moderately hard and chewy, dry, excessively grainy, brittle.

UNIQUE EXAMINATION / TEST PROCEDURES: When tasting, chew product thoroughly and expose it to all parts of tongue for 45-50 seconds to enhance detection of soapy (rancid) flavor, if any exists.

SPECIAL NOTES: Pieces tend to stick to wrapper after long periods of storage. Do not score as a texture defect unless it affects the product.