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A method of rendering material aseptic.

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Methode zum Sterilisieren von Verpackungsmaterial.

Title (fr)  
Méthode pour stériliser du matériau d'emballage.

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A method of rendering aseptic the interior surface of a polyethylene-coated aluminium or paperboard packaging carton comprises spraying into the cartons water or H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> to provide a layer of water or H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> about 2 μ thick and then irradiating the interior surface with ultraviolet radiation to give a dosage of at least 5 mW sec./cm<sup>2</sup>, the water or H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> and the radiation having a synergistic sterilizing effect.

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