The Sukkah Project
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The purchaser is encouraged to check if the kosher certification is currently valid at www.star-k.org/schach or scan the QR code below.

This certification is limited to the monofilament type bamboo schach mats, which use what is commonly known as monofilament fishing line.

These schach mats are certified only when bearing the Star-K symbol and bearing this letter of kosher certification.

The following halachic guidelines must be followed when placing the mat on the succah:

1. The schach mat should be supported underneath by wooden beams which run perpendicular to the bamboo sticks, such that the beams would support the bamboo sticks without the presence of the fishing wire.

2. The mat must be able to remain in place, and not blow away in normal wind conditions, even without the monofilament string. If necessary, additional wooden beams should be placed on top of the mat in order to facilitate this. These beams should be placed perpendicular to the bamboo sticks, so that the beams would hold down the sticks without the presence of the fishing wire.

3. As with all schach, the bamboo poles should not be placed directly on metal, plastic, or any other material which is not kosher for schach. If one has a succah with a metal or plastic frame, the schach mat should be placed on top of wooden slats resting on the metal or plastic frame. Consult someone who has the necessary halachic knowledge for further details.

4. These instructions should be kept with the schach. If the succah mat is sold or donated to another person, these instructions should be included.

For an explanation of these requirements, contact Star-K or visit us at www.Star-K.org.

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