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## REACH – REGISTRATION EVALUATION AND AUTHORISATION OF CHEMICALS according Regulation (EG) 1907/2006

REACH is the Regulation for **R**egistration, **E**valuation, **A**uthorisation and Restriction of **Ch**emicals. It entered into force on 1<sup>st</sup> June 2007 to streamline and improve the former legislative framework on chemicals of the European Union (EU). REACH places greater responsibility on industry to manage the risks that chemicals may pose to the health and the environment.

We confirm hereby that we know the commitments in accordance with REACH and we will follow this commitments with care.

GFD is according to REACH regulation "downstream user".

For the products, which we are the manufacturer we have pre registered the including substances. In cases where we are a downstream user, we are working closely with our suppliers.

According to our actual knowledge we can assume, that all substances included in our products were pre registered by our suppliers.

To this the declarations of intent of our suppliers are available.

Some of the suppliers have confirmed also the completeness of pre registration. On the other side none of our suppliers has informed us, that any product could not be delivered after 1<sup>st</sup> of December 2008, because of substances were not pre registered.

Further we also have declarations of intent available from our suppliers for registration.

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If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact us.

With kind regards

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