

To whom it may concern

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Candidate List of Substances of Very High Concern for Authorisation (SVHC) - ECHA / REACH

Substances that are included in the Candidate List have been identified as Substances of Very High Concern (SVHC). These substances may have very serious and often irreversible effects on humans and the environment. Substances of very high concern are defined in Article 57 of Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 ("the REACH Regulation") and include substances which are:

- Carcinogenic, Mutagenic or toxic to Reproduction (CMR), meeting the criteria for classification in category 1 or 2 in accordance with Directive 67/548/EEC,
- Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic (PBT) or very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative (vPvB) according to the criteria in Annex XIII of the REACH Regulation, and/or
- Identified, on a case-by-case basis, from scientific evidence as causing probable serious effects to human health or the environment of an equivalent level of concern as those above (e.g. endocrine disrupters)

The Candidate List will be regularly updated when more substances are identified as SVHC.

RIPOL is in the process of updating its Material Safety Data Sheets (MSDS) to meet the requirements of the new REACH legislation. There is no need to renew all MSDS at once. Immediate renewal is required only when dangerous substances CMR, PBT and vPvB > 1% weight.

RIPOL informs also that all its Powder Coatings products are free of any substance mentioned in the enclosed updated Candidate List available for consultation at http://echa.europa.eu/chem_data/candidate_list_en.asp

Yours faithfully

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Enclosed : Updated Candidate List



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** Substance identification		
Substance name	CAS	EC
Anthracene	120-12-7	204-371-1
4,4'-Diaminodiphenylmethane	101-77-9	202-974-4
Dibutyl phthalate	84-74-2	201-557-4
Cobalt dichloride	7646-79-9	231-589-4
Diarsenic pentaoxide	1303-28-2	215-116-9
Diarsenic trioxide	1327-53-3	215-481-4
Sodium dichromate, dihydrate	7789-12-0	
5-tert-butyl-2,4,6-trinitro-m-xylene (musk xylene)	81-15-2	201-329-4
Bis(2-ethyl(hexyl)phthalate) (DEHP)	117-81-7	204-211-0
Hexabromocyclododecane (HBCDD)	25637-99-4	247-148-4
Alkanes, C10-13, chloro (Short Chain Chlorinated Paraffins)	85535-84-8	287-476-5
Bis(tributyltin)oxide	56-35-9	200-268-0
Lead hydrogen arsenate	7784-40-9	232-064-2
Triethyl arsenate	15606-95-8	427-700-2
Benzyl butyl phthalate	85-68-7	201-622-7



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