

## Confirmation of REACH Compliance

Dear Customer:

As you know, the European REACH regulation on the Registration, Evaluation, Authorization and Restriction of Chemicals [Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006] came into force on June 1, 2007. The chemicals currently produced in the EU or imported into the EU market were pre-registered between June 1 and December 1, 2008. Companies that pre-register their substances can benefit from extended registration deadlines. The deadline depends on the tonnage band and the hazardous properties of the substance.

The deadline for REACH registration for substances manufactured and imported in quantities higher than 100 tonnes per year expired last 31<sup>st</sup> of May (Regulation 1907/2006/EC). Other affected substances will have to be registered later, before the 1<sup>st</sup> of June 2018.

With this letter, I would like to confirm that all POLYMEC products are in full compliance with the REACH legislation.

POLYMEC products, are exempt from the obligation to register. Therefore, our products do not have to be pre-registered and have no pre-registration number that could be reported to you.

But, we hereby confirm that POLYMEC has received confirmation of REACH compliance from all our suppliers. In addition, we adjusted our purchasing workflow in order to ensure that in the future only raw materials are used for the production of our products, which have been (pre)registered by its manufacturer or importer.

We are monitoring the intention of our suppliers to register our raw materials within the specified time periods.

### Candidate list of Substances of Very High Concern (SVHC) for Authorization:

On the 15 of June 2015, ECHA has published the last version of the candidate list of substances of very high concern for authorization (SVHC). This list will be regularly updated when more substances are identified as SVHC.

POLYMEC hereby confirms that none of the substances mentioned in this list has been intentionally added to or is known to be present in our products.

### Communication along the Supply-Chain:

In order to ensure a successful implementation of REACH, it is very important to ensure an open and efficient communication along the whole supply chain. I hope that this letter contributes to this goal.

In case you have additional REACH-related questions, please feel free to contact me directly

Best Regards



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