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Subject: EG No. 1907/2006 Registration, Evaluation and Authorization of Chemicals (REACH)

The EC No. 1907/2006 concerning the Registration, Evaluation and Restriction of Chemicals (REACH) is a regulation that came into force in 2007 by the European Chemicals Agency (ECHA) and regulates the place of certain substances on the market. It is updated at regular intervals, most recently on 25.06.2025.

Our products and materials are not subject to registration as articles within the meaning of REACH. As a company, we are aware of our responsibility and comply with our duty to provide all obligatory information. We have also communicated the relevance to our suppliers and informed them of their obligation as well.

The Candidate List according to Article 59 includes substances of very high concern (SVHC), which are subject to be indicated according to Article 33 of the REACH Regulation, as soon as their content in the product exceeds 0.1% mass percent.

Currently, as far as we are aware, all our products meets the above criteria.

Silicone (VMQ) and the peroxide-cured mixtures have following special features.

Silicone often contains the SVHC-listed substances octamethylcyclotetrasiloxanes (D4, CAS-No. 556-67-2), decamethylcyclopentasiloxane (D5, CAS-No. 541-02-6) and dodecamethylcyclohexasiloxane (D6, CAS-No. 540-97-6) with a content of more than 0.1% mass percent in the raw mixture.

After processing these mixtures into finished products, the permitted quantity of 0.1 mass percent is usually not exceeded. We have verified this by migration tests of stitch samples.

Due technical production reasons, the SVHC substances listed here, do not disappear below the limit of 0.1% mass percent:

Werkstoff	Compound	CAS-Nr.	Name
EPDM	EX7022	80-43-3	Bis(α,α-dimethylbenzyl) peroxide
EPDM	EX8005	80-43-3	Bis(α,α-dimethylbenzyl) peroxide
EPDM	E7001PZ1	80-43-3	Bis(α,α-dimethylbenzyl) peroxide
EPDM	E8001PZ2	80-43-3	Bis(α,α-dimethylbenzyl) peroxide
HNBR	H7001PZ3	80-43-3	Bis(α,α-dimethylbenzyl) peroxide
HNBR	HN7011	80-43-3	Bis(α,α-dimethylbenzyl) peroxide
HNBR	HN7016	80-43-3	Bis(α,α-dimethylbenzyl) peroxide
HNBR	HN8005	80-43-3	Bis(α,α-dimethylbenzyl) peroxide
FKM	V7003BZ1	80-07-9	bis(4-chlorophenyl) sulphone
VMQ	S7007PA1	540-97-6	Dodecamethylcyclohexasiloxane
VMQ	S7006PA5	80-43-3	Bis(α,α-dimethylbenzyl) peroxide

Herewith we have fulfilled our duty to inform according to Article 33 of the REACH Regulation. If you have any further questions regarding the REACH regulation, please do not hesitate to contact our sales department.