

Wiesbaden, January 23rd, 2024

Subject: REACH regulation – (EC) 1907/2006, Information to the update of the SVHC Candidate list from January 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2024

Dear Customer,

With regard to the latest update of the SVHC Candidate list on January 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2024 we would like to inform you on NEVEON Germany GmbH's status and its ongoing activities in respect of the applicable European Chemical legislation.

As you know, NEVEON Germany GmbH itself is considered as a downstream user (i.e. a producer of Polyurethane Articles) and in consequence does not fall under the obligation of registration which is an obligation for our suppliers. Nevertheless, NEVEON Germany GmbH is regularly communicating with its suppliers and follows all relevant discussions within ECHA to ensure that NEVEON Germany GmbH would only use REACH compliant products for its business activities.

Based on the information available to us, we can inform you that the articles supplied to you by NEVEON Germany GmbH do not contain any of the SVHC's as listed until today in the Candidate List above a limit of 0.1 % (w/w), except that some of our products are containing Melamine in a concentration above 0,1% (w/w).

Melamine (CAS 108-78-1) was included as SVHC substance in the SVHC candidate list on January 17<sup>th</sup>, 2023. If your products were affected, you have been informed in a separate letter with reference to Article 33 (1) REACH about the Safe use of Melamine. NEVEON Germany GmbH has also submitted a notification in the ECHA SCIP database according to the Waste Framework Directive about their articles containing Melamine in a concentration above 0,1% (w/w).

For the articles and packaging materials purchased by NEVEON Germany GmbH as of today, none of the suppliers of these articles has announced that its products contain SVHC ingredients or SVHC's above 0.1 % (w/w).





We can also confirm that our products are not subject to the restrictions of Article 67 in conjunction with Annex XVII and do not contain any substances that are subject to authorization and are listed in Annex XIV.

NEVEON Germany GmbH will continue to use all reasonable efforts to comply with its obligations under REACH in order to continue the production and supply of your products.

If you would have any further questions or need any further info, please contact the undersigned contact.

Thank you for your cooperation and understanding in this matter.

Kind regards,

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