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CERTIFICATE 20-ARP-C-0140

Feluy, September 30, 2020

POLYPROPYLENE Aceso® PPM H250 grade as produced in Europe**Toy applications – Toy Safety Directive (Directive 2009/48/EC):**

We would like to remind you that it is the responsibility of the toy manufacturer that brings toys on the market to check the compliance of the finished article with the essential safety and health requirements as mentioned in Directive 2009/48/EC.

We confirm that the above Product as supplied may be used to manufacture toys in compliance with relevant requirements of the Toy Safety Directive (Directive 2009/48/EC), as adopted by the European Council. We inform you that we are basing our statement on a toy of 250gr manufactured with the above-mentioned product at 100% and at a daily exposure of 2 hours per day for one year for a 10 kg toddler. Specifically,

The Product:

- is not manufactured with any Phthalate prohibited for use in toys outside of applicable restrictions under applicable Community legislation. Nevertheless, we inform you that traces of some Phthalates, may be present in some of our Products, as catalyst modifier residues. These maximum residues would not exceed 1 ppm. We confirm you that our product complies with the restrictions as mentioned in entry 51 and 52 of the Annex XVII of REACH (Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 18 December 2006) on the use of these substance in toys and childcare articles (max 0.1% by mass of the plasticized material).

Please find below information relating to Annex II, Part III “Chemical properties” of Directive 2009/48/EC that are deemed necessary for the regulatory evaluation of our product:

- meets applicable requirements set forth in Annex II, Part III, paragraphs 3 and 7 concerning the use of substances classified as carcinogenic, mutagenic or toxic for reproduction (CMR) of category 1A, 1B or 2 under Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 above the restriction on the use of these substances in toys and childcare articles. Nevertheless, we inform you that the above-mentioned product may contain, as technically unavoidable residual, the following component classified as CMR as defined in Regulation 1272/2008/EU:
Di-tert-butyl-peroxide (CAS 110-05-4). Residual content ≤ 5 ppm.
- meets the limit on **allergenic fragrances** content set forth in Annex II, Part III, paragraph 11. We can hereby confirm that we do not use “allergenic fragrances” in the manufacturing of the above Product;

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- meets migration limits on **heavy metals** and other substances set forth in Annex II, Part III, paragraph 13 ; moreover, all analyses performed on the Product (or a specimen representative of this material) showed results below the prescribed limits of the relevant requirements of European standards EN 71-3 2019, entitled "Safety of Toys – Part 3 : Migration of certain elements";
- meets the relevant requirements of European standards EN 71-9, September 2007 "Organic Chemical Compounds- Requirements";
- Is not manufactured with any **Nitrosamines and/or nitrosables** set forth in Annex II, Part III, Paragraph 8.

We note that verification of compliance of the **finished toy product** with all applicable requirements of the Toy Safety Directive 2009/48/EC remain the sole responsibility of the toy manufacturer.

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