

This document outlines the measures taken and current state of the products supplied by ARCOL UK Ltd in relation to compliance with the requirements of REACH (Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and restriction of Chemicals)

## REACH

ARCOL Management has reviewed the requirements of REACH legislation and the impact on our business. This restructure of legislation applies to Chemical import, manufacture and usage. Whilst aimed at the larger producers and Importers of materials and articles, ARCOL recognises itself as a 'downstream chemical user' as defined in the REACH Legislation.

We hereby confirm that ARCOL products and manufacturing processes are compliant with Regulation (EC) 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council (Reach) including the latest updates of the SVHC Candidate list dated 25<sup>th</sup> June 2020.

## Process applied

ARCOL have built an inventory of materials used in the business based on existing COSHH data. Material content has been reviewed and recorded as part of our Risk Assessment process. This information is provided based on reasonable inquiry of our suppliers and represents our current actual knowledge based on the information provided by our suppliers. In addition, levels of usage have been quantified.

## **ARCOL does not import materials defined in REACH directly from outside the EU.**

An assessment has been completed against the ARCOL inventory of chemicals used to establish;

- What is it used for, in which products and in what quantity.
- That the substances used as per the manufacturer's recommendations.
- Possible alternative substances and processes that can be used in place of the current.
- That our Suppliers will maintain supply of these substances and that they have prepared for REACH.
- Most Arcol Product Do Not contain any of the 209 Reach SVHCs as updated by ECHA on the 25<sup>th</sup> June 2020. Those that do contain any of the substances do so in a concentration less than 0.1% by the weight allowable limit, or less than 1000ppm

Signed on behalf of ARCOL UK Ltd



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