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To all customers of VITO Irmen GmbH & Co. KG

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Declaration of conformity with the REACH and CLP regulations as well as the RoHS directive

Dear Sir or Madam,

referring to your request regarding REACH / RoHS compliance, we would like to reply as follows:

The following statements apply to all products supplied by VITO Irmen GmbH & Co. KG.

According to the regulations 1907/2006 (REACH) and 1272/2008 (CLP) as well as the directive 67/548 / EEC and 1999/45 / EC, VITO products are products, but neither substances nor preparations. After processing, raw materials used in VITO products are purely polymeric materials which are exempt from the REACH registration requirement.

As a so-called *downstream* user we rely on our suppliers for REACH registration of the raw materials used. All suppliers themselves are obliged to arrange for corresponding registrations if necessary, and have assured us of this.

We hereby confirm that the designated products are REACH compliant and not hazardous according to CLP.

None of the substances of very high concern (SVHC) according to ECHA (https://echa.europa.eu/en/candidate-list-table) and POP (EG No. 850/2004 and EU 2019/1021) are used with more than 0.1% weight in the product, which is hereby also confirmed. Registration obligations due to the Waste Framework Directive 2008/98/EC in the context of the SCIP-database (https://echa.europa.eu/en/scip) are therefore also omitted.

Furthermore, we confirm the conformity to RoHS for the designated products (Directives 2011/65 / EU and 2015/863).

We can also deny the use of conflict minerals. Currently, the ores Zinnstein (tin ore), coltan (tantalum ore), wolframite (tungsten ore) and the solid gold are considered

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as conflict minerals in the sense of the law. US Dodd-Frank Act, section 1502 and Regulation (EU) 2017/821 established a legal framework in the territory of the United States of America and the European Union to limit the possibilities for armed groups and security forces to trade in tin-, tantalum-, tungsten-ores and gold. The EU Regulation has been in force since 9 July 2017, with large parts of the importers' due diligence requirements, their management systems and risk management obligations, as well as the control mechanisms, to be complied with from 1 January 2021. In our products we do not use these substances in metallic form or as ore.

In our products we don't use any glass or ceramic fibers, in particular those classified in categories 1A, 1B or 2 according to the directive EC 1272/2008.

This declaration is valid until revoked. We will inform you immediately about changes by our suppliers.

Best regards

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