

#### **INEOS Styrolution Europe GmbH**

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## Absence declaration - RoHS and WEEE Directives

Product: Terluran® grades

Version 1.0

Date: 28 January 2016

We hereby declare that regarding the composition of the products manufactured and identified as:

Terluran® GP-22 NR, GP-22 BK10009,

GP-35 NR, GP-35 BK10009, GP-35 White

HI-10 NR, SP-6 NR

# EU-Directive 2011/65/EU on Restriction of Hazardous Substances in electrical and electronic equipment ("RoHS Directive")

Please be advised that we have reviewed the RoHS directive as lastly amended by Commission Delegated Directive 2015/863/EU of 31 March 2015. Based on the information available to us from our raw material suppliers, the current products referred to above do not contain as intentional additives any of the below referenced materials as referenced in the subject EU directive. To the best of our knowledge, none of these materials are generated during production.

Therefore, the requirements regarding the absence of substances listed in Annex II of EU-Directive 2011/65/EU are fulfilled.

- Cadmium and its compounds
- Hexavalent chromium compounds
- Mercury and its compounds
- Lead and its compounds
- Polybrominated diphenyl ethers (PBDEs)
- Polybrominated biphenyls (PBBs)
- Bis(2-ethylhexyl) phthalate (DEHP)
- Butyl benzyl phthalate (BBP)
- Dibutyl phthalate (DBP)
- Diisobutyl phthalate (DIBP)

Therefore we can confirm that Terluran® grades as listed above will not contain these substances above the threshold limits of 0.01% by weight for Cadmium and 0.1% by weight for Lead, Mercury, Chromium-VI, Polybrominated Biphenyls (PBB), Polybrominated Diphenylethers (PBDE), Bis(2-ethylhexyl) phthalate (DEHP), Butyl benzyl phthalate (BBP), Dibutyl phthalate (DBP) and Diisobutyl phthalate (DIBP).

### EU-Directive 2002/96/EC on Waste Electrical and Electronic Equipment ("WEEE Directive")

The EU-Directive 2002/96/EC defines the recovery of waste electrical and electronic equipment. Therefore, we as raw material supplier cannot provide a statement of compliance, because this is dependent on the final article. We have examined the WEEE directive as lastly amended by Directive 2008/112/EC. As far as we can determine, the only requirement that would apply to INEOS Styrolution is to disclose the presence of brominated flame retardants. We can state that INEOS Styrolution does not deliberately add any brominated

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flame retardants to its Terluran® grades nor are they present to the best of our knowledge, in any of the raw materials used to manufacture this grade.

#### For notice:

Many substances are ubiquitous. The observance of all these substances is not part of our ongoing production control. In view of the many factors that may affect processing and application of our products, these data do not relieve processor from carrying out own investigations and tests neither do these data imply any guarantee for certain properties nor the suitability of the product for a specific purpose. It is the responsibility of the recipient of our products to ensure that any proprietary rights and existing laws and legislation are observed.

Please note that this declaration is only valid for prime products manufactured within the European Union.

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