

Dear Sir or Madam,

item Industrietechnik GmbH has issued a statement on the EU-POP directive.

The EU POP Regulation restricts the production and use of persistent organic pollutants (POPs). These are chemical substances that are persistent in the environment, bioaccumulate through the food chain and pose a risk to health and the environment. The regulation defines bans on the use of certain product classes and concentration limits for substances in products.

item GmbH is aware of its responsibility with regard to the protection of people and the environment. The Ordinance is a contribution to the protection of human health and the environment, including the environmentally sound recycling and disposal of products or articles containing persistent organic pollutants (organic compounds).

According to the current state of knowledge, we cannot provide general information on the entire product portfolio, but we offer to analyse the ordered products if required and to check the listed products according to the POP Regulation whether they do not contain any of the substances listed in Appendix I.

The substances listed in Annex I are neither necessary for functionality nor for the manufacturing process. Possible new substances and articles are checked for Annex I bans or restrictions before use.

Yours sincerely  
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