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## **ABSENCE DECLARATION (SVHC)**

Substances of Very High Concern

The Candidate List of Substances of Very High Concern for authorization is published on ECHA's web site [http://echa.europa.eu/chem\\_data/candidate\\_list\\_table\\_en.asp](http://echa.europa.eu/chem_data/candidate_list_table_en.asp) and regularly updated when new substances have been identified as SVHC. The present Declaration has been issued on the basis of the Candidate List as attached hereto.

According to the recipe for the production of **Akulon, Arnite, Arnitel, Nylatron, Stanyl, Xantar, Xantar C and Yparex (all colours)** the substances listed in the Candidate List of Substances of Very High Concern for authorization are not intentionally used or added.

Since the presence of the substances in the Candidate List could not be expected under normal conditions, the absence has not been checked by tests.

Although these substances are not intentionally added, this does not exclude the presence of negligible traces due to (among others) impurities in the components supplied by third parties and used in our production facilities.

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This information holds for the material as it leaves its production facilities and does not include any additive, pigment, etc. subsequently added by the converter or processing steps undertaken by any other third party.

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Substance name	EC-/CAS- number
Triethyl arsenate	427-700-2
Anthracene	204-371-1
4,4'- Diaminodiphenylmethane (MDA)	202-974-4
Dibutyl phthalate (DBP)	201-557-4
Cobalt dichloride	231-589-4
Diarsenic pentaoxide	215-116-9
Diarsenic trioxide	215-481-4
Sodium dichromate	234-190-3 (7789-12-0 and 10588-01-9)
5-tert-butyl-2,4,6-trinitro-m-xylene (musk xylene)	201-329-4
Bis (2-ethylhexyl)phthalate (DEHP)	204-211-0
Hexabromocyclododecane (HBCDD) and all major diastereoisomers identified:	247-148-4 and 221-695-9
Alpha-hexabromocyclododecane	(134237-50-6)
Beta-hexabromocyclododecane	(134237-51-7)
Gamma-hexabromocyclododecane	(134237-52-8)
Alkanes, C10-13, chloro (Short Chain Chlorinated Paraffins)	287-476-5
Bis(tributyltin)oxide (TBTO)	200-268-0
Lead hydrogen arsenate	232-064-2
Benzyl butyl phthalate (BBP)	201-622-7

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