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## REACH Compliance Statement

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MICAM Ltd is fully aware of the requirements of REACH, the new EU Regulation on the Registration, Evaluation and Authorisation of Chemicals and the dates by which various activities must be implemented. It is our intention to fully comply with the legal requirements and to allow a smooth transition to compliance with the minimum of disruption to our customers and relevant stakeholders.

MICAM Ltd is classed as a downstream user under the REACH definitions and therefore we are not required to pre-register or register our formulations and products.

It is our intention to

- Identify all substances within our products and ensure that our suppliers (manufacturers or distributors) pre-register these substances between 1 June 2008 and 1 Dec 2008.
- We will work closely with our supply chain in order to minimise and manage any potential risks associated with CMR materials.
- We will communicate sufficient information to relevant stakeholders in order to provide information on identified uses within the meaning of REACH.
- To follow instructions on Safety Data Sheets and information provided on exposure scenarios.
- Provide our customers with information regarding hazards, risks and safe conditions of use of our products through Material Safety Data Sheets.

Yours Sincerely,  
Ciaran Culligan  
Quality / Environmental Manager  
MICAM Ltd.

- *Extract from ECHA Guidance for downstream users Jan2008*

### 1.1 Main obligations of downstream users

As a downstream user, your main obligations under REACH are to:

1. Follow the instructions in the safety data sheets you receive and in the exposure scenarios which will be attached to some safety data sheets. If your use is not covered by an exposure scenario, you can communicate with your supplier with the aim of having your use covered by an exposure scenario or you may need to develop your own chemical safety report.
2. Contact your suppliers if you have new information on the hazard of the substance or preparation or if you believe that the risk management measures are not appropriate.
3. Provide your customers with information
  - a) on hazards, safe conditions of use and appropriate risk management advice for your preparations, if you are a formulator
  - b) if the content of certain very dangerous substances, which are candidates for authorisation, exceeds a concentration of 0.1 %w/w in the articles you produce.

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