

DELAPHOS[®] RANGE AND **REACH**

All customers and agents for the Delaphos[®] range of Zinc Phosphates will be aware of the implications of **REACH** (Registration, Evaluation Authorization and restriction of Chemicals) which is already adopted within EU and national legislation.

JPE, as manufacturers and suppliers of Delaphos[®], have successfully completed pre-registration as late entrants and have advised **ECHA** (European Chemicals Agency) of its intention to participate in the appropriate **SIEF** (Substance Information Exchange Forum). As a consequence we are now registered and in contact with the SIEF.

Completion of the process is required by December 2010 and although there has to date been little activity within our SIEF, it is JPE's intention to ensure as far as is reasonable, that during the authorisation process (if required) and thereafter, that the uses to which our products are put are not restricted in any way.

Based on our current understanding of the REACH protocol, and the Sector Uses, Process Categories, Product Categories and Environmental Release Codes enquired of by our customers to date (See separate download "Delaphos REACH Categories"), we would not expect the REACH authorisation to affect continuity of supply of Delaphos or its application within industry. You can find on this page the categories and codes we expect to be covered for zinc phosphates in the REACH process. If you are aware of any others that are not listed, please let us know immediately and we shall seek to ensure they are added.

As and when matters progress further, we shall advise all our customers of the latest developments either directly or via our Agency arrangements. In the meantime should you have any further queries please do not hesitate to contact:

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The following are also useful links relating to REACH:
www.hse.gov.uk/reach,